

PRESENTATION OF REGINET IN BRUSSELS

Call for REGⁱⁿNET speakers

Based on the Technical Annex of the REGinNET project we are obliged to organize one more meeting with IGLO network (www.iglortd.org) in Brussels. The aim of the meeting is to introduce the project and its outputs to interested representatives of national liaison offices and other interested regional representatives acting in Brussels.

Apart from the RCP Guide we should be able to present other outputs of the project such as regional presentations, possible partner search profiles or interesting FP6 projects that were developed under the Reginnet support. The idea of the event is therefore not only to present Reginnet and its activities but also to give opportunities to REGinNET regions to promote themselves in Brussels.

That is why we would like to ask all our project partners who would be interested in presenting its region (or interesting regional RTD projects) during the event to contact the project coordinator Katarzyna Banyś by the end of January 2006. To assure interesting and balanced program of the presentation it could be really great to present at least one region from every new member state or ACC participating in REGinNET consortium.

The event is going to be organized in cooperation with Czech and Polish Liaison Offices in Brussels. Proposed date of the event is 30th May 2006 (the term was selected according to the currently available Brussels's calendar of events).

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“THE IMPACT OF THE EU TRADE MARK AND INDUSTRIAL DESIGN UPON THE NATIONAL TRADE MARK”

Timisoara Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture in cooperation with OSIM – Romanian State Office for Inventions and Trade Marks organized the workshop entitled “The impact of the EU trade mark and industrial design upon the national mark”.

The workshop was held in November 2005, 15th –16th, at the Regional Business Center in Timisoara, and more than 60 participants representing companies, business organizations, intellectual property protection counsellors, research institutes, universities and even law offices attended.

The issues approached by the speakers were directly connected to the free circulation of Romanian products on the enlarged European Market. The presentations held during the event included theoretical aspects, practical examples and case studies regarding the access and benefits of the EU trade marks.

Mr. Imre GONDA, Director within the Hungarian Patent Office, presented the practical aspects of the intellectual property protection that Hungary faced before and after joining the EU, what issues Romania can expect to be confronted with beginning 2007.

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EUROPEAN TRADEMARK FEES DROPPING ON 22 OCTOBER 2005!

The European Commission has decided to reduce the Community trademark registration fees payable to the OHIM, which is the Community agency responsible for granting EU-wide trademark rights.

The European Commission adopted [Regulation 1687/2005](#) on 14 October 2005 amending Regulation 2869/95 on the fees payable to the OHIM. This measure - unprecedented in the EU and endorsed by Member States - will make intellectual property protection cheaper for businesses operating in the EU single market, saving them between €37 and €40 million a year.

The reductions include:

- a lowering of the Community trade mark (CTM) application fee from € 975 to € 900
- a lowering of the CTM registration fee from € 1100 to € 850
- a lowering of the fee for renewing the registration of a CTM from € 2500 to € 1500

Even greater reductions (special discount of €150) are available to those who file their applications or renewal requests via the Internet using OHIM's state-of-the-art e-filing technology. The fee reduction will enter into force **on 22 October 2005**. This will allow the companies who filed their Community trade mark applications in 1996 to renew their registration for a further period of ten years already at the reduced cost.

For further information, please consult the following page:

http://europa.eu.int/comm/internal_market/en/indprop/tm/index.htm

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<http://www.ideal-ist.net/>



<http://fp6.cordis.lu/fp6/partners.cfm> <http://www.managenergy.net/submenu/SPs.htm>



TECHNOLOGY OFFERS FROM TURKEY, IRC-EGE

Treatment of olive mill wastewater by physicochemical and advanced oxidation methods (Open)

A Turkish SME has developed an innovative treatment system for olive mill wastewater (OMWW). In this process, olive mill wastewater is treated by physical, chemical and advanced oxidation treatment methods. BOD5 (Biological Oxygen Demand for 5 days), COD (Chemical Oxygen Demand), oil-grease, phenolic compounds and SS (Suspended Solids) can be removed by 95 - 100%. The company is looking for a license agreement or commercial agreement with technical assistance.

Development and Manufacturing of a newly designed Rotational Dobby Mechanism for Weaving Machine (Open)

A Turkish university has developed a new Rotational Dobby Mechanism for weaving machines. The new dobbie mechanism has been designed to manage high-speed motion without entailing a high level of working noise and also high production costs. The company is seeking for a technical co-operation agreement. Partner(s) should be involved in machine manufacturing and research; preferably in textile machinery.

Air Jet Textured Yarn (ATY) (Open)

A Turkish SME is seeking a partner to produce Air Jet Textured Yarn (ATY) in Turkey. The company is the Turkish leading supplier of solution & package dyed filament yarns. ATY is used in the following areas such as upholstery, apparels, automotive sector and industrial yarns. ATY can offer an entirely different look and feel to any fabric. The company is seeking a joint venture agreement.

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TECHNOLOGY OFFERS FROM POLAND

Computer Controlled Hydraulic Simulator of the Circulatory System.

The main aim of this project is to create the test circulatory system for research in cardiovascular engineering. The system consists of two elements.

The first and main element of this system is the Computer Controlled Hydraulic Simulator of the Circulatory System. This system helps us to evaluate the hemodynamic parameters of the Ventricular Assists Devices and Total Artificial Hearts. This system let us set some experiments in simulating of physiological and a pathological states of human circulatory system.

Second element is a kind of test device to evaluate hemodynamic parameters of single device like VAD, TAH or heart valves.

This system is support by computers and especially design software to service and monitor the parameters.

Problems to be solved and results:

- design, construct the system described above. In the future we could bring about simulations of the human circulatory system and construct better artificial organs in this way. This system help us and many people from different university environments to better cooperate on the common field of bioengineering.

Wroclaw Medical Academy Department of Cardiology

Evaluation of right ventricular function in patients with diabetes mellitus without coronary artery disease using strain/strain rate method being a continuation of previous researches.

Estimation of regional right ventricular function in patients with pulmonary hypertension subsequently to pulmonary embolism, lung diseases and left heart disorders using strain/strain rate method.

Evaluation of regional left and right ventricular function in patients with anorexia nervosa, polycystic ovarian syndrome and insulin resistance with tissue Doppler imaging including strain/strain rate.

Influence of primary angioplasty on left and right ventricular function in patients with acute coronary syndromes considering prognosis and left ventricular remodelling.

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