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Mobility projects in Higher Education Incoming and Outgoing Student and Staff Mobilities 2014-2015



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Outgoing Mobilities



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We achieved a basis for a future cooperation roadmap in terms of international cooperation and institutional partnership.

The following positive results have been greatly appreciated:

- the improvement of the professional qualification of the beneficiary in the field of internationalization;
- the identification of new tools allowing a modern approach of the internationalization process;
- the collection of information on the Icelandic educational system that will be disseminated within the University of Craiova and help organizing staff and students mobility from Romania to Iceland.

The results of the mobility and future cooperation opportunities have been shared with department colleagues during subsequent meetings. Learning by doing is one of the best concepts of learning in the education and this EEA grand offered me the possibility of learning and experiencing a lot. Norway have a lot to offer, other culture, other educational system, nothing is like what I'm used back in Romania. Here everything is made for making the life of the student easier (less classes, places for relaxing) but to maximize his potential by doing a lot of practical projects and gaining experience in the field that he is studying.

This grant didn't just gave me the opportunity to stay in school and learn a lot about some subjects that back home I will not have the chance to study, but also gave me the opportunity of meeting a lot of people with different cultural background and the possibility of



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I applied to this scholarship because I was interested in continuously developing my academic, professional and personal goals. As it turns out, this 4 months in one of the most appraised countries in Europe, were a great endeavor which I recommend to everybody who is interested in learning and experiencing interesting new things and most of all, widen their horizons.

It was a great opportunity for me to make steadfast friends, discover and relish a gripping country and learn about new cultures. I met appealing people from all over the world who had stories to tell and things to teach. The multicultural environment was a great impelling ingredient in the entire experience.

In the same time, I enhanced my professional skills by being able to test my competences and acquire new ones in a renowned educational system based on empirical practice. The involvement in this program enabled me to grow and advance in different fields of significant importance for my future career.

Incoming Mobilities



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I decided my teaching scould be on Open Source, since I have been teaching module on this in my own university, and also since I have practical experience from real projects using open source licensing. My lectures were well integrated with the curriculum, since the student are developing application using open source software and were well received by the audicence.

I also met two student coming to Norway. I also met with faculty members and we discussed further visits to our university and possibility for research collaboration. I only have positive experience. I guess this is due to careful planning and the existing relations between me and faculty at University of Craiova.

