#### SEE-GRID-2

#### **Training activities**

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SEEGRID REGIONAL PROJECTS CONCERTATION WORKSHOP



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## **WP5: Objectives**



- Design, develop, evaluate and maintain a content-rich portal for all of the SEE-GRID-2 related coordination, research, training, dissemination processes, results and information
- Provide the tools for communication and dissemination of information about SEE-GRID-2
- Promote widespread use of the SEE-GRID-2 infrastructure by all members and all disciplines of the southeast European community
- Carry out training and dissemination events at regional as well as national level

## WP5: Description of work



- A5.1 Develop and maintain communication infrastructure (GRNET)
  - This activity will develop, maintain and make full use of a comprehensive portal to ensure a constant, high quality information flow to all partners, while also acting as a repository for all relevant documents, distribution-list archives, and meeting information.

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- A5.5 Organize and Participate in technical workshops and training events (MTA SZTAKI)
  - This activity will coordinate the organization and participation of project partners at regional and national technical workshops and training events.

## **Current status**



- WP5- SEE-GRID Training Center (partially up and running) web page for:
  - planning and documenting all training events
  - documents about the planned training event:
    - When and where, type of course, planned program, planned number of participants, required tutor (if needed)
  - documents about the completed training event:
    - When and where, type of course, filled in evaluation form, number of participants
  - repository of training materials (indico)
  - repository of tutors and their expertise



WP5- Initial plan for events 
✓ (collected)



