



**Boosting digital and green skills for a resilient and sustainable
Western Balkan society**



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**KICK-OFF MEETING
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Novi Sad, Vojvodina, Serbia



- the second-largest city in Serbia;
- located in the northern region of Vojvodina, right on the banks of the Danube River;
- population of **around 300,000**
- multicultural, economic, and educational centre;
- in **2022**, by preserving and promoting its diverse heritage, earned the title of **European Capital of Culture**.



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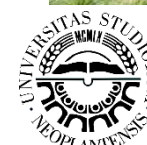


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University of Novi Sad



- Established in 1960 and is an autonomous, educational, scientific and artistic institution of higher education.
- The second-largest university in the Republic of Serbia, with over **50,000 students and 5,000 employees**.
- Includes **14 faculties, 3 scientific institutes, and around 250 laboratories**, located in 4 cities in Vojvodina: Novi Sad, Subotica, Sombor and Zrenjanin.
- Offers approximately **400 accredited study programs** at Bachelor, Master, Specialist, and Doctoral levels, including interdisciplinary and multidisciplinary studies.
- Highly active in international research, participating in **over 400 ongoing academic and research projects** (HORIZON, ERASMUS+, CIP, COST, etc.), along with various mobility programs (Erasmus Mundus Action 2, Campus Europe, CEEPUS III, FORECAST...)



<https://nsuzivo.rs/novi-sad/kvaka-22-i-mnogo-buke-ni-oko-cega-ili-kako-smeniti-rektora-uns>



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Faculty of Technical Sciences



The Faculty of Technical Sciences

- established in 1960, situated in Novi Sad;
- the largest faculty of the University of Novi Sad and is now the largest in the Balkan Region (8 buildings);
- consists of **13 departments, 10 administrative units, 33 research centres and 126 laboratories, and serves 17,500 students with 1,230 employees.**

<https://ftn.uns.ac.rs/engfaculty-of-technical-sciences-eng>

The Department of Civil Engineering and Geodesy

- founded in 1971, with **70 employees;**
- offers programmes in the fields of:
Civil Engineering,
Geodesy and Geoinformatics,
Disaster Risk Management and Fire Safety.

<https://new.gradjevinans.net>

<https://www.360serbia.com/>



<https://ftn.uns.ac.rs/upis-u-skolskoj-2024-25-godini/>



https://rtvsantos.com/dobre_vesti/raspisan-drugi-javni-poziv-startap-kompanijama-i-timovima-za-clanstvo-u-naucno-tehnoloskom-parku-novi-sad/



1. Amphitheater block
2. Teaching block
3. Tower block
4. F block
5. Research and Technology Center, ITC block
6. Institute of Mechanical Engineering
7. Department of Civil Engineering and Geodesy
8. Science and Technology Park



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FTS - DRRR Centre and DRM&FS Studies



- **Disaster Risk Reduction Research Centre**, at the Faculty of Technical Sciences, was **founded in 2009** (together **United Nations University in Bonn and FTS**);

https://www.facebook.com/DisasterCentre/?locale=sr_RS

- **Disaster Risk Management and Fire Safety studies:**
 - the first interdisciplinary engineering study program **resulted from the activities of the DRRR center**;
 - **accredited in 2011**;
 - offered through the Department of Civil Engineering and Geodesy,
 - support from the Department of Industrial Engineering and Management.

<https://www.facebook.com/people/Upravljanje-rizikom-od-katastrofalnih-dogadjaja-i-po%C5%BEara-FTN/100062942844318>



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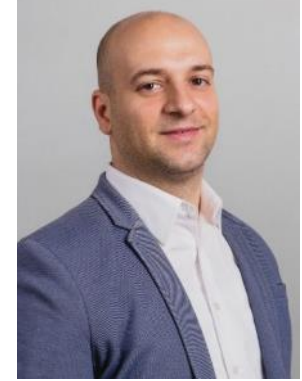
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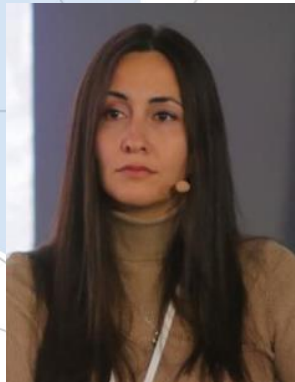
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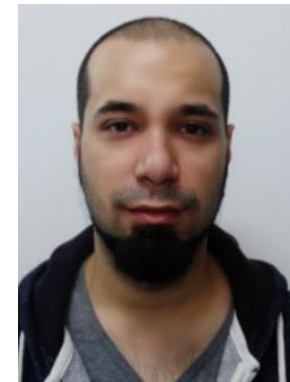
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SKILL2SUSTAIN Project - UNS role



List of TASKS

- **Coordinator of the Project**
- **Work package 1** (Project Management) - **Lead Beneficiary**
 - T1.1 Establish Project Management Framework and Procedures
 - T1.2 Identify Risks and Develop Mitigation Strategies
 - T1.3 Organize Project Meetings
 - T1.4 Manage all project activities and monitor their execution
- **Work package 2** (Defining Direction for Enhancing Digital and Green Education in Academia)
 - T2.1 State-of-the-Art Analysis of Digital and Green Education in Academia in EU and Third Countries associated to the Programme
 - T2.2 Organise Study Visits to HEIs in EU and Third Countries associated to the Programme
 - T2.5 Formulate Digital and Green Initiative for WBC Education in Academia
- **Work package 4** (Improving WBC HEIs Capacities for Digital and Green Education Goals)
 - T4.1 Transfer knowledge, experience and skills in digital and green education on WBC teaching staff
 - T4.2 Develop new study programmes at CEPS
 - T4.3 Modernize existing academic study programmes at UBL
 - T4.4 Design certified LLL programmes at UOM, UT and UPT
 - T4.5 Develop new blended learning material



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List of TASKS

- Work package 5 (Boosting Digital and Green Skills in WBC region)
 - T5.2 Deliver new and modernized study programmes
 - T5.3 Deliver new certified LLL programmes
- Work package 6 (Quality Assurance and Monitoring)
 - T6.1 Develop Quality Assurance mechanisms and procedures
 - T6.2 Create and conduct polls for different types of activities
 - T6.3 Organize inter project coaching
 - T6.4 Conduct peer review of new learning material
- Work package 7 (Dissemination and Exploitation)
 - T7.1 Develop dissemination, communication and exploitation plan
 - T7.2 Develop, maintain and promote the SKILL2SUSTAIN website and features
 - T7.3 Perform promotional campaigns
 - T7.4 Organise SKILL2SUSTAIN Symposium
 - T7.5 Publish the Special Issue of UBL Journal



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List of DELIVERABLES

- **Work package 1** (Project Management) - **Lead Beneficiary**
 - D1.1 Project Management Plan
 - D1.2 Risk Plan
 - D1.3 Project Meetings
 - D1.4 Progress report
- Work package 2 (Defining Direction for Enhancing Digital and Green Education in Academia)
 - D2.1 Study visits - **Lead Beneficiary**
- Work package 7 (Dissemination and Exploitation)
 - D7.2 Project Website with e-library - **Lead Beneficiary**

List of MILESTONES

- Work package 7 (Dissemination and Exploitation)
 - Skill2sustain Website and Social Media - **Lead Beneficiary**



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