

PRESS RELEASE FROM 1. INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE CE-AGEING PLATFORM

The First International Conference of international project „Central European Knowledge Platform of an Ageing Society (CE Ageing Platform)“ have been held in Bratislava, hotel Chopin from 21st to 22nd March 2012. Participating institutions in the project are together 13 from eight European Union countries: Austria, Germany, Italy, Poland, Hungary, Slovenia, Czech Republic and Slovak Republic.

The project is focused on the condition creation in the field of housing, services and employment for target group - people over 50 in the respect of European Union policy focused on extension of retirement age.

Regional Development Agency Senec-Pezinok, as the one of Slovak partners, involved into the mentioned project realisation in the field of condition creation for people 50+ in the employment through elaboration of Regional Training Concept for target group over 50, has been actively participating in the first international conference.



At the First International Conference spoke several speakers: Director General of Central Office of Labour, Social Affairs and Family SR Dr. Ivan Juráš, Director of Evaluation and Monitoring Unit, Central Europe Programme Mrs. Monika Schonerkle-Grasser, representative of National Agency for Lifelong Learning Programme Mrs. Renáta Mezeiová, representatives of Ministry of Education SR, Economic Research Institute, Slovak Academy of Science, Demographic Research Centre, Association of Electro-Technical Industry SR, Third Age University at Continuing Education Centre of Comenius University.

In the frame of the presentations there were given information on target group over 50 in terms of target group representation in Slovak population, programme possibilities for the projects focused on seniors, in terms of lifelong learning strategy in Slovak Republic, possibilities of "silver economy", demographic changes in Slovak Republic as well as the best project practises from the field of seniors' workforce and seniors education at Third Age University.



The next session of the first international conference (second day) was divided into three working groups called World Café. Regional Development Agency Senec-Pezinok guided the working group focused on training the target group of unemployed over 50. In the introduction there were projected the DVD Presentations from Senior House in Kremnica – Project of Mutual Training Among Pensioners and Children from Child House Mauricius in Kremnica in Workshops, Training Activities in the Foundation Memory Focused on Pensioners Activities with Alzheimer Diseases and DVD presentation from NGO Club of Silver Heads – Dancing Group Orchidea – focused on Dancing Creations of Ladies-Pensioners and Young Girls-Pupils of Primary School. The session was continuing in brainstorming focused on participants' proposals in the field of training quality improvement and new training services. The conclusions from the working group will be incorporated into the Regional Training Concept which is under the preparation.

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