

# Minutes of the Meeting in COST Action CA16123 SACURIMA Workshop

## Safety Culture and Risk Management in Agriculture Workshop, Antalaya March 8, 2018

Attended the meeting the following 15 participants:

#### **COST** members:

Claudio Colosio, Italy; Natasa Janev Holcer, Croatia; Jovanka Karadzinska-Bislimovska, fYR Macedonia; Jarkko Leppala, Finland; Diana Lupulovic, Serbia; Federica Masci, Italy; Eda Merisalu, Estonia; Nurka Pranjic, Bosnia and Herzegovina; Gediminas Vasiliauskas, Lithuania; Laura Girdziute, Lithuania; Gert Van Der Laan, Netherlands; Sandija Zeverte-Rivza, Latvia.

#### From Turkey:

Dr. Buhara Önal, Prof. Zeynep Simsek, MD Ahmet Özlu, Turkey

Jarkko presented the agenda of the meeting which was approved by the participants

Main aspects of the meeting has been the evaluation of the progresses of the WG activities.

• Working Groups reports:

Working Group 3: Laura Leader WG 3 reports about the activities they have done. Jovanka asked to join group 3 instead of Group 4.

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Working Group 4: Claudio Colosio reported on the WG 4 activities they have done. The preparation of the papers is running.

Working Group 2: Diana proposes to lead the preparation of a paper about "Emerging Diseases in agriculture". Colosio proposes to involve in the preparation of the paper all the medical doctors of the consortium and to focus not only on infectious diseases. Suggestions: systematic literature review.

### **Suggestions:**

Diana underlined the importance to have people who better organize the activities inside the WGs.

Jarkko proposes to give all the materials of the WGs report to the WG 5 leader in order to promote dissemination of these activities.

Jovanka gives suggestions about the dissemination management: we need to produce papers that will be published on the Website. It is necessary to share by social media the materials. It is important to have one position paper.

When WG leaders start the meeting they are supposed to collect information about who is participating and who does what. Jarkko will discuss about this aspect in the WG meeting in Dublin.

Claudio proposes the leaders of the WGs to give periodical report to Anne Marie and Risto, who are supposed to monitor the dissemination activities of each WG and eventually make a wake up call.

Also, he informs that it is also required to the group to prepare a book or special issue about the Consortium activities. So the proposal is to collect all the documents we produce in order to be on time when Brussel will ask us to prepare a book (if Brussels will ask). Jarkko confirms there are founding for publication.

Jovanka says there should be a balance among groups, every group has to be able to produce documents. Jovanka says that the coordinator has to take care of this aspect.

Everyone suggest there should be a better communication among the WG members.

Jarkko is preparing a paper about safety culture in agriculture and he proposes Federica and Claudio to join the preparation of the article with EUROSTAT data. Federica and Claudio agreed, Jarkko will send them detailed information on the Eurostat information needed and the deadline for delivery.

Jarkko says they made application to get funding about animal and risks. If they don t succeed with the application they will continue collaboration perhaps in other call. (WG 2)

Claudio proposes someone to have a look of the application Martina Jacob suggested. The deadline is in 1 year. Not all the partners of the consortium can join but only the ones interested at the topic.

Claudio proposes MC meetings should be every time followed by public event (better if they are organized in the frame of a Congress as happened for Antalya). This public event should focus on a specific different topic.

Concerning the MC scheduled for March 2019. The Italian delegations propose the dates from 20 to 22 March 2019. Possible agenda will be: on March 20<sup>th</sup> Core Group, on March



21th WG meetings and a Public Event, on March 22th is the MC meeting. All the activities end at 2 PM of Friday.

Federica will propose the agenda in Dublin.

Diana proposed the September 2019 could be organized the MC meeting in Serbia, Novi Sad. They are organizing same time an international conference, which the MC meeting participant could join and have a presentation. All the participants thought that the proposal was good, but Jarkko reminded that the MC will make decisions about this.

#### • Founding and collaborations

Jarkko asks each participant to talk about the ongoing national and international project in each institution part of the consortium.

Finland: Jarkko provided an example of the interreg application process related to Baltic Sea Region project.

Italy: Claudio shared the experience with STSM with the Leibniz Institute and the collaboration with Turkey on a project related to pesticides risk assessment. Claudio says his institution is interested in being partner of an Horizon2020 Application.

Latvia (I lost) but I attach the materials they sent me.

Lituania: They have an ongoing Horizon2020 project about forestry machinery safety.

Turkey: They have some project at national level about risk management and health surveillance.

Croatia: National project about education of children in rural areas. Natasha is willing to search for a Joint Research Action we can apply and wil send an email to Jarkko with more details.

Bosnia: no project but some project plans are coming.

Macedonia: National project about work ability of agricultural workers, relationship between occupational health physicians and primary health care practitioners.

Jovanka underlines the importance of focusing our studies and researches on suicides in agricultural workers. Claudio talks about the activities guided by prof. Coco in this field (in Italy). Gert proposes to make an inventory of what is already known in each country about this topic.

Claudio, as STSM manager reminds the need to have the form about STSM fulfilled by each member of the consortium in order to better organize the activities. Federica also suggest to have a specific column related to the ongoing project in each member group country. Natasha is going to prepare a similar form for the ICT members who know possible candidates for ITC grants.

There is a common willingness of preparing an abstract about SACURIMA to be sent to ICOH Congress, at the end of April. Gert takes the task to prepare the content and send it to John Mc Namara who will present the poster in Dublin net April.



There will be two STSM to Milano Institution about Glyphosate study from Serbia but with different tasks.

So far 40000 euros is the estimated costs in Ireland MC Meeting, but still there might be funds left after MC meeting.

Jarkko takes the task to have a look of the ERDF application and Diana promised to check ESF calls.