



3rd HE&R Conference

Portorož, Slovenia, 23-25 September



The 3rd EMUNI Conference on Higher Education and Research with a title "Entrepreneurial learning and the role of universities" was opened by Dr. Joseph Mifsud, EMUNI president. Prof. Dr. Saleh Hashem, Secretary General of the Association of Arab Universities highlighted the main challenges of the universities, among them population growth and consequently the needs of quality assurance, dialogue among cultures and fund raising. Among the speakers of the opening part were also Dr. Esserhini Farissi, University Ben Abdellah from Fez, Dr. Gregor Veselko, President of the Management Board of the Port of Koper, one of the most important supporters of EMUNI and Eva Jimeno Sicilia, European Training Foundation. At 9 paper sessions held simultaneously after the opening part, more than 50 papers were presented, including topics such as: Lifelong learning, innovative pedagogy, co-operation between entrepreneurship and universities, quality, recognition and employability. The conference gathered participants from 22 countries of the Euro-Mediterranean region. [\[More\]](#)

European Day of Languages

Portorož, Slovenia, 25 September

European day of languages was celebrated with the final panel in the frame of the conference on Higher Education and research in co-operation with the DG for Translation of the European Commission. The guests at the panel were Cristian Buchiu (DG for Translation of EC) and Prof. Dr. Cosimo Notarstefano (Polo Euromediterraneo Jean Monnet, Bari). More than 300 viewers were watching the EU day of languages celebration via internet.

Visit under Erasmus Staff Mobility

Portorož, Slovenia, 25 September

EMUNI hosted 2 representatives from Mykolas Romeris University, Lithuania, and the Erasmus coordinator from

"Dimitrie Cantemir" Christian University, Romania under Erasmus Staff Mobility. They visited EMUNI University, met Prof. Dr. Mifsud and international relations department staff. They also attended the HER Conference. In the same period 8 representatives of the College of Enterprise and Administration, Poland, performed training at EMUNI under the LLP-Erasmus Programme. Dr. Marek Milosz, ECCC and Prof. Dr. Joseph Mifsud signed letter of intent to promote the concept of European Computer Competence Certificate. [\[More\]](#)

Workshop on Higher Education and Adult Learning

Brussels, Belgium, 27 - 28 September

EMUNI was one of the keynote speakers at the Workshop organised by DG Education and Culture, EC, in the development of an Action Plan on Adult Learning, chaired by the Head of Unit B3 Marta Maria Ferriera, DGEAC. The themes discussed focused on the role of higher education for the development of a lifelong learning society, the advantages of making networks among universities that provide professionals for the adult learning sector. In the case study section, EMUNI President spoke about Adult Learning, Lifelong Learning and Permanent Education in the Euro-Mediterranean. [\[More\]](#)

ETF Project on Entrepreneurial Learning - Experts in Slovenia

Slovenia, 26 - 30 September

As a part of entrepreneurial learning evaluation project EMUNI and Slovenian experts hosted colleagues from Morocco and Tunisia. Dr. Karim Moustaghfir, Al Akhawayn University Ifrane, visited the International School for Social and Business Studies in Celje, discussing opportunities to strengthen entrepreneurial learning with dr. Valerij Dermol, Associate Dean for Research. Sonia Ayachi from the University of Sousse evaluated entrepreneurial learning at the University of Nova Gorica. Dr. Tanja Urbančič, Dean of the School of Engineering and Management, showed her some approaches to entrepreneurial learning at the university. Slovenian experts will visit their Moroccan and Tunisian colleagues to perform the evaluation at their universities. [\[More\]](#)

Conference of ENPI Experts

Amman, Jordan, 2 - 3 October

After a successful Key Experts Meeting in Portorož, Slovenia on 25. 9., the EMUNI conference of Experts for ENPI was launched. Among the speakers were Joseph Mifsud, EMUNI President, Dr Ahmed Masa'deh, Secretary General of the Union for the Mediterranean, Dr. Walid Maani, Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Jordan Mr Abel Piqueras Candela, EC delegation Amman, and Prof. Nehale Fariid Mustapha, Dean, Beirut Arab University, ENPI Project team leader, EMUNI.



