



Wyższa Szkoła Humanistyczno-Ekonomiczna we Włocławku

Books Like Acting Grundtvig Project

Books Like Acting 4th meeting

Place: Włocławek, Poland

Date: 28-29 August, 2014



Books Like Acting (B-Act) is a Learning Partnership funded by the European Commission through Grundtvig Programme. The meeting in Włocławek was attended by 21 participants from 5 organisations, partners in the project: Italy, Spain, Turkey, Poland, Romania. University Rector, Prof. Stanisław Kunikowski and Prof. Kunikowski were invited at the meeting and they made a brief introduction to the history and structure of the university. Some meeting activities were also attended by 40 students of The Open University from Włocławek.

The main topic of the 4th project meeting: National literature=European literature



- Analysis of the current project status and evaluation of the objectives
- Exhibition: Polish representative literature
- Training:
 - Methods to transmit the message by reading foreign books
- Workshops:
 - Create the common template for the project e-book.



Polish representative literature-Ms Katarzyna Gradzik, Poland

Ms Katarzyna Gradzik gave an overview of modern Polish writers who are most successful and recognized on the market (both in Poland and abroad): Ryszard Kapuściński, Stanisław Lem, Michał Witkowski, Maria Nurowska, and Mariusz Szczygieł. Special exhibition with Polish bestsellers was prepared in the seminar hall where all participants could see the books mentioned in the presentation.



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WSHE is a non-state-owned college founded in 1995 by the Włocławek Scholarly Association. The College offers courses at the bachelor's degree, master's degree and postgraduate levels. The WSHE offers courses in the following faculties: administration, economics, pedagogics, nursing and physical training. The College offers master's degree courses in pedagogics.

Włocławek is a town in northern Poland situated on the rivers Vistula (Wisła) and Zolowiaczka, with a population of 116,345. This favourable location has played an important role in the political, economic, and cultural development of the city.



During the workshop were discussed aspects of the difference between a brochure and e-book.

The chapters and layout of the project e-book was introduced and some changes were suggested (like changing of the colour of background).

The publication contains the introduction to Grundtvig Projects as such, then is followed by the chapter containing descriptions of all project partners with photos and methods on increasing motivation for reading in Europe.

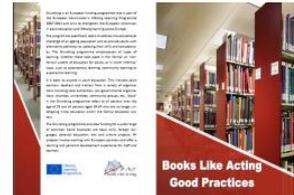
Next was organized a competition for the best name of the e-book. All participants gave their suggestions and the best one was voted. The winner was Spanish team:

Workshop 'Common template for the project e-book'

Dissemination of project:

- publication of promotional articles in local paper Gazeta Pomorska (Poland))
- including information on the project during all events related to it (Spain, Turkey)
- organizing events in local community (Italy)
- use of the website of the project and the library, brochures, social media, seminars(Romania)

Books can move Europe



Recomandation:

Translate *Books Like Acting – Good practices* Brochure into partners' languages.

Ms Joanna Skiba presented how foreign languages are taught in Polish education system.

Next, Ms Joanna Kijewska (winner of Excellence Label in European Language Label competition) talked about her methods to teach English for Specific Purposes. Another invited speaker, Mr Marcin Miziolek shared his passion and devotion to

Training 'Methods to transmit the message by reading foreign books'

English teaching in a presentation focusing on ways he employs while teaching. The two enthusiasts of language teaching undoubtedly showed different ways of achieving goals of making students actually read in a foreign language. The three presentations ignited discussion among seminar participants and all were able to exchange opinions and views.

Study Visits: to the academic library of University of Humanities and Economics in Włocławek



to BROWAR B, local cultural centre



Trip to Toruń and to Ciechocinek

