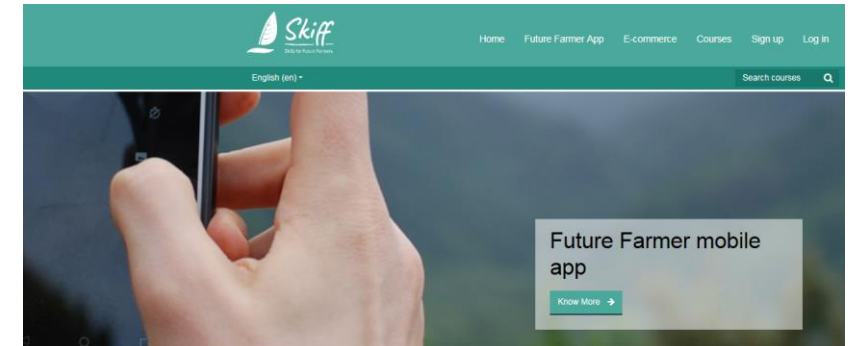


Practical example of Erasmus+ projects supporting knowledge flows within the AKIS

SKIFF - a multilingual e-platform for training

26-27th of June, 2018

Warsaw



Skills for Future Farmers

Skills for Future Farmers is a platform providing training programs in Organic Farming, Rural Development, Agricultural Markets, Farming Management, Biobased Economy, and ICT in Agriculture.
It also offers specialized mobile apps for Android and iOS with suites of helpful facilities and news for farmers as well as a free e-commerce platform that can be customized towards the development of a full-functioning e-shop.

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Why SKIFF?

- A good example of international cooperation supported by projects from the past;
- A new practical approach on a relevant e-trainings programs and content;
- Partners activities in promoting e-trainings after a project finished;
- Looking for other possibilities for common activities.

Coordinator:

- ✓ Computer Technology Institute & Press (GR)

Partners:

- ✓ European Institute for Integration and Evolution (GR)
- ✓ Lithuanian Agricultural Advisory Service (LT)
- ✓ BLANKCON (NL)
- ✓ MKV Consulting (TR)
- ✓ Turkish Ministry of Food Agriculture and Livestock (TR)



SKIFF in summary

Advanced Training

Designed by field experts to cover the following areas: 1. Rural Development, 2. Organic Farming, 3. Agricultural Markets, 4. Farming Management, 5. Bio-based Economy, 6. ICT in Agriculture, 7. ICT - Precision Farming.

ICT tools

To deliver the training modules under the e-learning (Moodle) and m-learning paradigm, plus a generic e-commerce platform.

On-line training sessions

Targeted to hundreds of end-users expected to undertake the training modules, go through online tests and offer feedback through online questionnaires.

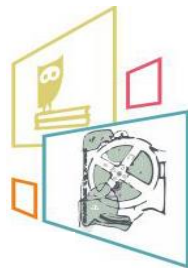
Continuous wide dissemination

Including two local awareness-raising events, in each participating country, before and after the pilot training sessions.



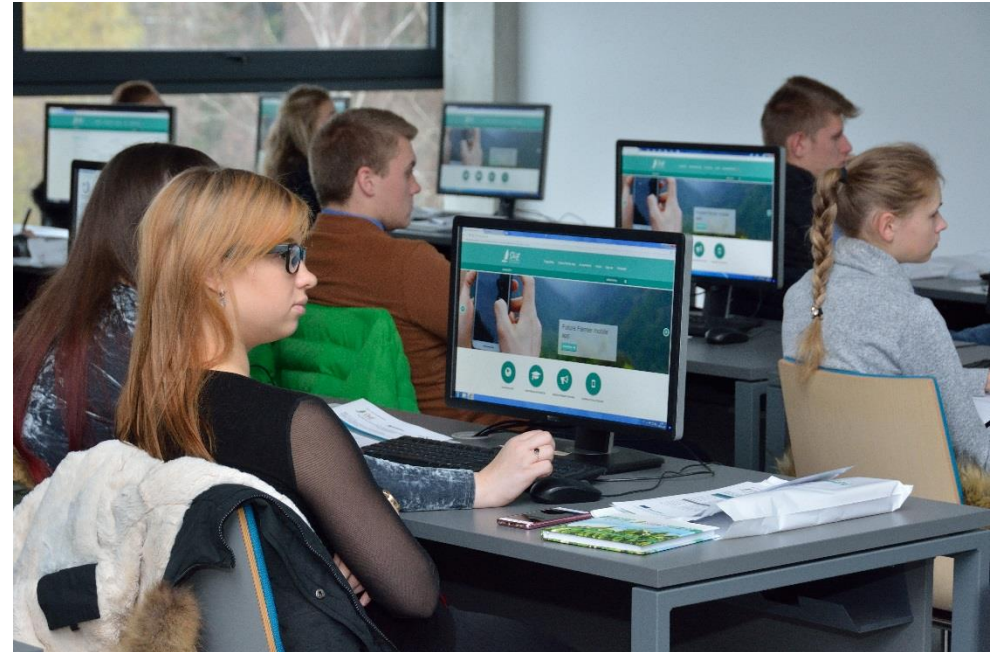
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Preparing successful proposal (1)

- **Know your theme:**

- study through the Program's aims and objectives;
- understand current needs;
- use quantitative indices, if applicable (OECD, Eurostat, etc.) for your proposal
- shape your proposal on convincingly addressing the needs

- **Invest on the European dimension:**

- what is the target group?
- is the consortium qualified/complementary?
- why should you get EU funding for your idea?
- do you address any current EU objectives and policies?



Preparing successful proposal (2)

Invest on **WIDE** dissemination:

- carefully select your target group and draft a dissemination plan;
- exhaust traditional and electronic means (e-fora, email, social media, etc.);
- engage your target groups spreading the news is half-way of reaching your goal.



In the long run, an enterprise can not survive by doing the same, only cheaper.

From “FORTH innovation” by
Gijs van Wulfen

Thank you