





Joint Activity PRGeo Working group on Public Relations for geothermal energy

Coordination: Hungary

Germany





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Why?

WP2 identified the topics "PR & Data" and "Public & education":

- PR & Data :
 - Dissemination
 - Acceptance
 - Reporting code/statistics

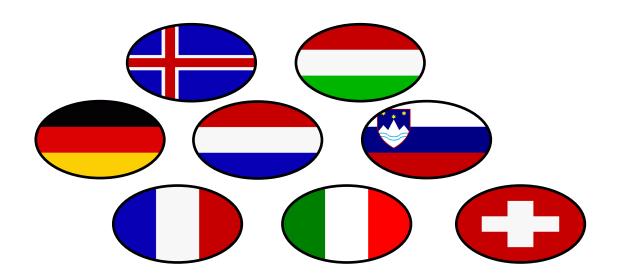
- Public & education :
 - > Public acceptance
 - Visibility & dissemination
 - Education and training





Why?

Mentioned by:



- Therefore: Knowledge exchange on PR & Data can help:
 - Project owners to adapt new ideas
 - > To summarize the successful approaches in a best-practice recommendation
 - To use knowledge for fostering the social acceptance of all geothermal energy technologies in Europe





Why?: Example Germany

Examples of citizen initiatives against Geothermal projects:

Landau
Meiningen
Freckenfeld
Westthüringen
Duttweiler
Garching







What?

First step:

- Organization of a workshop on PR concepts for geothermal energy installations in Europe (with invited experts), where best case studies and best practices, in terms of communication fostering social acceptance of geothermal energy will be presented. On the other hand (partial) failures, negative impacts of geothermal projects have never been highlighted, although many lessons could be learned from their objective analyses without putting a shade on geothermal energy utilization. The workshop also aims to present some of these case studies.
- Publication of workshop proceedings.



Second step:

- Based on the workshop results: Identification of an expert working group to summarize the main outcomes
- Publication of recommendations.





What?

- Estimated budget:
 - > 5.000 € for the workshop, the expert working group and publication.
- Estimated workload:
 - 1 PM for coordinating country Hungary
 - 0,5 PM for coordinating country Germany
 - > 0,25-0,5 PM for each participating country



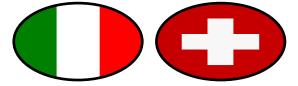


Who?

Coordination:



Participation:







When?

	04/15	05/15	06/15	07/15	08/15	09/15	10/15	11/15	12/15	01/16	02/16	03/16	04/16
Kick-Off Meeting	Х												
Workshop						Χ							
Publication of recommendations									X				

> Duration at least 13 month,





Thank you for your attention and...What do you think?