

INTERFACE – Development and Establishment of Measures for Initiating, Enhancing and Sustaining Higher Education–Society Cooperation

1. BASIC PROJECT INFORMATION

Official Project Title	INTERFACE – Development and Establishment of Measures for Initiating, Enhancing and Sustaining Higher Education–Society Cooperation
Acronym / Short Name	INTERFACE
Programme / Funding Source	TEMPUS Programme / European Union
Duration	10.2010–04.2014
Coordinator	University of Graz / WUS Austria
Partner Institutions	Partner universities and enterprises

2. PARTICIPATION OF UNIVERSITY SKOPJE ACADEMIC STAFF

Name and Surname: Sime Arsenovski

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Role / Function in the Project: Author, Academic Staff

Specific Contribution to the Project

Financial management; business analysis; process modelling; delivery of training.

3. CONTENT AND ACHIEVED RESULTS

Brief Project Description

The INTERFACE project aimed to strengthen the capacities of partner universities to facilitate graduates' entry into the labour market through stronger partnerships with enterprises. The project also aimed to establish an institutionalised lifelong learning system and a quality improvement system through coordinated cooperation with alumni. The contribution included financial management, business analysis, process modelling and delivery of training. The project supported institutional cooperation between higher education and society and sustainable mechanisms for employability, lifelong learning and university–business cooperation.

Key Results / Outputs

Mechanisms for cooperation between higher education and society; process models; lifelong learning approach; training; institutional strengthening.

Publications / DOI / Other Relevant Scientific Results

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4. SIGNIFICANCE FOR THE FACULTY

Benefits for Students, Teaching and/or Research

Relevant to university–industry cooperation, graduate employability, lifelong learning, alumni, quality improvement and institutional development.

5. LINK

Official Website / Project Link: <https://unitogether.uni-graz.at/de/projekte/interface/>