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1. Introduction

The main focus of Intellectual Output 5 was bundling and online distributing generated expertise which are now in a publicly accessible knowledge base for the purpose of further dissemination. This includes the pedagogical framework (O1), training material for teachers (O2), learnings from the pilot projects (O4), and some other experience that has been gathered throughout the course of the project.

These resources were made available online via the Nextbook platform, and via other media in function of the type of content (e.g. YouTube for videos). The resources are open and can be uploaded elsewhere as well (e.g. into the LMS of a partner institution).

2. Division of work

University of Maribor (Univerza v Mariboru) took the lead in developing the materials in O5. As the community-based website and the online co-creation platform play a pivotal role in the integration of various intellectual outputs.

Nextbook worked in close collaboration with the lead partners for each of these outputs. Hence the collaboration structure evolved over the course of the project. They were responsible for hosting the outputs on the project website.

Each project partner was responsible for the translation into their own language.

Each organisation was responsible for reaching out to local educators to gauge their initial feedback to the online resources, in order to evaluate whether and where the materials could be improved prior to finalising this intellectual output.

3. Project website

The website cic.um.si was prepared for the needs of IO5 and entire project. It was developed and is hosted by the University of Maribor. The website is developed in the Wordpress framework, as the well-known visual interface facilitates the cooperation of various partners. The website contains a homepage with important news, a presentation of the project (About the project) and some related pages: Quality of the project, Intellectual outputs (with translations in English, Portuguese, Dutch and Slovenian) and Case studies. Event and venue information, travel info and accommodation are also available for some of locations where we had meetings. A list of all partners is available with links to the official pages of individual institutions.

It is important to point out that there is also a dissemination page available, where various contributions and related slides are published. There are currently 13 units posted and more will be available during the preparation of the final report:

- Matt Smith, Tinne De Laet, Ana Barata: Learning analytics for co-creation and interactive courseware
- Howard Scott: Design thinking around teaching and technology
- Ana Margarida Barata: Pedagogical Framework Proposal for Co-creation
- Tinne De Laet: Interactive courseware to support blended learning
- Tinne De Laet: Using interactive courseware to support flipped teaching
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- Matt Smith: Co-created Courseware Project – Nextbook
- Tatjana Welzer Družovec, Luka Hrgarek, Lili Nemec Zlatolas: Soustvarjanje pri učenju in poučevanju
- Tinne De Laet, Bart Lens, Matthew Smith: The quest for meaningful learning analytics for co-creation platforms
- Tinne De Laet: A plea for connecting discussion and questions to the course material
- Tatjana Welzer Družovec, Lili Nemec Zlatolas, Luka Hrgarek: Technologies in Pandemic Situation: Support or a Barrier
- Matt Smith, Howard Scott, Tinne De Laet: Interactive courseware to connect discussion to course material: so what?
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Last but not least, among the most important elements of the page is the subpage with video instructions for using the Nextbook platform. Three video chapters are currently published: Introduction, Annotations and Publishing & Giving access.

We expect that according to the availability of documents for better visibility some structural changes could be introduced, what means that the Web page is always up to date and that we are flexible according to the partner needs and expectations.

The current website structure looks like this:

- Home (news)
- Nextbook platform (video instructions)
- Project partners
- Dissemination
- Events
 - Meeting Venue Maribor
 - Travel info
 - Accommodation
- Project
 - About the project
 - Quality of the project
 - Intellectual outputs with translations
 - Case studies

The website is also linked to the project's Twitter account, which allows visitors to see the latest tweets directly.