



Interdisciplinary Cyber Training

web site: <https://www.incyproject.eu/>

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The two-year **Erasmus+ project InCyT** (Interdisciplinary Cyber Training) is coordinated by IAT/Westfälische Hochschule Gelsenkirchen, Germany and has as partners Paydas Egitim Kultur VE Sanat Dernegi, Zonguldak, Turkey, SC IPA SA CIFATT Craiova, Romania, European Training Center Copenhagen, Copenhagen, Denmark, MAG – UNINETTUNO S.R.L., Rome, Italy, Politechnika Rzeszowska (PRz), Rzeszów, Poland and Fachhochschule St. Pölten, Pölten, Austria.

It is about Cybersecurity for small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) and how to avoid cyber-attacks.

- First, a cybersecurity competency framework has been developed that can be used in vocational training and in companies.
- Digitally supported interdisciplinary learning programs and mentoring for SME managers and employees are in the development,
- An adapted version for vocational training (VET) and a European transferability model will also be developed and tested.

During the **InCyT project** period:

- The competency framework developed by the EU project partners will be continuously updated, taking into account the special features of SMEs in the partner countries and European legislation. It aims to serve as a platform for supply and demand for cybersecurity skills and competences.
- The focus will be on the practicability of such an approach. Particular attention is paid to creating broad acceptance by SME employees, managers and cyber consultants and to implementing the project successfully in the partner countries.
- Furthermore, companies and vocational training institutions will be supported in analyzing the current situation and the necessary qualifications in order to take appropriate measures within the organizations and training programs.

From the beginning of the **InCyT project** information have been disseminated to SMEs throughout Europe and particularly companies from project partner countries have been encouraged to developed networks to allow them to collaborate to avoid cyber-attacks.

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Project Title: **Interdisciplinary Cyber Training**
Project Acronym: **InCyT**
Field: Vocational Education and Training
Project Start Date: 01.11.2021
Project total duration: 24 Months
Project End Date: 01.11.2023

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The aim of the two-year Erasmus+ project Interdisciplinary Cyber Training (InCyT) is first to develop a cybersecurity competency framework that companies can use to describe and improve competencies and skills in order to develop a company's Cyber security strategy and avoid cyber-attacks and VET to improve their education plans.

Furthermore, digitally supported interdisciplinary learning programs and a mentoring one for SMEs employees, a digital platform for learning and cooperation for them, an adapted version for VET and a European transferability model will be developed and tested.

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Web-site of the project (see picture) presents the activities of InCyT project.

The project has been presented at international events like 16th annual International Technology, Education and Development Conference INTED2022, Valencia, Spain and Thessaloniki, Greece (see picture).



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27 JUNE-1 JULY 2022, THESSALONIKI, GREECE
VENUE: GRAND PALACE HOTEL



The annual congress of EAEC, Erasmus Congress and Exhibition 2022 Thessaloniki, Greece.

Examples of national presentations are the followings

An example of dissemination in Romania:

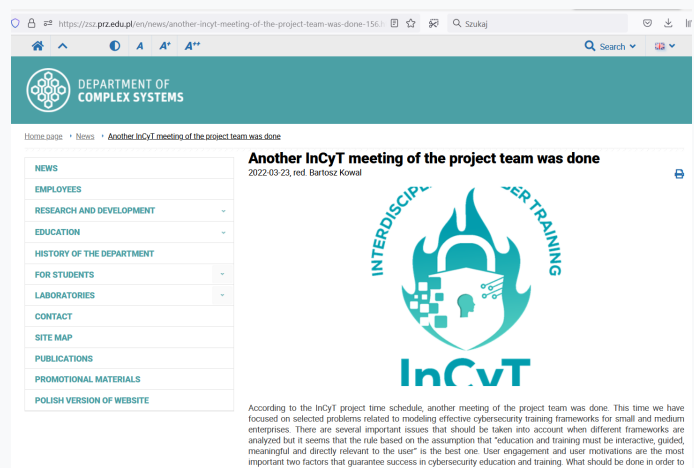
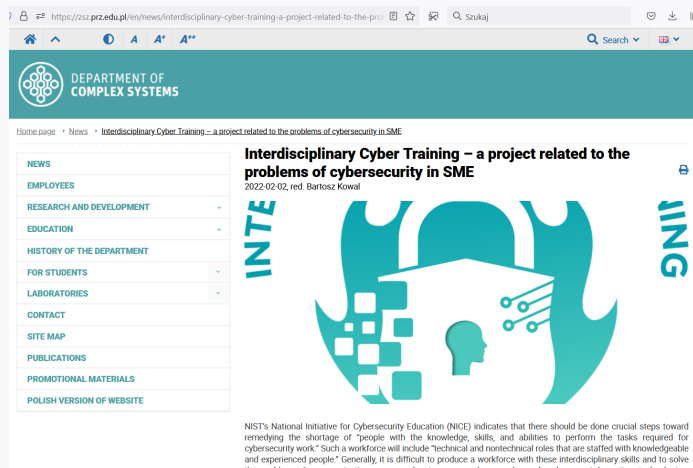


Digital Approaches to Communication Security and Entrepreneurial Learning
March 10, 2022, Craiova, Romania



Cyber-security and Funding opportunities through European Union Programs
May 3, 2022, Ramnicul Valcea, Romania

An example of dissemination in Poland:



An example of dissemination in Turkey:



The screenshot shows the website of the 'Eğitim Kültür ve Sanat Derneği' (EKSD). The header includes the logo and navigation links: Home, About Us, Our Projects, Our Events, ESC, Blog, Contact us, and English. The main content area features a large image of a red shield with a keyhole, set against a background of binary code. Below the image, the title 'Interdisciplinary Cyber Training' is displayed, along with the posting date 'Posted on 23 October 2021' and the project ID '2021-1-DE02-KA220-VET-000034737'. The start date is '01.11.2021' and the end date is '31.10.2023'. The coordinator is listed as 'WESTFALISCHE HOCHSCHULE GELSENKIRCHEN, BOCHOLT'. On the right side, there is a search bar, a categories list (ACTIVE, Completed Projects, News, Ongoing projects, Our Events), and a recent posts section with three entries: 'RESTARTVET Project Newsletter-1', 'RestartVet Project 2nd meeting was held in Lithuania', and 'Evaluation Meeting'.

The project partners develop, now, the **InCyT training program** which will be structured across two parts with modules for Managers and for Employees, where each module consists of a number of units and topics and will be delivered by using:

- An interactive digital Plattform,
- Streaming Webinars,
- Self-assessment exercises,
- Exercises those answers will be put on the platform and discuss each week with the mentor,
- Electronic portfolio (digital archives i.e., a website, YouTube channel) or a reflective journal of learners to organize their work and present their learning experiences, as an assessment tool, to have opportunity to start thinking about what they learn and to show employers what they learn.

The next **InCyT meeting** will take place in Gelsenkirchen, Germany, at the award-winning technology park Wissenschaftspark – see pictures:

