

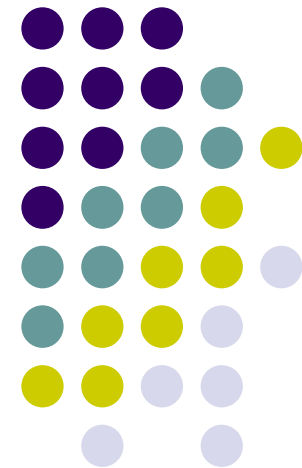
Training and Lifelong Learning Activities at the University of Crete: The UoC Center for Training and LLL (UoC KEDIVIM), at a glance

<https://kedivim.uoc.gr/index.php/en/>



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The UoC Centre for Training and Lifelong Learning (KEDIVIM)

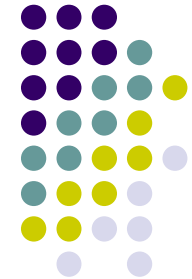


According to the national regulatory framework (Law 4957/2022), the Universities' KEDIVIMs are in charge of all LLL & Training-related programmes and activities in HEIs.

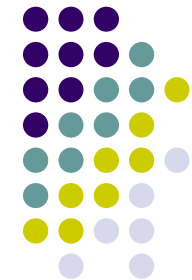
The KEDIVIM of the University of Crete, established in 2018, is an independent Academic Unit that promotes and enhances coordination and interdisciplinary cooperation for the development of continuing education, training, and LLL programmes.

All non-formal education and informal learning activities are implemented and officially certified through KEDIVIM. Continuing education, training, and lifelong learning in general are offered in cooperation with universities or research centers in Greece, as well as institutions recognized as peer institutions abroad. The design, preparation, implementation, and accreditation of the programmes are based on the national and European institutional framework for LLL.

The KEDIVIM had been accredited with ISO 9001 and is expecting accreditation by the Hellenic Authority for Higher Education (HAHE).



The Aim of UoC KEDIVIM



Implement LLL and Training programmes in Greek and other European languages

Aims at:

- ✓ Linking LLL and vocational education and training to modern socio-economic challenges and demands, with **qualitative contribution to increased employability, enhanced mobility, ensuring equal opportunities in the society of knowledge, and strengthening social cohesion.**
- ✓ Integrating, reintegrating, occupational mobility within the labour market, at the national and transnational level.
- ✓ Completing, updating, and upgrading knowledge, competences, and skills acquired in the Higher Education system, the formal vocational education, and the initial vocational training systems.
- ✓ Validating knowledge and certifying informal, non-formal learning acquired through long-term professional experience (**all training & LLL programmes are accredited and correspond to ECTS/ECVET**).
- ✓ Providing specialized and certified knowledge and transversal key competences, through the assessment of learning outcomes fully aligned with the specifications of the occupational profile.
- ✓ Contributing, via the academic staff of the University, to the **promotion of innovation, creativity, competitiveness, and entrepreneurship** of the Greek economy.
- ✓ **Creating partnerships and interdisciplinary collaborations** with domestic or foreign institutions to design and implement education and training programmes.

Teaching Methods and Fees

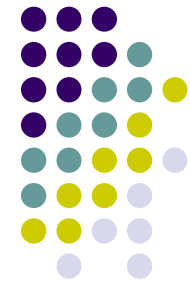


Depending on the content, methodology, and target groups to be addressed, Lifelong Learning Programmes are organized in **three forms**:

- a. **Face-to-face**: training requiring physical presence
- b. **Distance learning (e-learning)**: a combination of modern videoconferencing and asynchronous technologies (web-based environment, training material, etc.), **supported by the KEDIVIM e-Learn platform**
- c. **Blended Learning**: a mixed combination of face-to-face and distance learning

The KEDIVIM trainers include Professors and Researchers of the UoC, as well as other high-level scientists and experts from Greece and abroad.

Studies at the KEDIVIM are **financed by the trainees, public entities (i.e., the Region of Crete, Ministries, European Commission), or the private sector**. It is noted that some LLL Programmes are provided for free (no fees).



