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Raising Awareness of Values of Space through the Process of Education

R.A.V.E. Space Project Final Conference
Values of Space and Sustainable Spatial Development: the Role of Education
3–4 December 2007, Ljubljana, Slovenia

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The R.A.V.E. Space Project

R.A.V.E. Space – Raising Awareness of the Values of Space through the Process of Education – is a project funded under the INTERREG III B CADSES Programme dealing with the issue of how topics of spatial relevance can be included in the educational process at primary and secondary schools.

The project area comprises nine partners from five countries (Greece, Italy, Montenegro, Poland, Slovenia) which have developed adjusted educational tools and methodologies in line with the R.A.V.E. Space Strategy for Spatial Education elaborated during the project implementation.

Main activities and outcomes

• A methodology for analysing spatial related topics in curricula of different school systems;
• Elaboration of a Strategy for Spatial Education for promoting educational concepts on sustainable development and values of space through formal and informal education;
• Seminar for teachers and distribution of teaching tools for raising the awareness about values of space;
• Educational TV programmes;
• Sensitizing competent authorities for ensuring the integration of national educational strategies.

The Project duration is 34 months (1 March 2005 – 31 December 2007).

Final Conference

Values of Space and Sustainable Development: the Role of Education

Starting from the achievements of the R.A.V.E. Space Project, the relevant stakeholders - from teachers to experts and spatial planners, from central and local authorities to international organisations, from NGOs to media – will gather to debate the relevance of educational processes in the enhancement of common knowledge on spatial planning and values of space as a basis for developing skills for an active and responsible citizenship.

Plenary sessions

• Panel discussions on the educational strategy for teaching spatial planning issues and values of space in schools; the methodology for the analysis of spatial related topics in school curricula; the role of media in raising the awareness about values of space; the synergies with UNECE and Council of Europe activities and actions in the field;
• A roundtable discussion among experts and institutional representatives on the R.A.V.E. Space Strategy for Spatial Education as a tool to enforce spatial education in schools.

Parallel workshops

“Linking the spatial planning sphere of activity with the school practice”
“Values of space in the school curricula – accessions and methods”

Study visit in the old centre of Ljubljana as an example of the field works on values of space in the educational process.

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The working language is English and the participation is free of charge.

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