

European
Dimension in
Qualifications for
the Tourist Sector
at the IKSU

EurDiQ

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To strengthen
the European dimension
in qualifications of the
tourist sector to enhance
employability of graduates
**in the field of tourism in
Russia and Kyrgyzstan.**



Specific project objectives

1

To harmonize qualifications and competences in the tourist sector

in the Programme and Partner Countries on the basis of learning outcomes, occupational standards and sectoral qualification framework (SQF).

2

To improve qualification of the teaching staff

of PCIs, involved in developing and implementing new curriculum, based on OS and SQF

Specific project objectives

3

To design a pilot curriculum in tourism for the 7th qualification level (Masters' degree) based on OS, SQF and learning outcomes

4

To establish quality control and monitoring procedures at PCIs and enhance quality, relevance and convergence with EU initiatives

Specific project objectives

5

To disseminate project outcomes
and best practices
in higher education sector
of Russia and Kyrgyzstan
and to enhance networking
among HEIs and professional
associations across Program and
Partner Countries

6

To ensure effective and efficient
project and programme
management



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IKSU project team developed

Order#01-91 28.06.16

Sagyntay kyzy Elvira – project coordinator

Kermaliev Rakhat – Associate professor of Tourism Department, researcher/teacher

Kuchukova Alvina – Head of the Tourism Department

Borubaeva Irina – Teacher of the Tourism Department

Abytaeva Umut – Teacher of the Tourism Department

**International academic forum
Kick-off meeting
January 14 -15, 2016**

**Venue: Riga, Baltic International
Academy**

IKSU did not participate, because of the
visa issue

IKSU was nominated to Consortium
Council of the project (Sagyntay kyzy
Elvira)



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Schwerin seminar 9.03.2016 – 14.03.2016
**Venue: University of Applied Sciences, Swerin,
Germany**

IKSU participants: Abdyldaev Kurmanbek
Sagyntay kyzy Elvira

Lessons learnt:

- Discussions on professional practical trainings for students of tourism department in Germany;
- Dissemination activities to Academic Council on experience of Tourism teaching in Germany
- Development of the list of potential associate partners to dissemination and collaboration
- Analyze of current curriculum on tourism (BA)



Schwerin seminar 10.03-14.03.2016



**Saint-Petersburg seminar.
Methodology of OS and QF development.**

23 May – 25 May 2016

**Venue: Saint-Petersburg State University of Economics,
Russia**

IKSU participants: Sagyntay kyzy Elvira
Abdyldaev Kurmanbek
Kermaliev Rakhat

Lessons learnt:

- Methodology of OS and QF learnt and disseminated to Tourism Department
- Analyze of Professional standards and learning outcomes to current curriculum
- Analyze of European QF, German QF in tourism sector
- Dissemination activities provided to Tourism Department staff
- Discussions on joint scientific research, academic mobility and agreement signing between universities



Saint-Petersburg 23-25 May 2016



Sochi seminar
Methodology of OS and QF development. Part 2
15, September – 17, September 2016
Venue: Sochi State University, Russia

IKSU participants: Sagyntay kyzy Elvira
Abdyldaev Kurmanbek

Lessons learnt:

- Methodology of OS and QF learnt and disseminated to Tourism Department
- Analyze of experience in QF development in tourism sector: Russia, Kyrgyzstan, Cyprus
- Analyze of Professional competences in Tourism field
- Dissemination activities provided to Tourism Department staff
- Discussions on joint scientific research, academic mobility and agreement signing between universities



Sochi, 15-17, September 2016



London seminar
Methodology of OS and QF development. Part 3
21, November – 23, September 2016
Venue: London Metropolitan University, UK

IKSU participants: Sagyntay kyzy Elvira
Abdyldaev Kurmanbek
Kuchukova Alvina

Lessons learnt:

- Overview of UK experience in Professional Standards development
- Analyze of experience in OS development in tourism sector: United Kingdom
- Analyze of Quality assurance and Strategy of Tourism development in Kyrgyzstan
- Meeting with Tourism industry representatives in Karakol
- Dissemination activities provided to Tourism Department staff
- Discussions on joint scientific research, academic mobility and agreement signing between universities



London, 21-23, November 2016



ROUND TABLE

“Quality assurance issues in tourism field: European experience and new tendencies”

6.12.16

Venue: Issykkul State University, Karakol, Kyrgyzstan

Number of participants: 27

Expert from London Metropolitan University – Pat Gray

Lessons learnt:

- UK experience on evaluation and assessment of courses, teaching materials and teaching
- International experience in Quality assurance
- Meeting with Tourism Department staff, consulting on tourism teaching
- Visit to tourism enterprises and destinations in Issykkul area



Karakol, 6, December 2016





PLANS TO DO:

- IKSU project team will work on development SQF
- Tourism Department will develop Learning Outcomes on current curriculum (BA) in tourism
- IKSU will organize round table with tourism industry representatives
- IKSU re-trained team will organize trainings to staff from Tourism Department
- February, 2017, IKSU will organize meeting with experts from Russia and Latvia to identify needs and provide lectures to tourism entrepreneurs
- July, 2017, IKSU will host project consortium

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