Certificates & Micro-credentials



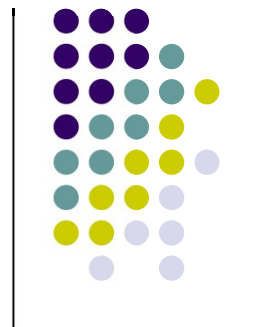
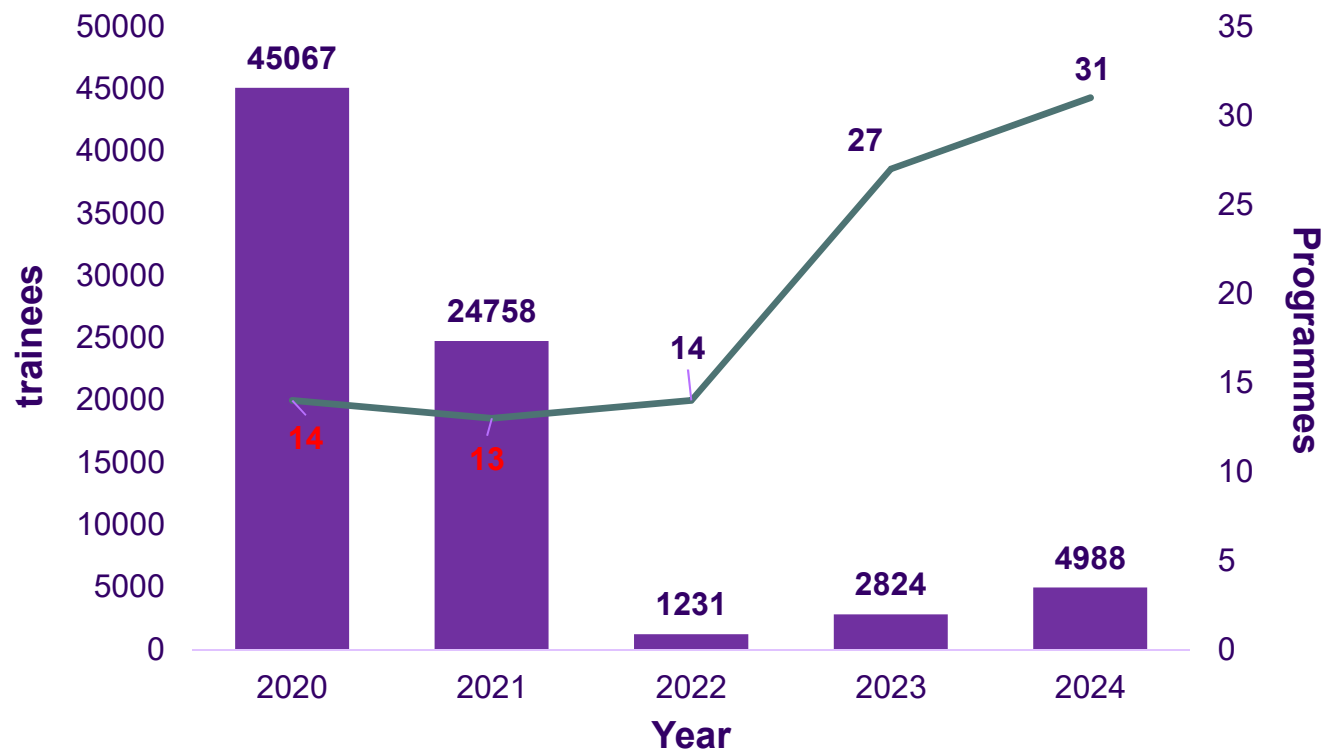
Following the completion of a training programme, **Certificates & Diploma Supplement** are issued for the trainee(s), **explicitly corresponding to ECVET or (mainly) ECTS**, depending on the nature, scope, context, and learning outcomes of the Programme.

Micro-credentials have been considered **in the national regulatory framework for Higher Education (Law 121, A. 121, p.2)**, however, so far, the provision defines micro-credentials as vocational outcomes, within the framework of the learning outcomes, of a Training or LLL Programme. **The UoC is preparing a proposal to the Ministry of Education, aiming at an amendment to establish micro-credentials as *short-term learning experiences*** based on:

- a) The European Commission (2022), *A European approach to micro-credentials*.
<https://education.ec.europa.eu/education-levels/higher-education/micro-credentials>
- b) European MOOC Consortium (2022), *EMC Common Microcredential Framework*.
https://emc.eadtu.eu/images/EMC_Common_Microcredential_Framework_.pdf

