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Fourth SEE Digi.TV meeting in Gorizia, 17-18 November 2011

Gorizia - Shortly before the end of the second reporting period, the project partners of the SEE Digi.TV project met in Gorizia, at the invitation of the Italian partner Informest, to discuss the progress made in the second period of the project, more precisely during October and November 2011, and to plan in detail the forthcoming activities in the next months.

The second period and the last two months were very important for the course of the project since many documents were under elaboration or finalisation. As there are currently on-going activities in each work package (legal, economic, technical and public awareness framework, as well as in the accompanying communication activities), many details related to the documents in preparation and those that were essential for planning of the next activities needed to be clarified and fixed.

Most attention was devoted to the analyses and guidelines prepared within the legal, technical and economic work packages, that are expected to be finalised around end of 2011 and beginning of 2012. In all of these areas there will be developed an analysis of the current situation as well as regional guidelines on how to improve the current situation. The documents elaborated under the public awareness and consumer education related activities that also started in this period are expected to be available during the first half of 2012.

Despite the delay in the start of the project, the partners identified a significant progress and committed themselves to maintain and even increase the pace of activity. Some steps forward were observed also in relation to the status of the IPA partners, although partners from Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, and Serbia have not being able to benefit from the IPA funds yet.

The first project deliverables will be available for downloading on the project's website from 30 November 2011. The consortium of partners decided that the results of the SEE Digi.TV project will be presented also in the context of the first international conference within the project to be held in April 2012 in Trieste.

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