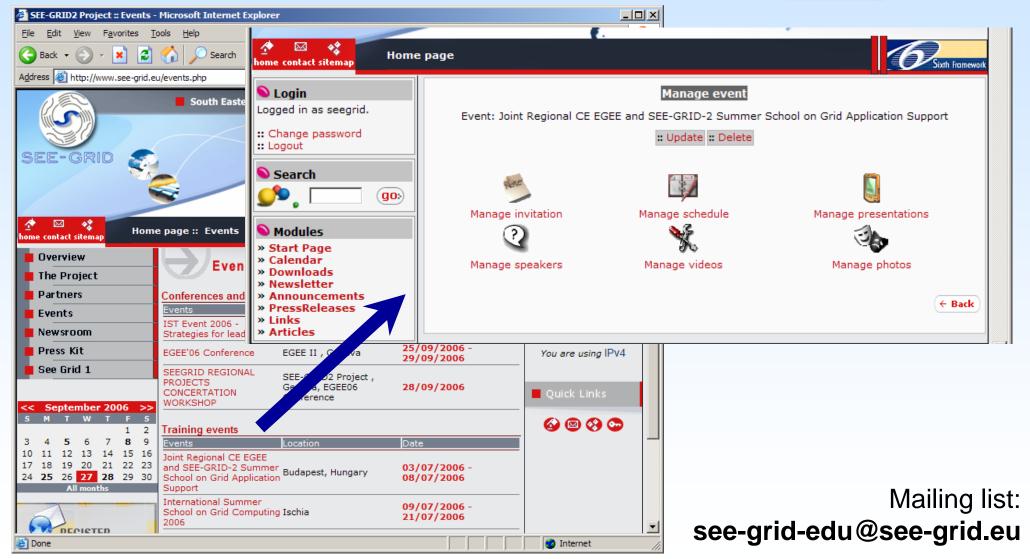
## Planned training events



|                                                                                   |                                                  |                             | Target Audience                                         | Planned                    |                                                                     |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Name                                                                              | Date                                             | Location                    | Group                                                   | Volume                     | Organizer                                                           |
| Training for Grid Users                                                           | October 2006                                     | IPP-BAS                     | End-users                                               |                            | IPP-BAS                                                             |
| Training for Grid Application Developers                                          | April 2007                                       | IPP-BAS                     | Application Developers                                  |                            | IPP-BAS                                                             |
| Grid site installation, operation and administration tutorial                     | 39022                                            | ICI                         | Site administrators                                     | 20                         | Romanian consortium                                                 |
| Introduction to Grid computing; SEE-GRID infrastructure services and applications | February 2008                                    | University of Bucharest     | End users                                               | 30                         | Romanian consortium                                                 |
| TR-GRID User Training                                                             | October 2006                                     | Ankara, Turkey              | Researchers                                             | 20                         | TUBITAK ULAKBIM TUBITAK ULAKBIM and Bogazici                        |
| TR-GRID User Training                                                             | January 2007                                     | Istanbul Turkey             | Researchers                                             | 20                         | University                                                          |
| TR-GRID Site Administration Training                                              | February 2007                                    | Ankara Turkey               | TR-Grid Site Administrators                             | 10                         | TUBITAK ULAKBIM TUBITAK ULAKBIM and Middle East                     |
| TR-GRID Advanced User Training  Joint Regional CE EGEE and SEEGRID-2              | September 2007                                   | Ankara Turkey               | Grid users                                              | 30                         | Technical University                                                |
| Summer School on Grid Application                                                 | 03-08.07.2006                                    | Budapest, SZTAKI            | Grid end-users                                          | 30                         | SZTAKI                                                              |
| Summer School on Grid Application                                                 | July.2007                                        | Budapest, SZTAKI            | Grid end-users                                          | 30                         | SZTAKI Faculty of Natural Sciences, in                              |
| Grid Perspectives In Albania                                                      | October 2006                                     | Faculty of Natural Sciences | Specialists and students                                |                            | collaboration with INIMA and FIE                                    |
| GRID Application development training                                             | October-November 2006 September-October 2006 (or | Banja Luka                  | Application developers                                  | 10-20                      | UoBL                                                                |
| GRID Awareness and Applications                                                   | March 2007)                                      | Sarajevo                    | Potential infrastructure end-users                      | 20-30                      | UoS                                                                 |
| MARGI GIMs training                                                               | January/February 2007                            | Skopje                      | MARGI GIMs                                              | 10-15                      | UKIM                                                                |
| EGEE-II gLite Site Administrator Training                                         | June 24, 2006                                    | Kragujevac                  |                                                         |                            | Center for Scientific Research of SASA and University of Kragujevac |
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| AEGIS users training                                                              | October 2006                                     | Belgrade                    | users                                                   | 25-50                      | UoB                                                                 |
| AEGIS GIMs training                                                               | March 2007                                       | Kopaonik                    | AEGIS GIMs                                              | 10-15                      | UoB                                                                 |
| Montenegro grid initiative – Administrator grid training event                    | 3rd November 2006                                | Podgorica                   | GIMs, grid admins, network admins, grid app developers. | 10 members form Montenegro | Center of Information Systems of<br>University of Montenegro        |
| GRID Administration Training Workshop                                             | December 2006                                    | Chisinau                    | GIMs, grid admins, network admins                       | 10                         | RENAM (NOC – Network Operation Center)                              |
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| GRID Administration Training Workshop                                             | September 2007                                   | Chisinau                    | undergraduate students                                  | 12                         | Center)                                                             |
| GRID Technical Specialists Training                                               |                                                  | 5111                        | scientists, professors, doctoral                        |                            |                                                                     |
| Workshop                                                                          | April 2007                                       | Chisinau                    | students, undergraduate students                        | 30                         | RENAM (Moldova), ICI (Romania)                                      |
| GRID Applications Users Training                                                  |                                                  |                             | scientists, professors, doctoral                        |                            |                                                                     |
| Workshop                                                                          | October 2007                                     | Chisinau                    | students, undergraduate students                        | 25                         | RENAM                                                               |
| Grid Applications and Development Workshop                                        | September or October 2006                        |                             |                                                         |                            |                                                                     |
| Workshop                                                                          | April or May 2007.                               |                             |                                                         |                            |                                                                     |