Recent LLL and Training programmes

Data at a glance: 2020-2024



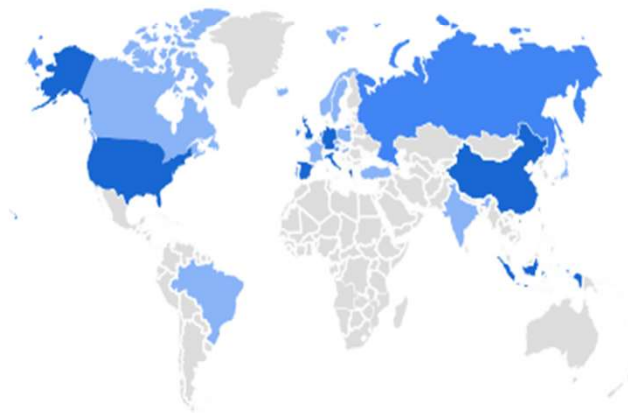
99 accredited Programmes,
78.868 Trainees in 5 years



International visibility of the UoC KEDIVIM



Active users▼ by Country ID▼



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| United States | 11 ↓ 79.2% |
| Germany | 8 ↑ 33.3% |
| Italy | 8 ↑ 300.... |
| Cyprus | 4 ↓ 42.9% |
| Netherlands | 4 ↑ 33.3% |
| Belgium | 3 ↓ 40.0% |

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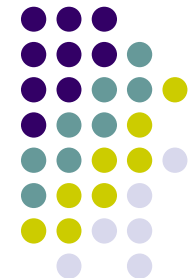
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| Direct | 284 ↓ 64.5% |
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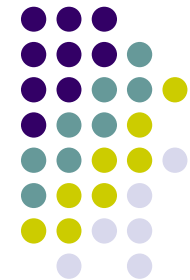
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Some of our LLL & Training Programmes



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| <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Ανάπτυξη οριζώντων δεξιοτήτων (soft skills) στην ψηφιακή εποχή</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>Ανάπτυξη οριζώντων δεξιοτήτων (soft skills) στην ψηφιακή εποχή</p> <p>Επιδοτούμενο πρόγραμμα για ανέργους μέσω ΔΥΠΑ</p> <p>200 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Crete</p> <p>Artificial Intelligence for Humanities and Social Sciences</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>1000 €</p> <p>400 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Εταιρική Υπευθυνότητα και Βιώσιμη Ανάπτυξη (ESG)</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>Επιδοτούμενο πρόγραμμα για εργαζόμενους μέσω ΔΥΠΑ ή αυτοχρηματοδοτούμενο με κόστος 350 €</p> <p>30 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Primary Care Training Hub. Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης για την Πρωτοβάθμια Φροντίδα Υγείας: εκπαίδευση στην αλλαγή της συμπεριφοράς, στην επικοινωνία επαγγελματιών υγείας-ασθενών και στις δεξιότητες συμβουλευτικής.</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>100 €</p> <p>25 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>ΕΚΠΑΙΔΕΥΣΗ ΤΩΝ ΓΥΝΑΙΚΕΣ - ΣΥΜΠΕΡΙΦΟΡΩΣ ΒΕΛΤΙΩΣΕΙΣ</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>2000 € διετές</p> <p>30 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Crete</p> <p>Island of Crete (Heraklio & Rethyma Palace)</p> <p>ICT in Outdoor & Adventure Inclusive Education</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>400 €</p> <p>25 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Ophthalmic Optics, Contact Lenses and Visual Perception: an optometric approach</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>500 €</p> <p>150 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> |
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| <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Φορολογική και Μηχανογραφημένη Λογιστική (Δελτίοσης Οικονομικών Εγγράφων/αποδείξεων) Χρήση Ψηφιακών Χρηματοοικονομικών Υπηρεσιών</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>Επιδοτούμενο πρόγραμμα για ανέργους μέσω ΔΥΠΑ ή αυτοχρηματοδοτούμενο με</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Crete</p> <p>Advanced mini-Fellowship in Refractive Surgery (Module 1/Theoretical)</p> <p>500 €</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Ταχύρρυθμο πρόγραμμα κατάρτισης στο επάγγελμα του/της Ιατρού στο Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>1454 €</p> <p>30 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Ανθρωποκεντρική Τεχνητή Νοημοσύνη στην Εκπαίδευση: Μετασχηματίζοντας τον τρόπο με τον οποίο οδοποιούμε και μαθαίνουμε.</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>25 €</p> <p>100 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>ΣΥΜΒΟΥΛΕΥΤΙΚΗ & COACHING ΣΕ ΕΠΙΧΕΙΡΗΣΕΙΣ ΚΑΙ ΟΡΓΑΝΙΣΜΟΥΣ</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>300 €</p> <p>100 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Academic Writing and Communication</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>300 €</p> <p>80 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> | <p>Κέντρο Επιμόρφωσης και Διά Βίου Μάθησης Πανεπιστήμιο Κρήτης</p> <p>Κατάρτιση του προσωπικού των Κινητών Ομάδων Υγείας (ΚΟΜΥ)</p> <p>ΕΛΛΑΔΑ 2020</p> <p>Ανοικτό/Στεγνό, και, Τμήμα</p> <p>Κατάρτιση του προσωπικού των Κινητών Ομάδων Υγείας (ΚΟΜΥ)</p> <p>250 δίδακτρα/ώρας</p> |

