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Harbor Heritage Story Telling

HHST Transnational Training in Split, Croatia

Since the beginning of the project, partners within the Erasmus+ project *Harbor Heritage Story Telling* have been developing a methodological guide and learning materials for an e-learning platform. Now, at the time when this development process has reached its final phase, it was time to test it, not only by the partners in the project but also by future ambassadors.

Each partner – Tourism Office of Bastia and Petra Patrimonia from France, IMTIE and the Mediterranean Center of Environment from Greece, MEDORO from Italy, and PROKULTURA from Croatia – has sent their members and future ambassadors to Split, Croatia to participate in our Transnational training.



The training lasted for three days, from 14th to 16th of March 2022, each day covering a different topic and the discovery of one of our HHST Training content. During the first day, the welcoming of all participants was followed by a round table which enabled everyone to present themselves and their cities. OT Bastia and Petra Patrimonia presented the final version of the HHST Methodological guide, important for the development of a participatory method for the appropriation and tourism development of the still “hidden” heritage. They also presented different skills enhanced by the soon available e-learning platform. The afternoon was reserved for a city tour of Split that took the participants on an enriching walk around the palace of Diocletian. The tour also included field exercises.



The second day was dedicated to the training modules 1 and 2: Participatory identification of the harbor heritage by OT Bastia, and Development of new discovery tours by MEDORO. The second half of the training was held at the Split City Museum where guiding exercises took place. The third day covered modules 3 and 4: Heritage interpretation and heritage ambassadors by MCE/IMIITE, and Promotion and marketing of a new tour by Petra Patrimonia and Prokultura. Field practices related to the modules took place at the Archaeological Museum.

Participant Quotes

"I appreciated the involvement of the different kind of participants. The diversity of testimonies was very rich and useful. The most important point was to cross the opinion of the different kind of professions and their geographical location."

"The idea of the project is very good and should be spread to other ports as well."

"You should extend this kind of project in other Mediterranean Countries."

The HHST 4th Transnational Partner Meeting

After three days of learning, active practices and very valuable exchange of good practises, the tourist guides and other ambassadors of Bastia, Catania and Piraeus have returned home, leaving partners to hold the 4th transnational partners' meeting.

For two days partners were discussing about the final layout and translation of the methodological guide and the learning content, about the finalisation of the online platform and the dissemination of the project results.

A new work plan was developed until the end of the project.

Next and final Partners' meeting in June 2022 in Pireaus, Greece!



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