The Conference, entitled "Multicultural environment of inter-university cooperation in the framework of the UfM, Support to the Euro-Mediterranean University" was organised in collaboration with the Ministry of Higher Education in Jordan and with a full support of the General Secretariat of the Union for the Mediterranean in Barcelona, represented by the guest of honour, Secretary General, who delivered a keynote speech at the conference. 55 ENPI project Experts from 25 Euro-Mediterranean states contributed to the work of the Conference. Experts dealt with areas related to the subjects identified as priorities of the UfM. [\[More\]](#)

Seminar at the Committee of the Regions

Brussels, Belgium, 6 October

EMUNI was one of the keynote speakers to the seminar organised by the Committee of the Regions. The meeting brought together Luc Van den Brande, President of the CoR CIVEX, David Sweet, DG for Regional Policy, EC, Lambert Van Nistelrooij, EP, Eleni Marianou, Conference of Peripheral&Maritime Regions and Ugo Cappellacci, President of the Region of Sardinia. President of EMUNI focused on "Cooperation with the southern shore of the Mediterranean: a step forward for a Mediterranean Macro-Region." [\[More\]](#)

Euro-Mediterranean Public Management Dialogue

Tunis, Tunisia, 6 - 8 October

EMUNI was a joint partner at the Med 3 Conference. An EMUNI presentation was made at the inauguration of the course, attended by 50 Ph.D. and Postgraduate students from the Mediterranean, academics and experts from 15 Euro-Med countries. Prof. Abdouli Touhami of the University of Sousse and President Joseph Mifsud also took part in a round table. Med 3 was an innovative experience for many young researchers in the Mediterranean in the field of Public Management. [\[More\]](#)

EMUNI "Label" Study Programmes 2010/11

In the Academic Year 2010/11 EMUNI partner universities from **France, Italy and Tunisia** in cooperation with EMUNI University will implement six EMUNI "label" master study programmes:

- **Public Management, speciality: Euro-Mediterranean Management – Sustainable Development**, Paul Cézanne University Aix-Marseille III, France
- **Euro-Mediterranean Master in Culture and Tourism**, University of Bari / Community of Mediterranean Universities, Italy
- **Landscape, Territory and Patrimony**, University of Sousse, Tunisia
- **Environmental Analysis and Management**, University of Palermo, Italy
- **Environmental and Engineering Geology**, University of Urbino, Italy
- **Intercultural Business Communication**, University of Urbino, Italy

The compulsory module Euro-Mediterranean Studies will be delivered at EMUNI University, Portorož - Piran, Slovenia in two terms:

- 1st term: 21 February – 12 March 2011
- 2nd term: 4 – 16 April 2011

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New Webpage of the EMUNI Foundation

The EMUNI Foundation is launching a new website. Visit the Foundation at <http://foundation.emuni.si/>



11th Management International Conference

Social Responsibility and Ethics of Management



MedPri 2010
EMUNI Sessions on the Priorities of the Union for the Mediterranean

Special sessions on the priorities of UfM
24 – 27 Nov, Ankara, Turkey [\[More\]](#)

3rd EMUNI General Assembly
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27 Nov, Ankara, Turkey
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EMUNI Professional School

Power and Dynamics of Civil Resistance
Date and location: 8 – 12 Nov, Portorož, Slovenia

Organizers: EMUNI University in cooperation with the International Center on Nonviolent Conflict (ICNC), USA, the EMUNI Foundation, and the Alliance of Civilizations. [\[More\]](#)

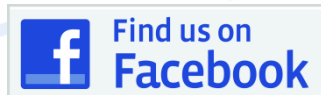
Erasmus Mobility

EMUNI was awarded the **Erasmus Extended University Charter** in 2009. With the aim to enhance the collaboration among partner institutions and contribute to the intercultural dialogue and a multicultural learning environment, EMUNI University is signing bilateral agreements in the Erasmus Lifelong Learning Programme. Higher Education Institutions interested to cooperate in the frame of Erasmus LLP Mobility are invited to send their proposals. Students can participate in Professional school courses or come to Slovenia under Erasmus Student Mobility for placement (internship). [\[More\]](#)

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8 – 12 Nov	Portorož, Slovenia	EMUNI Professional School: Power and Dynamics of Civil Resistance
24 – 27 Nov	Ankara, Turkey	MIC 2010: <i>Social Responsibility and Ethics of Management</i> ; Special Sessions on the Priorities of UfM
25 – 27 Nov	Ankara, Turkey	EMUNI Management Board Meeting EMUNI Senate Meeting
		EMUNI General Assembly EMUNI Student Forum