Some of our English Courses



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| <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>11th INTERNATIONAL COURSE "CARE AND USE OF LABORATORY ANIMALS: Mice, Rats, Zebrafish"</p> <p>APRIL - MAY, 2025</p> <p>550€</p> <p>CARE AND USE OF LABORATORY ANIMALS</p> <p>650€</p> <p>400 hours</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>PYTHON PYTHON MACHINE LEARNING</p> <p>Python and Machine Learning</p> <p>500 €</p> <p>400 hours</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>Artificial Intelligence and eCulture Heritage</p> <p>400 €</p> <p>25 hours</p> |
| <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>Mastering Research Writing: A 3-Week e-Minor</p> <p>100 €</p> <p>20 hours March-April 2025 (Registration)</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>EDIT</p> <p>Python and Machine Learning</p> <p>500 €</p> <p>400 hours</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>ICT in Outdoor & Adventure Inclusive Education: Discover Greek History, Arts & Culture</p> <p>400 €</p> <p>35 hours</p> |
| <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>Academic Writing and Communication</p> <p>300 €</p> <p>50 hours</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>Human and Digitalisation: a challenge for transversal citizenship education</p> <p>380 €</p> <p>4 hours/week x 10 weeks</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>LIFE on mARTS: Science through Art</p> <p>Free</p> <p>21 hours</p> |
| <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>Artificial Intelligence, Soft Skills and Creativity in the classroom of 21st century</p> <p>400 €</p> <p>24 hours</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>10th INTERNATIONAL COURSE "CARE AND USE OF LABORATORY ANIMALS" Mice, Rats, Zebrafish</p> <p>APRIL - JUNE, 2024</p> <p>650€</p> <p>CARE AND USE OF LABORATORY ANIMALS</p> <p>650€</p> | <p>Center of Training and Lifelong Learning University of Cyprus</p> <p>9th INTERNATIONAL COURSE "CARE AND USE OF LABORATORY ANIMALS" Mice, Rats, Zebrafish</p> <p>MAY - JUNE, 2023</p> <p>650€</p> <p>CARE AND USE OF LABORATORY ANIMALS</p> <p>650€</p> |
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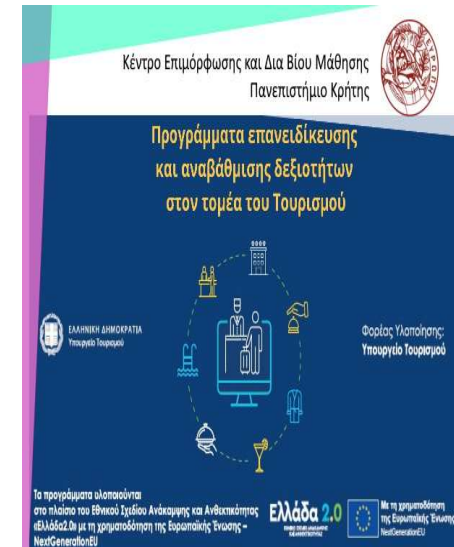
KEDIVIM's Strategic Actions & Initiatives at National Level I