#### Communication infrastructure

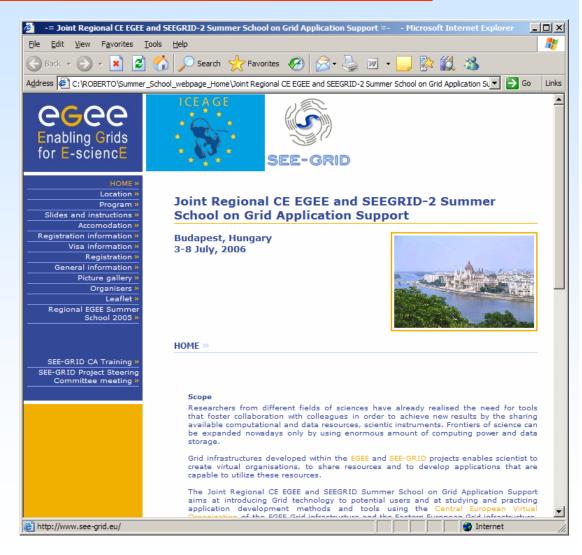




## Joint Regional CE EGEE and SEE-GRID Summer School on Grid Application Support



- Budapest, Hungary 03-08/07/2006
  - aims at introducing Grid technology to potential users and at studying and practicing application development methods and tools using
    - the Central European Virtual Organization of the EGEE Grid infrastructure and
    - the Southern EasternEuropean Grid infrastructure
  - Gridification of the users' own applications
- www.egee.hu/grid06/
- CA training



## **Participants**



| Organisation, Country                                                            | Number of Participants |                                                                 |  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Cilea, <mark>Italy</mark>                                                        | 2                      |                                                                 |  |
| Eötvös Lóránd University, Hungary                                                | 3                      |                                                                 |  |
| FIE, Albania                                                                     | 1                      |                                                                 |  |
| FSHN, Albania                                                                    | 1                      |                                                                 |  |
| HealthGrid, France                                                               | 1                      |                                                                 |  |
| Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare<br>Sezione di Cagliari, <mark>Italy</mark> | 1                      |                                                                 |  |
| Masaryk University, Czech Republic                                               | 1                      |                                                                 |  |
| MTA SZTAKI, Hungary                                                              | 4                      |                                                                 |  |
| RBI, Croatia                                                                     | 2                      |                                                                 |  |
| RENAM Association, Moldova                                                       | 1                      |                                                                 |  |
| Space Research Institute of NASU-NSAU,<br>Ukraine                                | 1                      |                                                                 |  |
| Tubitak Ulakbim, Turkey                                                          | 1                      | Male: 93% Female: 7%                                            |  |
| University of Sarajevo, Bosnia-<br>Herzegovina                                   | 1                      | Total number of participants: 28                                |  |
| University of Skopje, Macedonia                                                  | 3                      |                                                                 |  |
| University of Bucharest, Romania                                                 | 2                      |                                                                 |  |
| University of Cyprus, Cyprus                                                     | 1                      | Total number of countries: 15                                   |  |
| University of Montenegro/IT Centar, Montenegro                                   | 1                      | <ul><li>10 SEE-GRID members</li><li>3 EGEE/CE members</li></ul> |  |
| University of Patra, Greece                                                      | 1                      | <ul> <li>4 EGEE/other fed. members</li> </ul>                   |  |

## Feedback Analysis



| Course Component                                                                          | Average value (1: poor - 6:excellent) | Standard Deviation (n=21) |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Goal 1: learn the EGEE and<br>SEEGRID projects                                            | 4.71                                  | 0.85                      |
| Goal 2: learn the usage of gLite data management tools                                    | 4.62                                  | 1.02                      |
| Goal 3: learn how to create<br>and execute Grid<br>applications using high<br>level tools | 4.71                                  | 0.96                      |
| Goal 4: learn about different Grid projects and applications                              | 4.57                                  | 0.68                      |
| Overall evaluation                                                                        | 4.81                                  | 0.75                      |
| Advertising & Registration                                                                | 4.90                                  | 0.83                      |
| Facilities                                                                                | 4.67                                  | 0.86                      |

### **Photos**





## Visibility & Relationships



- PR on training events
  - 3-monthly SEE-GRID-2 newsletters
  - Press release on Budapest events
  - Article in the EGEE Newsletter, September 2006

- SZTAKI:
  - Central European Training Centre in EGEE-I/II
  - Member of ICEAGE project (FP6/SSA)



# Open topics at the last Project Steering Committee meeting

- Create a t-infrastructure?
  - Possible options
    - Independent VO?
    - Part of the SEE-GRID but several partners provide high priority to training jobs during the training period?
- Provide temporary certificate for the students?
  - WP3 (infrastructure) will provide test certificates?
  - WP3 and WP5 (training) will solve together the certificate problem?
- Solution: WP3 (infrastructure) team was assigned with the action to assess the % of nodes/clusters that need to support the training VO
  - Set up a «Training CA» (scheme already used in HellasGrid)
  - Trainers can request a number of certificates which are delivered to them in 'real time'
  - Trainers can request to have the certificates automatically added in a «Training VO»