EDITORIAL

The most substantial stage has come in the implementation of the plans of the KUTEL project, the main purpose of which is to provide educational and applied material for the training of stakeholders. The procedure for providing training material to all interested parties consisted of the following actions of the project partners:

• all teams completed the development of lecture materials, reflective and test questions, presentations of lectures and storyboards of the KUTEL introductory Course;
• the entire training course was translated into English, Kazakh and Russian, in accordance with the requirements of the project and the need to submit all educational material for the trainings in three languages;
• external and internal examinations of training course modules were carried out;
• partners - Kazakhstani universities translated materials of 1, 2 and 3 of the training course modules developed by European partners into Kazakh and Russian.

The preparation of the information platform for recording the training course is carried out by Kazakhstani partners with different degrees of readiness, for example, IITU (Almaty), KUAM (Kokshetau), ZheSU named after Baikonyrov in a solemn ceremony opened KUTEL laboratories, other partner universities continue to work on the acquisition of equipment.

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Having completed the preparation of training materials, the project participants started the next phase in the project - training of module developers on the practical design of the modules by the course authors. On April 14 and 15, virtual training was held for module developers with the participation of representatives of the teams responsible for technical support.

The training was organized by the project coordinators and Partner 2, Burgas Free University on the platform ZOOM(conference) for training audio, video accompaniment of the developed materials. Professor Matteo Martini (UGM - Italy) conducted an online training for technical personnel under the Adobe Presenter program, which is necessary for further work with trainees on the implementation of the KUTEL project.

Now, partner universities are starting to work actively on preparing applied material for the training course: creating audio and video accompaniment of lecture material, completing tasks on control questions and taking part in testing.

NEXT STEPS

According to the schedule presented by the leader of P2 - BFU (Bulgaria), from October 2020, specific training events will have to be held with a specific period. The first training period is planned for the fall of 2020 from October 19, 2020 to December 13 and consists of three modules: External QA - standards and guidelines, IQA and Organizational Culture, Quality Assurance of pedagogical aspects of TEL courses development".

The second training period will take place from January 11, 2021 and will end on February 7. It consists of the following modules: "Technological Aspects and Quality Assurance", "TEL Quality Assessment and Evaluation". The training will end with summarizing and analysis of the results, obtaining certificates of European quality education.