



COMENIUS 2.1. Project No.128989-CP-1-2006-1-RO
“VccSSe – VIRTUAL COMMUNITY COLLABORATING SPACE
FOR SCIENCE EDUCATION”

Trans-national Co-ordinating Meeting

18th - 22nd of April 2008

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AGENDA

Friday 18th April

The whole day is devoted to the arrival of the partners. The accommodation will be made at [Hotel Atrium](http://www.hotelliatrium.fi), Siltakatu 4, 80100 Joensuu, phone: +358 13 255 888, webpage: <http://www.hotelliatrium.fi>

Saturday 19th April

Morning Session – *All the meetings in Room P14 (second floor on the Educa Building)*

09:00 – 09:30 Official Welcome and Introduction

09:30 – 11:00 Project Management. Administrative and Financial Matters.
(*Gabriel & Laura GORGHIU - Târgoviște*)

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

11:30 – 12:30 Project Management. Organisational Matters. Progress Report
Feed-back. (*Gabriel & Laura GORGHIU - Târgoviște*)

12:30 – 14:30 Lunch – *University Restaurant Carelia*

Afternoon Session – *All the meetings in Room P14*

14:30 – 17:00 VccSSe Course “*Virtual Instrumentation in Science Education*” – Report on Edition I. Analysis of the implementation of the Virtual Experiments in the classrooms. Discussion on the specific actions made for collaboration between tutors and in-service teachers to design new Virtual Instruments (*Virtual Experiments*) to be used in the classrooms. (Moderators: *Gabriel GORGHIU - Târgoviște & Javier TAMARGO - Gijon*)

17:00 – 17:30 Coffee Break

17:30 – 19:00 VccSSe Course “*Virtual Instrumentation in Science Education*” - Edition II: Facts, Figures, Results, Problems. Particularities. Evaluation matters. Analysis of the whole aspects of its organization in every partner institution (Moderators: *Gabriel GORGHIU – Târgoviște, Javier TAMARGO – Gijon & Adina GLAVA – Cluj Napoca*)



19:00 – 21:00 Dinner – *Kiesa Restaurant*

Sunday 20th April

Morning Session – *All the meetings in Room P14*

09:00 – 11:00 *e-Space Portal – Database for Virtual Experiments*: Stage of development. Up-loader facilities. Teachers' matrix of products. Specific actions. (Moderator: *Mihai BÎZOI – Târgoviște*)

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

11:30 – 13:30 *e-Space Portal – On-line simulating laboratories*: Designing the necessary frames. Discussion on the future preparation of *Virtual Instrumentation e-Space Exhibition* (Moderators: *Mihai BÎZOI – Târgoviște & Javier TAMARGO – Gijon*)

13:30 – 15:30 Lunch – *University Restaurant Carelia*

Afternoon Session

15:30 – 20:30 Memory organisations as learning environments

Finnish Stone Center / Old Mine and Mining Museum

20:30 – 22:00 Dinner – *Restaurant (Valamo Monastery)*

Monday 21st April

Morning Session – *All the meetings in Room P14*

09:00 – 11:00 Group work:

a) Group 1 – Technical Group (*Târgoviște, Warsaw, Valladolid, Zaragoza, Gijon*): *e-Space Keys – Technical aspects*. Virtual Experiments Exhibition procedures. Videoconference facilities. Available software;

b) Group 2 – Evaluation Group (*Cluj Napoca, Bielsko-Biala, Patras, Joensuu*): *Assessment Tools – Designing the assessment tools for the Second Year of the Project*. Preliminary design of the *Guideline of best practices* – the manual for guiding a class or a group on using the virtual laboratories;

11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break

11:30 – 12:00 Feed-back from the Groups

12:00 – 12:30 *VccSSe Assessment Tools*: Improving the assessment tools in order to evaluate the impact of the implementation in the classroom of the *Virtual Instrumentation Applications (Virtual Experiments)* (Moderators: *Adina GLAVA – Cluj Napoca & Maria LATKA – Bielsko-Biala*)

12:30 – 14:30 Lunch – *University Restaurant Verola*



Afternoon Session – *All the meetings in Room P14*

- 14:30 – 17:00 VccSSe *Dissemination matters* – Report on the Dissemination actions made by every partner institution. Dissemination procedures. (Moderators: *Laura Monica GORGHIU - Târgoviște & Wiesław TŁACZAŁA - Warsaw*)
- 17:00 – 17:30 Coffee Break
- 17:30 – 19:00 Agreeing on the tasks that every partner will develop till the following meeting (*VccSSe Team*).
Plenary discussion & Minutes of the meeting.
- 20:00 – ... ☺ Farewell Dinner – *Hotel Atrium Restaurant*

Tuesday 22nd April

The day is devoted to the departure of the partners.