

**Subject:** Study visit in Novi Sad

**Place:** Novi Sad, Serbia

**Date:** 11<sup>th</sup> September to 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2016

**Procurement plan:** Training, line 5

Study visit in Novi Sad, Serbia, is intended for the employees of Biotechnical faculty (BTF) from Podgorica, Montenegro: Igor Pajovic and Ljiljana Pajovic, under the supervision of prof.dr Dusan Petric and prof.dr Marija Zgomba from Faculty of Agriculture Novi Sad (FoA), Serbia.

### **Study visit goals and activities WP 2 a**

This training is planned as continuation of support research on surveillance of mosquitoes and mosquitoes control measures in Montenegro. The main aims and activities of this training course will be:

- mosquito female and male adults, larvae and pupas identification and determination of captured mosquitoes from Montenegro,
- education in most recent advances in invasive mosquito surveillance giving lectures on contemporary trends in mosquitoes control and survey,
- mosquito vector sampling for virus identification and
- developments in biological and other non-chemical mosquito control methods.

This activities will lead to implementation of the ECDC “Guidelines for the surveillance of invasive mosquitoes in Europe” and introduction of sustainable programme for monitoring of mosquito species in Montenegro. In the same time we will prepare all data concerning cooperation with project “A European network for sharing data on the geographic distribution of arthropod vectors, transmitting human and animal disease agents“ – VectorNet.

Above all the crucial goal of the Project will be achieved through this training - identification of invasive and natural mosquito species in Montenegro. Bearing in mind that in BTF have just few researchers dedicated to mosquitoes vectors survey, the FoA example will contribute to final Project goals and deliveries, in a way to develop the sustainable mosquitoes survey system in Montenegro.

During this training it is planned to have meetings with members of the team of LOVCEN Project from FoA (Address: Dositeja Obradovica 08., 21000 Novi Sad, Serbia)

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