1. Cooperation with the Public Employment Service from 2022 onwards:

Approved and included in the Register of Training Providers of the KEDIVIM of the Greek Universities in the framework “New Strategy for Lifelong Learning & National Skills Upgrading System, Sub2: Horizontal Upskilling/Reskilling Programs to Targeted Populations” and **funding from the EU within the framework of the NextGenerationEU.**

Hence, it actively participates (with several targeted and modularized Training programmes) in the large-scale project "*Skills Upgrading and Retraining Programmes for Employed and Unemployed persons, in all sectors of the economy, with emphasis on Digital and Green Skills, and recently in financial literacy.*"

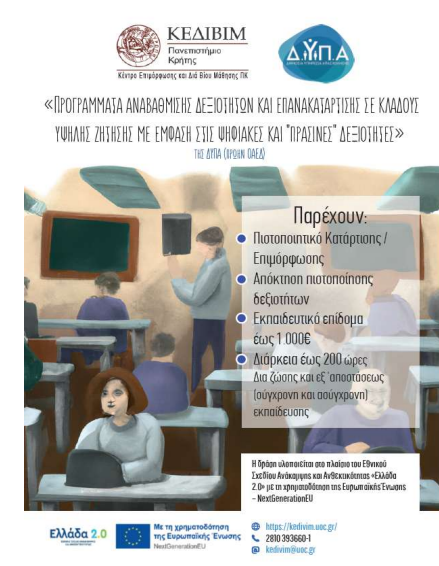


Training programmes are implemented within the Blended Learning.

2. Cooperation with the Ministry of Tourism

KEDIVIM has been approved in the Register of Training Providers of the Ministry of Tourism, for the implementation of training programmes in the action Reskilling/ Upskilling in Tourism. The programme is funded by the EU through the NextGeneration 2.0 Recovery Fund.

Training programmes are implemented within the Blended Learning



KEDIVIM's Strategic Actions & Initiatives at National Level II

3. Cooperation with the Ministry of Health

a) KEDIVIM in collaboration with the Medical School of the University of Crete, designed and implemented the programme "Training of the staff of the Mobile Health Units of the National Public Health Organization- about 900 employees of the Organization (Health Professionals, Administrative Staff & Drivers) were trained.

The training program was implemented by blended method

b) KEDIVIM in collaboration with the Medical School of the University of Crete, will implement, within 2025, in the framework of the "Reform of Primary Health Care" the action "Training Seminars for Personnel of the Ministry of Health" It has also undertaken the development of the appropriate educational material, the implementation and monitoring of the project



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ΔΗΜΟΣΙΑΣ ΥΓΕΙΑΣ



Κατάρτιση του προσωπικού
των Κινητών Ομάδων Υγείας (ΚΟΜΥ)



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Με τη χρηματοδότηση
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NextGenerationEU

KEDIVIM's Strategic Actions & Initiatives with the Region Of Crete



The KEDIVIM has received funding from the **Region of Crete** to implement large-scale training programmes (i.e., Training Programme which connects the Agriculture and Tourism Sectors (501 trainees): <https://agro-tourism-training-roc.uoc.gr/>). The program *has been **recognized and accredited as a best practice-social innovation** in the policy domain “Employment and Training” and integrated in the “Public Administration Innovation Observatory” of the Ministry of the Interior of Greece.*

<https://innovation.gov.gr/innovationscat/certified-training-platform-to-connect-agricultural-and-tourism-sector/>



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KEDIVIM's Strategic Actions & Initiatives at International Level I



1. The *KEDIVIM* in collaboration with the Department of Biology at the University of Crete and the Institute of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology (FORTH, Hellas), with the contribution of experts from the Biomedical Research Foundation of the Academy of Athens, University of Eastern Finland and Radboud University Nijmegen are organizing an international course in the care and use of laboratory animals. The course through modern pedagogical and didactical approaches offer to the participants a thorough understanding of the philosophical concepts and scientific principles in animal welfare and practical skills to conduct research with the use of laboratory animals (mice, rats & zebrafish).



2. The *KEDIVIM* has recently submitted its first, large-scale, Training Project Proposal, jointly with the Medical School of the University of Crete, the University of Barcelona's Faculty of Pharmacy and Food Sciences, and the Pharmaceutical Association of Heraklion, within the framework of the ERASMUS KA 210-ADU call.



