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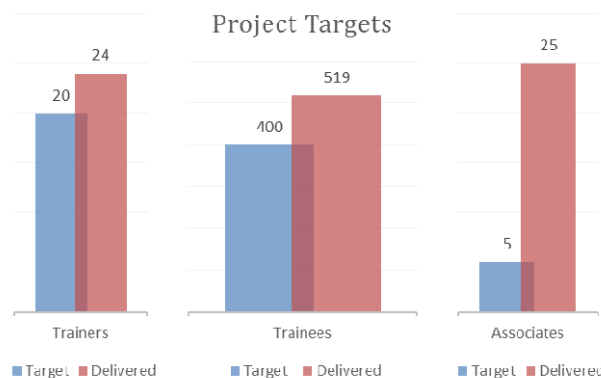
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Highly Successful Project to Improve Sustainable Construction Reaches a Conclusion

With the project coming to completion by the end of this month, the partners have successfully achieved the targets stated at the outset. The Promoter of the project (WLC Ltd) has trained a team of 27 trainers which more than 35% increase of the original target.



In the last year and half these trainers have successfully trained a total of 519 again more than 30% increase on the original target. The project has attracted over 25 associates from wider key stakeholders who are interested in raising the awareness of the sustainable construction, as shown in the figure below. The team has examined the level of knowledge of trainees

before and after attending the training modules, the results have shown an average increase of almost 50%.

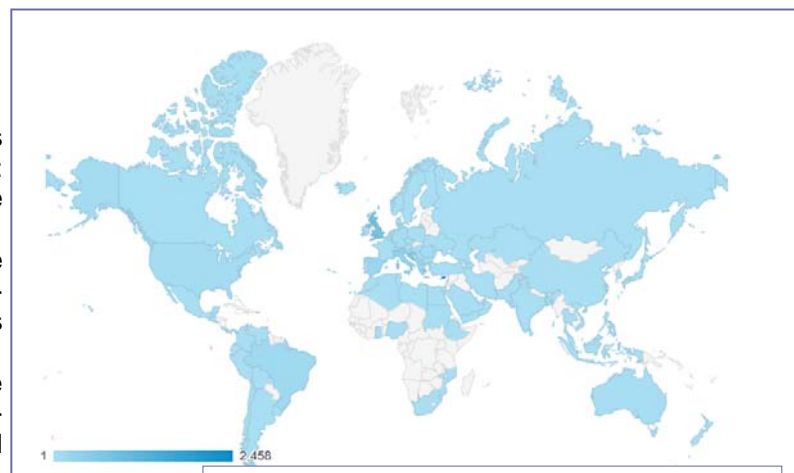
Global Reach of the Project & Project Sustainability

The project has attracted a great dissemination through its website. The map displays the truly global reach of the project: as of September 2014, visits to the WhLMSC website have originated from almost 100 different countries.

To guarantee the project's sustainability, all partners have agreed to continue using the results of project beyond the completion date. They have already been in contact with various organisations across the partner countries.

Notably, ForSAS have entered into an agreement with the local office of the National Architects' Association for the accreditation of the course and provision of training for a small fee.

PPP Centar are also continuing their efforts for the creation of a sustainability assessment method, in conjunction with the Croatian Science Foundation.



Global breakdown of website visits' origin

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Final Face-to-Face Meeting

28th August 2014 – Dundee, UK

The final project meeting took place in the offices of WLC Ltd in Dundee, and the focus of the conversation was on the future sustainability of the project and opportunities for exploitation.

The External Evaluator was also present and provided his evaluation of the project's successes.



The following representatives from each organisation attended the meeting:

Whole Life Consultants

Prof. Malcolm Horner
Dr Mohamed El-Haram
Dr Doug Forbes
Mr Matt Paraskevopoulos

PPP Centar

Dr Sasa Marenjak
Dr Tereza Marenjak

Frederick University

Dr Christos Anastasiou (via GoToMeeting)

DOCTUM

Ms Laura Lopez

ForSAS

Mr Daniele Garulla

External Evaluator

Dr Ian Ball

Following the meeting, the partners had dinner together in the town of St Andrews, to celebrate the successful conclusion of the project.



The Project's "Swan Song" (prominent activities completed)

Italy

January - May, 2014 Train-the-Trainee Events

For SAS organized a training session in June 2014 and specifically designed to meet the accreditation criteria of Italian National Architects Association. The entire session was built on the basis of previous training experiences on local context but, above all, in the light of a future exploitation process, it was accredited by National Architects 'Association. This session was in fact seen as final general rehearsal for offering the courses and its knowledge on a commercial basis after the co-financed period.



The accreditation process started in January 2014 with an official requirement for accreditation, accepted, after some modifications, in May 2014 by local office of National Architects 'Association. The accreditation required some small changes in comparison with previous training modules provided in Italy for Wlsmc project. First of all, an extended focus on software was required, with the consequence of extending the theory behind software (including other software available on the market) and creating a practicing lesson of 4 hours. Moreover, a final comprehension test was required in order to validate the transferred knowledge and the credits linked to the whole session

The average attendance was always above 40 participants. The architects were reached with the support of Polo Ligure per il Risparmio Energetico (<http://poloefficienzaenergetica.blogspot.it/>), a network of enterprises, VET providers and Universities promoting sustainability in terms of energy at local level, in which For SAS is one of the members. The registration process was closed in just one day and half after reaching more than 65 manifestations of interest from architects willing to take part in the training.



Croatia

September, 2014 Conference Participation



Our own Professor Malcom Horner participated in the [Conference "Planning, Organizing and Implementing Capital Investment Projects in Local Government"](#), which was held on September 22-24 in Šibenik, Croatia. Prof. Horner participated in the section of "Environment and Energy Efficiency" where he had the opportunity to talk about the final results of the WhLMSC project and sustainable building management, addressing an audience that included participants from the Center for Local Economic Development, one of the Croatian project partner associates, hence strengthening the project's results-exploitation and sustainability.



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Web Resources:

- A project **website** was created and is available under the following URL
<http://www.whole-life-construction.eu>

The website aims to provide access to news, updates and current events to the development of the WhLMSC project material and activities, and will thus be updated regularly during the project duration.

- **E-learning (Moodle) platform:** <http://whlmsc.wlcuk.com/>
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