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## **Newsletter No. 4**

### InSIDE marks the end of its third year

Welcome to the fourth Newsletter of the InSIDE project. In this newsletter, we would like to inform you about the progress in the project "Including Students with Impairments in Distance Education (InSIDE)".

### **3rd Progress meeting – online, 30 November 2021**

Representatives from the partner organizations attended the online third progress meeting of the project on 30 November 2021. They discussed the procedures, progress of deliverables, steps, and actions to be taken on the project implementation, as well as administrative and financial issues.

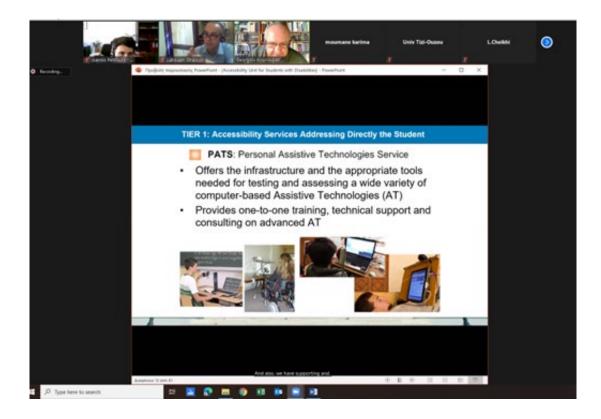
# Training event of the accessibility advisors on the operation of the accessibility office

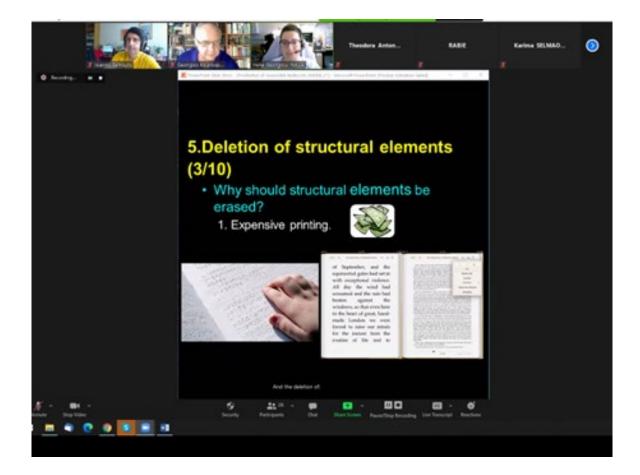
The consortium decided to implement from 5 to 12 April 2020 the activity **A.4.1.2** "8days training in Greece (Athens-UoA) on the operation of the **Accessibility Office** for Students with Disabilities" of the **TASK 4.1** "Training of two **Accessibility Advisors** from each university on the use of Assistive Technology and the operation of the Accessibility Office in and beyond the context of Distance Education programmes". Due to the COVID-19 pandemic the event was not implemented according to the initial plan. Finally, the training was held online from 8 to 11 and from 14 to 17 June 2021. Twenty-eight academic staff participants from the eleven partner universities from Algeria, Tunisia and Morocco were attended the training.

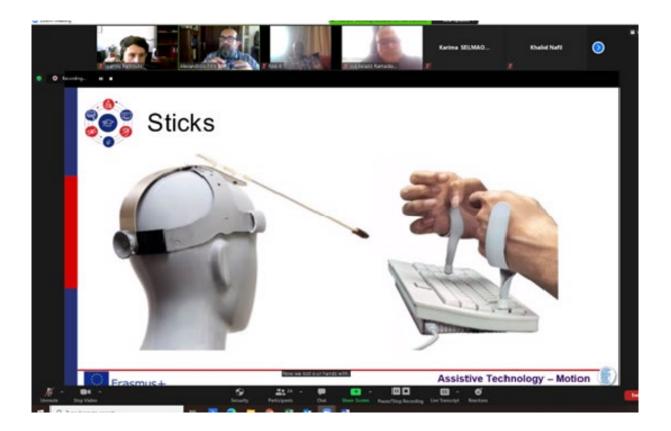
The training program covered the following topics: The Greek national legislation for Students with Disability (SwD), Design for All - Universal Design for Learning, The Accessibility Unit of the University of Athens, Built environment accessibility Service, Support Service for the Academic Secretaries, Academic Advisors Online support system for the Accessibility Academic Advisors, Services for Deaf and Hard of Hearing, Volunteers' service, Transportation Service, Accessible Textbooks life-cycle, Production of Accessible Textbooks, Assistive Technology for SwD. Moreover, five students with impairment presented their experience in relation to the services they receive from the Accessibility Unit of the University of Athens.

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Indicative photos from the online training are given bellow.







### **Results**

• D4.2: Educational materials from the training of the accessibility advisors educational

This delivery includes the presentations used in the training of the accessibility advisors. The final version of the Deliverable D4.2: <u>Report on the training of the accessibility advisors</u> was published in the project website as a public document.

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