

# Culttrips 2.0 European Slow Travel Experiences / European Agricultural Fund for Rural Development (EAFRD) / LEADER 2014 – 2020

meeting minutes
ZOOM meeting n°3
Thursday, April 30, 2020, 2 – 3:30 p.m.



host: LAG Zeitkultur Oststeirisches Kernland – Barbara Stumpf

# participants:

LAG Zeitkultur et al (Barbara Stumpf), LAG Urfahr West (follow up: Monday, May 4 - Sigrid Gillmayr, Susanne Rechberger), Office Régional de Tourisme Centre-Ouest asbl (Nadine Schanck, Fons Jacques), LAG Valle Umbra (Marco Parroni, Luciano Posti and Manuela Ciri), LAG Cittadella del Sapere (Maria Cristina Porfidio), LAG Märkische Seen (Grit Körmer and Katrin Riegel), LAG Nedre Dalälven 3 (follow up: Wednesday, May 6 - Henrik Thomke and Charlotta Heimersson), LAG Alytus District (Henrieta Miliauskienè), LAG Start 2020 (Gianluca Gariuolo and Giuseppe Melillo), crosseye Marketing (Edda Merana, Evelyn Götz) & HMC Marketing (Bettina Haas)







#### **MEETING AGENDA**

## 0) WELCOME TO ZOOM! ©

- Address of welcome by the lead partner
- Giving an overview to the final meeting agenda

# 1) Placement and Distribution (implementation)

- Status quo of the implemented website texts by crosseye Marketing
- Giving an overview about main topics, structure and next steps for the website implementation from Evelyn, crosseye Marketing.
- Questions to all participants: Do you agree with this structure? Do you have remarks to the main topics? Are there any other inputs or open questions?
- Time planning for Go-Live of first website version by the lead partner

# 2) PR Marketing & Press Releases

In order to plan our first press releases, Bettina from HMC Marketing, asked us to fill in our positioning in the provided template with the 8 brand principles of Slow Trips. This file was delivered with our las meeting minutes:

Positioning of the 9 LEADER regions (March 2020)					]	HMC W		
	Hidden Treasures	Contact to locals	Authenticity	Learing together	Economic sustainanbility	Social sustainability	Ecological Sustainability	Storytelling
LAG Zeitkultur Oststeirisches Kernland	Nature and easy hiking tours through gentle hills (target group 2)		culinary highlights made from regional sources (target group 4)					Join a drive on a historic steam train; take a look into the local gardens, etc. (target group 1-4)
LAG Urfahr West	Enjoy nature through biking (development of a new mountain bike trail) (target group 2,3 and possibly 1)	Integration of all social groups is key (target group 1+4)		High environmental awareness of local residents (target group 1-4)			Public transport options are available (target group 1-4)	renewable energy sources are a very important topic in this area (target group 1 4)
LAG Atert-Wark	Biking (EuroVelo- route) and hiking (target group 2+3)	special offers for kids / families (farms, climbing gardens, etc.) (target group 2)	(castles, museum, etc.) (target group 1+4)	cultural offers (castles, museum, etc.) (target group 1+4)				special offers for kids / families (farms, climbing gardens, etc.) (target group 2)
LAG Valle Umbra e Sibillini	UNESCO world cultural heritage: St. Francis of Assisi (target group 4)	Get to know local culture through local cuisine (target gropu 1,4)	cultural offers (castles and fortresses, museum, etc.) (target group 1+4)	cultural offers (castles and fortresses, museum, etc.) (target group 1+4)			sustainable agriculture (target group 1,3,4)	Very diverse and exciting landscape (target group 1,3,4)
LAG La Cittadella del Sapere	unique landscape (sea on both sides of the area, mountains, etc.) (target group 1- 4)	culture through local	Culinary enjoyment is key (citrus fruits (especially lemons), olives, olive oil, wine, cheese) (target group 1+4)					Expierience Italy with all of your senses (target group 1,3,4)
LAG Märkische Seen	rich in water and forest (target group 2+3)			cultural offers (exhibitions.) (target group 1+4)			E-Bike-tourism (target group 2+3)	Local cuisine: attend a cooking course (target group 1+3+4);
LAG Nedre Dalälven 3		fishing (target group 1+2+3)						try fishing on your holiday (target group 1+2+3)

• Explanation from Bettina, HMC Marketing which information is necessary from every destination to make first press release suggestions.

We should also continue with our Social Media contents:

 Explanation from Bettina, HMC Marketing which information is necessary from every destination to plan the next Facebook and Instagram postings.

#### 6) FEEDBACK and CONCLUSION







# 0) WELCOME TO ZOOM! ©

### input host:

After all participants had tested sound and video technology, Barbara welcomed all participants to the 3<sup>rd</sup> ZOOM-Meeting.