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KEDIVIM's Strategic Actions & Initiatives at International Level II



3. Last but not least, the KEDIVIM actively participates in WP 5.4 of *INGENIUM*, the alliance of ten Higher Education Institutions from ten European countries (including the University of Crete), within the frame of the “European University Initiative”, funded by the European Commission (<https://ingenium-university.eu/>).



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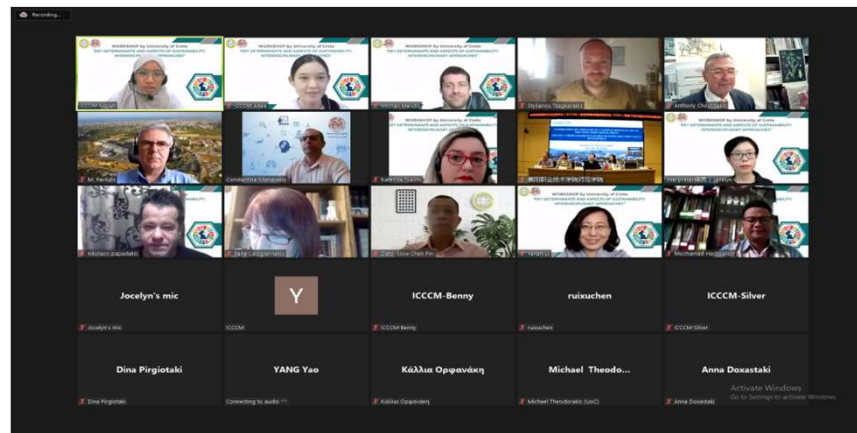
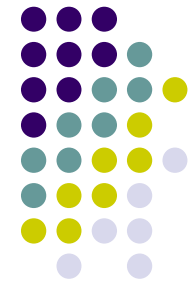
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KEDIBIM's International Workshops I



1st INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP
by the KEDIBIM of the University of Crete, ICCCM
and ITEA “Key determinants and aspects of
Sustainability: Interdisciplinary Approaches”
(May 9, 2023)



The (online) Workshop was organized by UoC KEDIBIM in collaboration with the International Cultural Communication Centre Malaysia (ICCCM) and the International Transnational Education Association (ITEA), with the participation of distinguished speakers from China, Malaysia, USA, UK and Greece.

Speakers who participated in the Workshop: The Vice-Rectors of the University of Crete **Professor Giorgos Kosioris** (President of the UoC KEDIBIM) and **Professor Michail Pavlidis** (President of the Research Committee of UoC), the Director of THE UOC KEDIBIM **Professor Nikos Papadakis**, the Representative of ITEA, Ex-Consul General of Malaysia in China & NSDK Chennai State Assemblyman, **Dr Dato' Siow Chen Pin**, the Deans of Education Institutions of China **Professor Ma Ren Hai** (Xiangyang Polytechnic) and **Professor Yanan Lv** (Suzhou Vocational Institute of Industrial Technology), the Visiting Scholar at the State University of New York, **Dr Ruixu Chen**, the Lecturer at the University of Exeter **Dr Michail Melidis**, the Quality Assurance/ Sustainability Director of Avramar S.A **Dr Leonidas Papaharisis**, and the Professors-Members of the Teaching Staff of the University of Crete, **Professor Anthony Chourdakis**, **Professor Pella Calogiannakis**, **Associate Professor Constantine Manasakis** and **Dr Stelios Tzagkarakis**.

KEDIBIM's International Workshops II



2nd INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP by the KEDIVIM of the University of Crete, on *"LLL, Training and Employment, in Greece and internationally".* (March 10, 2025)



The KEDIVIM of the University of Crete has (recently) organized an *International Workshop, entitled "LLL, Training and Employment, in Greece and internationally"* with the participation of distinguished speakers from CEDEFOP and INGENIUM (Spain, Romania, and Greece).

