





Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

today you receive already the fourth TRANS³Net-Newsletter. The year is coming to an end and the last three months were eventful. A series of events organized by TRANS³Net took place, starting with the strategy workshop in Wrocław and going to the first pilot actions TRANS³Net.visit and TRANS³Net.training in November. The Newsletter inform you about that. More detailed information you will always get on our website http://trans3net.eu. As a result of our events, the presentation of the project at other events like the polish-saxon economy forum on 11th October in Wroclaw and activities like the consultation of policymakers the network of transfer promotors grows and becomes more famous. That is good.

Furthermore we will invite all partners to use this newsletter as a platform to inform about upcoming events and news around the knowledge and technology transfer in the region Saxony, Lower Silesia and the Ústí district. This information will be published on our website. Please send us your concerns to office@trans3net.eu.

Last but not least it is also time to say **THANKS** to all who worked in and for the project this year. Many thanks for your contribution, assistance and your active support to drive the idea of TRANS³Net. We wish you a happy Christmas and a healthy start into the new year.

Workshop in Wrocław helped to finalize the TRANS³Net strategy



Presentation of the project at the Strategy-Workshop. (©CIMTT)

About 40 participants attended Strategy-Workshop of TRANS³Net on 10th October 2017 at Wrocław University of Science and Technology. After welcome words from Zbigniew Dynak, Director of the Department of Regional Development from Marshal's Office of Lower Silesia, the Deputy Director for Research from Wrocław Technology Park, Joanna Kułdo, presented the successful cooperation work between science and technology in their Technology the feedback Park. consultations of policymakers in all three regions to the strategy were presented. Michal Frycz from the Marshal's Office did

it for Lower Silesia, Karel Tichý from the Economic and Social Council of the Ústí region presented the results from the consultations in Czech Republik and Melanie Giebel from Technical University Dresden continued with a summary of the interviews in Saxony. The workshop ended with a discussion about the goals of the intended transnational cooperation network of transfer promotors.

The strategy is now finalized by the project partner Wroclaw Regional Development Agency. Derived from that an action plan with precise things the network should implement will be conducted. Both papers should be the basis for the successful establishment of a transnational network of transfer promotors in future. The workshop was part of the framework programme of the DRESDEN-concept science exhibition that took place from 22 Sept until 11 Oct in Wrocław. Many thanks to DRESDEN-concept for the great cooperation.

If you are interested in more pictures from the event you can follow us on <u>Facebook</u>. If you are interested in the strategy paper please contact us.





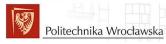




















Fruitful TRANS³Net, visit in Litvinov at UniCRE



Prof. Dr. Jaromir Lederer from UniCRE chaired the TRANS³Net.visit. (©UJEP)

The first TRANS³Net.visit event took place on 9th November 2017 in the Chempark of Litvínov/Czechia. The group consisting of scientists, employees of SMEs and transfer promotors gained an insight into UniCRE, the most famous research centre for chemical industry in the Ústí region. To the mission of UniCRE belongs the aim to bridge fundamental research and needs of industry. The visit served as well as a get to know and starting point for future cooperations. If you are interested in the presentation "R&D potential in the field of carbon based technologies in the Ústi region" from Dr. Jaromir Lederer from UniCRE please write an email to office@trans3net.eu.

TRANS³Net.training covers a wide range of topics



The first TRANS³Net.training took place Mid of November 2017. On two days, the first in Ústí nad Labem, the second in Dresden, the presentations covered a wide range of topics from the identification and assessment of exploitable ideas to validation, patent searches and an overview of the economic and funding situation in the Ústi region and Saxony. An overview about all presentations from the training you can get under <u>events</u>. If you are interested in a topic please contact us.

Group picture during the study visit at Chart Ferox in Děčin. (©UJEP)

Next pilot actions visit, show and training awaiting you 2018

The series of pilot actions in the TRANS³Net project starts 2018 with the next TRANS³Net.visit on 17th January in the Ústi region. Then we continue with the third TRANS³Net.visit in Wrocław in April. The first TRANS³Net.show will be on 16th of May again in the Ústi region under the topic "smart mobility". The second TRANS³Net.training is planned for End of June. It will be a two days event in Lower Silesia and Saxony. Scientists, entrepreneurs and transfer actors are welcome to our events. So please save the dates in your calendars. Schedules and infos about all upcoming events that are interesting for cooperation and knowledge and technology transfer you can find in the TRANS³Net-Portal under events.

Quiz: Test your TRANS³Net knowledge and win a little suprise

Every network needs participation to live. We are planning to expand our web services and we want to gain new transfer promotors from the three regions to become part of our network. A registration for the map is possible under www.trans3net.eu. We want to know today from you: How many institutions are already part of our map of transfer promotors? (status: Nov 17) If you know the exact number, please send us an email to office@trans3net.eu. The first 5 submissions win a little surprise.

Follow us on our <u>website</u> and on <u>facebook</u> to stay updated. The next newsletter is planned for February 2018.