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1. Plan4all workshops

There were six Plan4all Dissemination and Communication Workshops held in month 8, month 11, month 12 and month 13. There was one Thematic Workshop held during the REAL CORP Conference in Vienna in month 13. You can see their description below.

1.1 Plan4all regional workshop during the Joint International Conference in Prague

Date: 8th December 2009

Venue: Liepaja, Latvia

Notes: Technological solutions and activities of the Plan4all partners were introduced.



1.2 Workshop during the Annual General Board Meeting of EUROGI

Date: 26th March 2010

Venue: Brussels, Belgium

Notes: Presentation of the project activities to EUROGI Members and starting of the activities for the National Workshops (Communication and Dissemination Workshops – see D9.12 for more details).





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1.3 Workshop with Affiliated partners in Poland

Date: 9th April 2010

Venue: Centre of Space Research, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw, Poland

Notes: Cooperation with Affiliated partners was discussed and Memoradum of Understanding was signed:





Affiliated partners in Poland - Memorandum of Understanding

I hereby confirm, that due to big interest of Polish Cities and Regions in becoming Affiliated partners of the Plan4all project, we have decided jointly with Institute of Spatial Management and Housing (IGPiM), Institute of Spatial and Cadastral Systems (ISPiK) and also with Space Research Centre of Polish Academy of Science (CSR of PAS), to set up a unique National Contact Point (NCP) for Poland of the Plan4all project, composed of existing staff of the above mentioned Institutes. NCP for Poland will be the link between potential Affiliated partners in Poland and the rest of the Plan4all consortium, communicating through the Project Coordinator. This will also strengthen the links between INSPIRE and GMES due to involvement of CSR of PAS in the GEOLAND2 FP7 project. The responsibilities and rights of the NCP for Poland will be established in a separate agreement, the terms of which will be established at a later date.

Until now the activities of the above mentioned institutes in relation to the Plan4all project have been financed from their own funds. Numerous Self-Governmental Regions and Cities of Poland are interested in joining Plan4all and contribute to the main activities of the project. Unfortunately, the 4,4 m euro financing for the project was already allocated and distributed between 24 project partners in 2009. Therefore funding for the participation of the Polish sub-network in the project activities for 2010 – 2012 would be appreciated. These activities include translations of documents between English and Polish, participation in Plan4all and Polish meetings, exchange of know-how and dissemination of information. Polish entities responsible for local, regional and state levels of spatial planning could then join the efforts leading to standardization and harmonization of spatial planning documents to meet the INSPIRE and P.S.I. Directives requirements under an umbrella of the Plan4all project.

We do agree with suggestions of IGPiM and ISPiK that the implementation test beds of the Polish Affiliated partners should be financed from other complementary funding sources including Regional Operational Programmes of Poland, PECS allocations, National Innovations and Competitiveness activities and National GMES program of Poland.

We hope that Polish Cities and Regions and the Plan4all consortium will create close working relationships that will enable Polish entities to participate in the Plan4all activities.

On behalf of the Plan4all consortium

Yours sincerely

Tomas Mildorf

The following report was published on the Polish Geoforum:



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Plan4All Implementation in Poland

71.07.08 Plan 4 a 11 Plan4All is a project aimed at harmonization of data essential for planning in accordance with the guidelines of the INSPIRE directive. April 9 at the Space Research Centre PAS, Warsaw held a meeting on the formation of a Polish network of affiliated partners, the project, currently the Institute of Spatial Planning and Housing (IGPI^{II}) in Warsaw and the Institute of Spatial and Cadastral Systems (ISPIK) in Gliwice.

The harmonization of data within Plan4All is to include, inter alia, data such topics as land use planning, public services and governmental services, management Area management / restriction / regulation zones. These topics are included in Annexes 2 and 3 of the Directle, but harmonized data model has not yet been developed for them. Plan4All it is possible. In addition, profiles are to be developed metadata and network services architecture. Access point to European data relating to spatial planning is to be a special portal.

