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Workshop:
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control

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This meeting was organized for monitoring and quality control purposes. The representative from local Tempus Office, M. Sc. Snezana Bilic was present on the meeting organized with Prof. D-r Marjan Gusev, coordinator from University Sts. Cyril and Methodius, Prof. D-r Pece Mitrevski, from University St Clement Ohridski, Faculty of Technical Sciences, Bitola; Prof. D-r Gjorgji Manceski, from University St Clement Ohridski, Faculty of Economy, Prilep; Prof. D-r Vladimir Radevski, from South Eastern Europe University, Tetovo.

Each of the participants presented the project achievements and the implications of the project. It seems that besides the great number of workshops organized, the project had a really good impact on the beneficiary institutions.

The first outcome was introduction of new courses with business oriented and technology driven aspects. Much more achievements were gained then the initial plan in the project proposal. For example, the SEE University started new M. Sc. curricula for Master in Information Systems for those who finish Computer Science and IT certificate for those who finish Business B. Sc.; the UKIM started new M. Sc. in Enterprise Information Technology; the Faculty of Economy at UKLO initiated new curricula for Business Statistics and Information Technology. All beneficiary institutions introduced new courses with both business oriented and technology driven aspects.

The second outcome was introduction of Interactive Response System (IRS) realized by developing software and purchasing special wireless remotes to be used for learning processes. The establishment of new teaching environment was realized by purchasing equipment for at least one lab in all beneficiary institutions, as realization of third project outcome. A lot of printed and e-learning material was developed for introduced and already existing courses for realization of fourth outcome.

The fifth and sixth outcome were realized by organizing more then 300 visits in the three year period, by organizing more then 35 workshops, hundreds of presentations and producing a lot of dissemination publications and materials. The realization of all project activities gives good conditions for sustainability of the project results.

Spin off effects are the realization of new innovative technology lab, that organizes several application projects and teaching activities by organizing practical education as part of Microsoft and Cisco academies.

The meeting was used for further discussions with almost all project participants including the professors and assistants from the University and also the dean and head of the department.