

TRANSNATIONAL PARTNER MEETING OF THE PROJECT "STEM FOR INCLUSIVE SCHOOLS"

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On Tuesday, March 12, 2024, the first transnational meeting of the partners of the Erasmus+ project KA220-NW-23-30-151162 took place.



The project, whose title is "STEM for Inclusive schools" includes 6 partners from 5 countries: University Paderborn (Germany), "Dunărea de Jos" University (Romania), Secondary School No. 7 Galati (Romania), Łukasiewicz Research Network – Institute for Sustainable Technologies (Poland), Innovative and Entrepreneurial Society Association (Turkey) and „Sucessos Creativos” Ltd. (Portugal).



The aim of the project is to enable educational professionals to enrich the methods of using digital resources, so that interest and participation in the STEM field (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) are developed in an inclusive manner.

Through the implementation of the project, the exchange of experience and the transfer of skills between the partner countries is intended.

At the same time, partners will find new ways to improve communication and cooperation with local decision-makers and education officials.



The March 12 meeting is the first of a series of four meetings, designed to be hosted by one of the partners in turn.

The second meeting will take place in Poland, probably in September, hosted by the Łukasiewicz Research Network – Institute for Sustainable Technologies in Radom, Mazowieckie Region.

According to forecasts, the next meeting will be organized by Sucessos Criativos Ltd. In the city of S. João da Madeira, Portugal, most likely in the spring of 2025.



The last project management meeting will take place in Germany, in December 2025, organized by the project's coordinating institution, the University of Paderborn.

During the meeting hosted by our University, the first milestones were established to help track the progress of the project.

Thus, there were discussions regarding increasing the visibility of the project by creating a dedicated website, postings on social media, drafting a social media plan, publishing articles in the press.

We thank our guests for their participation and wish them success both in the implementation of the "STEM for inclusive schools" project and in all the other projects in which they are involved.