# 1) Placement and Distribution (website implementation)

# introduction lead partner:

In the last weeks all project partners worked a lot on their website texts. Additionally, the lead partner had some internal meetings with crosseye Marketing. Mrs. Evelyn Götz (crosseye Marketing) prepared a presentation to show the status quo of the transnational Slow Trips website:

# presentation Evelyn (crosseye Marketing):



The main website navigation is fixed now. After our remarks crosseye Marketing made adjustments on our website: We can find the Slow Trips-logo is on the left side and the language buttons on the right side now. A drop-down menu for the language buttons won't be necessary, but it can be integrated later when we decide to translate our website in more languages.







# Slow Trips

- > Project description, Stories, Project Partners
- > Social Wall -> collection & curations of content via #hashtags ( #slowtrips #slowtravel,...)



In the section "Slow Trips" we have to adapt the icons / illustrations. They shouldn't be so colorful. In this section we can find the Social Wall, Our Stories – What's new & Project Partners.

#### What is a Social Wall?

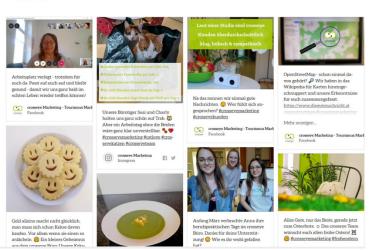
# #crosseyemarketing

Entdecke auf einen Blick die wundervolle Welt von crosseye Marketing!

Du willst auch, dass dein Posting hier angezeigt wird? Poste einfach einen Beitrag auf Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Pinterest, YouTube oder Flickr mit #crosseyemarketing!

# Social Wall example

Content vom Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter and other social networks.







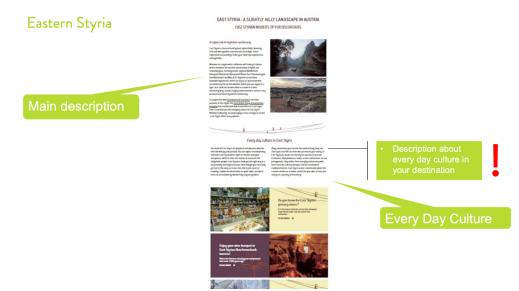


#### **Destinations**

- > Map & Destination Description
- > To give a short overview where to travel



We decided that the name of our destination should be renamed to our touristic destinations (not the leader regions) and we should also integrate the country name (2 letters after the destination name). Example: **East Styria - AT** 

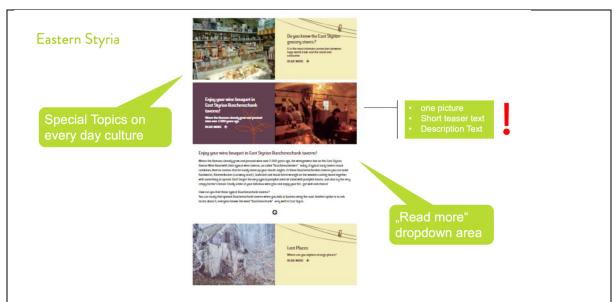


We will have in all destinations the same structure. What we will need from every destination is a short description of the everyday culture in your destination.









If you have additional topics that you want to integrate in the section everyday culture, we will need one picture, a short teaser text and a description text. And then you have the possibility to write more text in the "read more" dropdown area.



It is also possible to integrate video clips (youtube videos) in your section. We will also link your destination with the "See & Do" categories  $\rightarrow$  short link to further categories. After that our bookable Slow Trips Experiences are planned which will be integrated from Regiondo. Here we need a short "Call to action", so that our visitors click and book our Slow Trips Experiences. In the bottom area of each destination we can insert the links to your destination tourism website & your LAG website, and also the logos of your destination.









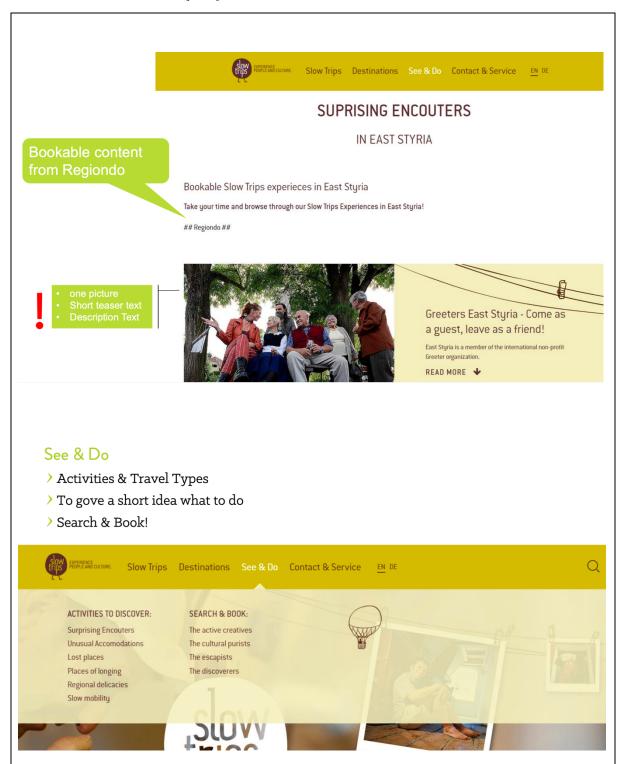
Our section "See & Do" shall be a possibility for our visitors to find bookable Slow Trips offers in different categories. Therefore, in every See & Do section bookable Slow Trips Experiences which belong to each topic will be integrated. Moreover, every destination has the possibility to write some frame stories about those "See & Do" topics. We have defined following See & Do categories, where you can think about further stories in your region:

- Surprising Encounters (in this category we will insert all bookable Slow Trips Experiences. You can think about special frame stories to this topic too. In East Styria, for instance, we described our greeters and also geocaching routes)
- Unusual Accommodations (in this section we want to highlight offers which are directly connected with unusual accommodations or which are next to unusual accommodations. The frame stories are special Slow Travel accommodations in your destination)
- Lost Places (Also here we will integrate our Slow Trips Experiences which are next to Lost Places in your region or are directly connected with them. And then every destination can describe its own lost places.)
- Places of longing (this is not the right wording... maybe better: "hidden secret spot")
- Regional delicacies (In this section you can describe local recipes / stories about regional food and so on. And on the very top we will insert all Slow Trips Experiences which are directly connected with local food)
- Slow mobility (in this section we want to show all Slow Trips offers which have to do
  with mobility (riding a bicycle, hiking, riding a horse, carriage, train, etc....) and we also
  want to show the possibilities of slow mobility in every destination. Our tourists should
  not take the taxi from one spot to the other. Therefore, we should describe alternative
  mobility options in our region.















# Contact & Service

> Service area for "all the rest"

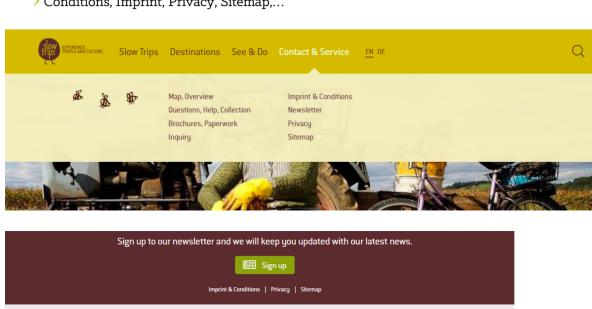
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DESTINATIONS

We will consider all project partner logos in each destination and in the section "Project Partners". Please forward your websites which are connected to your institutional logos.

#	what	who	until when
1	destination website texts	all destinations, See &	Friday, May 8,
		Do sections → forward	2020
		changings or additional	
		texts directly to Barbara	







# 2) PR Marketing & Press Releases

input Bettina Haas (HMC Marketing)

#### PR - Press Releases - Slow Trips

#### rough timetable as of 30.4.2020

		Date of	
Partner	Topic	Release	
All	Presentation of Partners, new Website	4th June	
Oststeiermark	Individual Portrait of Region	11th June	
Lithuania	Individual Portrait of Region	18th June	
Märkische Seen	Individual Portrait of Region	25th June	
Cittadella del Sapere (IT)	Individual Portrait of Region	2nd July	
Nedre Dalälven	Individual Portrait of Region	9th July	
LAG Start 2020	Individual Portrait of Region	16th July	
Luxembourg	Individual Portrait of Region	23rd July	
Valle Umbra e Sibillini	Individual Portrait of Region	30th July	
Urfahr West	Individual Portrait of Region	6th August	

Bettina Haas suggested that after the Go-Live of our transnational website in June 2020, we should start directly with the first press releases to introduce every destination to our journalists individually. Therefore, she suggested, that she will prepare the first texts with the Go-Live of our website and she will get in touch directly with each destination in the next weeks.

Moreover, she will also plan within the next 2 weeks Social media contents.

# 3) FEEDBACK and CONCLUSION (15 minutes)

#### discussions:

 next ZOOM meeting will be scheduled for May 12 (4 p.m – 5 p.m.) together with Christopher Conze (head of sales of our booking tool Regiondo), every destination shall think about 1-2 persons who can participate at this meeting (ideally those persons shall participate who will be the responsible persons for Regiondo in your destination)

#### THANK YOU FOR YOUR GREAT CONTRIBUTION!!! ©

#	what	who	when
1	next ZOOM meeting	All destinations+	May 12, 4 p.m.
		Regiondo	



