



Newsletter #4

The Final Event of the project

In the framework of Work Package 3 “Closing Event” a closing event was hosted by the National Hellenic Research Foundation in Athens following the purposes of Task 3.6 “Closing Event”.

More specifically, the coordinator of the project CERTH organized the Final Event which consisted of two parts. The first part included a panel for discussing a strategy to curb the expatriation of researchers and young scientists and the initiatives and actions that must be taken to support the career development of researchers and to enhance mobility. The second part of the event was dedicated to the ERA-MobilCar.GR project. The coordinator presented the actions and results of the project and described each partner’s contribution. Other invited speakers presented an overall report which included numbers of participants in the Preparatory Workshops, number of participants in the Career Days Events and number of the participating Companies. Furthermore, other invited speakers presented their experience from the career days events and EURAXESS tools.

The agenda of the event

<i>“Initiatives, opportunities and support actions for the career development of young scientists in research”</i>	
09:30-10:00	<i>Registration-Coffee</i>
1st part	Panel on the topic: Strategy for the prevention of brain-drain of young scientists and researchers, initiatives and actions for the support of researchers’ career development and the enhancement of mobility
10:00-11:15	Coordinator : Dr. V.G. Grigoriou, Director and Chairman of the NHRF’s Board Participants : -Dr. Sotirios Pavleas, Consultant of the General Secretary R & T/ General Secretariat for Research and Technology (GSRT) -Dr. Evi Sachini, Director of National Documentation Centre/ NHRF -Mr. Giannos Mitsos, Senior Advisor / Hellenic Federation of Enterprises -Mr. Dimitrios Sanopoulos, Coordinator of Greek Euraxess Network / Centre for Research and Technology Hellas (CERTH)
11:15-11:45	<i>Break</i>



2nd part	The ERA - MobilCar.GR project and other initiatives for young researchers Coordinator : Ms. Ioanna Petrochilou, Director of Central Administration / NHRF
11:45-12:00	Actions and results of the ERA-MobilCar.GR project Mr. Achilleas Tsiligkeridis, EURAXESS Services Centre / CERTH
12:00-12:10	EURAXESS Jobs: a useful tool for Researchers and Employers Dr. George Skretas, Senior Researcher at Institute of Biology, Medicinal Chemistry & Biotechnology / NHRF
12:10-12:25	The "Mentoring Programmes" as a supportive tool for young researchers Ms. Efi Geronimaki, Centre of Career Development & Employment, Euraxess Services Centre /University of Ioannina
12:25-12:40	Career Days for Young Researchers: Experience and future suggestions Dr. Maria Chatzidaki, Post-Doc Researcher at the Institute of Biology, Medicinal Chemistry & Biotechnology / NHRF





The dissemination of the four (4) Newsletter was done mainly to the participants of the ERA-MobilCar.GR events. More specifically:

Newsletter #1 distributed to the participants of the Opening Events, the local media and press. Newsletter #2 distributed to the participants of all Preparatory Workshops, the local media and press. Newsletter #3 distributed to the participants of the four (4) Career Days and Career Talks events, the local media and press. Finally, the Newsletter #4 distribute to all participants of the events the project (opening events, preparatory workshops, career days and career talks events), the participants of the final event, the local media and press.

It is estimated that more than 1650 people were reached in total.