The Workshop was held on Monday, March 10, 2025, and included eminent speakers: the *Deputy Minister of Education (in charge of LLL & VET) of the Hellenic Republic and MP, Dr Ioanna Lytrivi, the Deputy Minister of the Interior (in charge of HRM & HRD in Public Administration), Mrs Vivi Charalampogianni, the Governor of the Region of Crete, Mr Stavros Arnaoutakis, the Secretary General of the Ministry of Education, Mrs Olga Kafetzopoulou, the Deputy Governor of the Greek Public Employment Service (DYPA), Mrs Ioanna Chormova, the MP and Secretary of the European Affairs Committee of the Hellenic Parliament, Mr Fragkiskos Parasyris, the Head of the Department for VET and Qualifications of the CEDEFOP, Dr Loukas Zahilas, Prof. Iulian B. Ciocoiu, Professor at the Faculty of Electronics, Telecommunications, and Information Technology of the Gheorghe Asachi Technical University of Iasi, Mr Juan Rayón González, Researcher at the University of Oviedo & Strategic Manager of the INGENIUM European University, etc.*

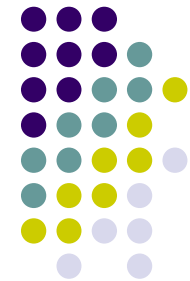
All the presentations are available at: <https://video.ict.uoc.gr/collection/detail/TQpITiUVhOUWWfNFePNlxbJA>

Making the best of our resources: UoC KEDIVIM's future key strategic priorities and prospects



- ✓ **Increase internationalization and sustainable partnerships**, via our existing European network (including the INGENIUM European University), as well as via broadening our international cooperation (including possible collaboration with Brazilian Organizations and the already planned “opening” to India). Within this context, we intend to submit joint international programmes to the ERASMUS+ ADU calls.
- ✓ **Develop joint micro-credentials** with our partners in Greece (i.e., the UoC KEDIVIM is the focal point of all Greek Universities' KEDIVIMs) and abroad (i.e., via bilateral agreements with INGENIUM Universities).
- ✓ **Maintain and increase creative cooperation with a) the Greek Public Service** (DYPA), by designing and providing high-quality, innovative training projects (such as the new one on “Economic and Financial Literacy”), as well as **with b) Ministries, such as the Ministry of Health**
- ✓ **Strengthen human resources development and capacity building by providing evidence-based LLL and Training Programmes**, aiming to enhance professional knowledge, skills, and abilities that create a strategic advantage for growth in key sectors for the Greek Society and Economy. Within this context we already use the research findings (in terms of needs assessment) of the large scale Research Project titled **“Regional Mechanism for the Diagnosis of Labour Market Needs, at the Region of Crete”**, carried out by the Entrepreneurship and Market Research Unit of the University of Crete & the Region of Crete and co-funded by the Framework Programme “Crete 2021-2027” and the European Social Fund (April 1, 2024-December 31, 2027, <https://pmdaae.crete.gov.gr/>), while **we currently cooperate with the Region of Crete, planning a new targeted Training Project, aiming at the enhancement of employability and entrepreneurship of Youth in Vulnerable local Areas.**
- ✓ **Establish a strategic cooperation (via an MoU) with the National Centre of Public Administration and Local Government (EKDDA)**, during the forthcoming academic year, based on ongoing initial discussions.

Building Sustainable Partnerships: The Case of XAMK Training Programmes' Indicative Proposals



1. Arts and humanities

- ☐ *Digital Humanities*
- ☐ *Arts-Based Educational Research – ABER*
- ☐ *Arts, Politics & Power*

2. Administration and Law Engineering & Business Administration:

- ☐ *AI applications in Entrepreneurship & Business Administration*
- ☐ *Human Resource Management and Development (HRD & HRM) in Public Administration*
- ☐ *Digital International Business and Digital Economy*
- ☐ *Corporate Sustainability & Responsibility (CSR)*

3. Health and welfare

- ☐ *Primary Health Care: promoting wellness, preventing disease and disability*
- ☐ *Advanced Functional Soft Materials*
- ☐ *Welfare, Social Policy, and Public Health Policies/ Initiatives*

4. Information and Communication (including Information Technology and Sustainability)

- ☐ *AI and New Forms of Communication*
- ☐ *Traditional/ Conventional & Digital Media and Political Communication*
- ☐ *Sustainable Development within the Digital Era: Economy, Society, and Environment*

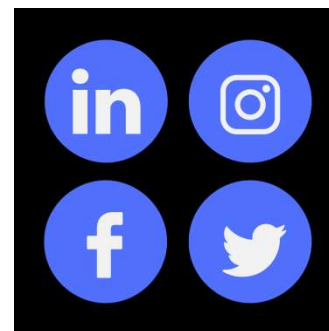


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**Thank you for your
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*Do you have any questions
reflections?*