Assumptions and the status of the project presented Tomas Mildorf from the University of West (UZ) in Pilsen. This unit coordinates the work of the consortium, which includes 24 partners from 14 European Union countries and Norway. Plan4All, funded under the Community eContentplus, carried out from May 2009 to October 2011

The presentation addressing the relationship to the concept of project monitoring Plan4All zoning director presented the country IGPIM Sławomir anusz. Assumptions operation of the Polsh representative network presented Plan4All IGPIM - Agent for the development of spatial information and spatial monitoring of Robert Lach. Drawn attention to a reference design not only to Inspire, but also to the GMES program.

They also performed regional representatives. Christopher Mączewski, surveyor voivodeship, the regional government has discussed plans to standardize the planning documents. Eugene Romanski, director of the Silesian Centre of Information Society, presented the concept of the Open Regional Geographic Information System (ORSIP) as a regional hub of national and European infrastructure for spatial information. Jadwiga Brzuchowska from the Office of Wrocław City presented the issues of standardization of local development plans and planning solutions implemented in the SIP Wrocław. Representatives of the government of the Kujawsko-Pomorskie and Zbigniew Krzysztof Gluszek Wajer discussed a draft "Infostrada Kujawy and Pomerania," providing services in the field of e-administration and spatial information.

Continuation of the presentation was a discussion session. Prof. Bogdan Ney (PAS) drew attention to the breakdown of the competence of the institutions involved in spatial governance in Poland and the frequent structural changes in public administration, which impede the many good initiatives. Prof. Gregory Wecknowicz emphasized the good quality of regional planning and local solutions, while lack of coordination in this regard. President of the European Centre for Entrepreneurship Foundation and former Deputy Minister for Infrastructure, Janusz Kwiecinski noted that a great social need for discussion about spatial order and research at the regional level, but there is a strong vision of how to combine planning with long-term planning of economic development in the country. Mark Wiland District Chamber of Urban Planners in Wroclaw pointed out that in many cases, new changes in legislation are dealt with specustawami. Christopher Mączewski presented in tum, led by BGWM data model project for planning approval as a superb infrastructure minister.

The next working meeting is scheduled for 8-9 June in Katowice. Within 1-2 months has also created a point of contact project in Poland.



Paul Sudra





1.4 1° Workshop 3D GIS - 3D for Territorial Planning and Management

Date: 22th April 2010

Venue: Bologna, Italy

Notes: The workshop was held in collaboration with, and under patronage of, Plan4all.





1.5 Introduction of Zemgale Geoportal, training and metadata deployment

Date: $26^{th} - 27^{th}$ April 2010

Venue: Jelgava, Latvia

Notes: The workshop introduced to all participants the Zemgale Geoportal and its possibilities for data and metadata deployment.

1.6 Czechs in Action

Date: 11th May 2010

Venue: Prague, Czech Republic

Notes: Joint activity on behalf of the following projects: Plan4all, BRISEIDE, HABITAS, SDI-EDU for regional development and Envirogrid.

The following projects were introduced:

- Plan4all
- GS SOIL
- SDI-EDU for regional planning
- Biz-Biz
- Humboldt
- EnviroGrid
- Metachool
- BRISEIDE
- NaturNet Plus
- Habitats

1.7 Plan4all Thematic Workshop on Metadata and Spatial Planning Data Harmonisation

Date: 18th May 2010

Venue: Vienna, Austria

Notes: The workshop was held during the REAL CORP Conference that ensured the dissemination and discussion within the spatial planning community.





The following presentations were given:

- INTRODUCTION, impulse statements: PLAN4ALL, INSPIRE and Geoinformation Infrastructures for Spatial Planning (Tomas Mildorf et al.)
- Spatial planning metadata profile (Stepan Kafka)
- Plan4all State of the Art in Harmonisation of Spatial Planning Data (Julia Neuschmid, Wolfgang Wasseburger, Manfred Schrenk)
- SDI of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg and the Hamburg Metropolitan Region (Kai-Uwe Krause, Winfried Hawerk)

Each presentation was followed by a discussion with participants.

References

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INSPIRE Website: http://inspire.jrc.ec.europa.eu/

Plan4all Grant Agreement, Annex I - Description of Work