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Wednesday, 16th June –

The meeting starts on Wednesday evening, in the Capitol Hotel in Bucharest City Centre, when the project partners meet again each other after the long break due to the Covid-19 pandemic. The partners introduced themselves to the many participants involved by the host partner. At the end of these presentations the hosting partners offered a welcoming dinner during which there was further opportunity to deepen knowledge and initiate discussions on the main themes of the project.



Thursday, 17th June.

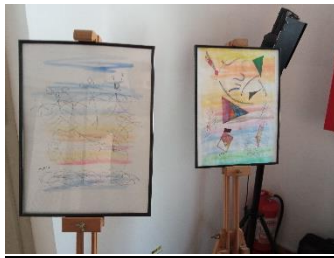
Starting from the morning of Thursday 17th in the location of National Museum of Romanian Literature, partners had the opportunity to listen to and discuss the speeches of many speakers. Here a short summary:

Mrs Loreta Popa, director of the National Museum of Romanian Literature. She introduced the museum and its activities, the historical facts of the Palace. She also developed the connection, women empowerment, and literatures, through an extensive survey of Romanian women writers in history.



Mrs Andreaa Popescu, director of *Asociatia Femeilor Universitare - Romania* informed the participants about the general activities of the association and the post-Covid situation related to the project theme, that is the gender gap in Romania.

Mrs Aurelia Roman who cooperates with the *Asociatia Femeilor Universitare* is a researcher who worked for several years in Canada and presented a preview of the results of her university research entitled *Single Motherhood in the Post-Migration Context*.



During the morning, a young artist (**the name**) presented some of her works and talked about some seminars and workshops dedicated to the world of women and designed to acquire greater self-awareness and to stimulate expressiveness through an artistic process.

Mrs Natașa Ungureanu presented to partners the association *Touched*, which works to protect women who have suffered domestic violence. In particular, the Hagar Home project was discussed, a reception centre where women victims of violence are welcomed, housed, given assistance of various kinds, including legal assistance, and carry out various activities.



Conf. Univ. **Daniela Frumușeanu** gave partners a lot of detailed information about an art event she organised with the collaboration of students from the Academy of Fine Arts in Bucharest. The works of art in this exhibition were all created using the technique of textile design.

In the afternoon:

Thursday afternoon was dedicated to the Romanian Culture.

Mrs **Ilinca Stefanescu-Neagu** presented the events organised by its association to preserve the memory of the main members of the Stefanescu family whose most famous members have distinguished themselves in music, art and architecture since the founding of the National Romanian Opera.



Dr **Cristina-Elena Lascu**, La Diva, a model of women empowerment: She shown us the most famous Soprano in Romania.

Friday, 18th June

The third and final day of the transnational meeting started at 9 a.m. at the Radisson Blu hotel where the coordinator meeting took place (see below the most important points of the meeting).

At 10.00, in the location of National Museum of Romanian Literature:

Dr Cristina Chiriac CONAF representative (National Confederation for Women Entrepreneurship), legal expert and European ambassador for female entrepreneurship, spoke about the confederation's activities to defend and promote the rights of women entrepreneurs, stressing the need to link up with other different associations working in the same field..



Dr Octavian Marincaș, from the Ministry of Research and Innovation, made a presentation of his own work experience with the underlying message of the importance of reconciling professional training with one's passions without neglecting cooperation with others.

The morning activities ended with a musical performance by two musicians from the "George Enescu" Philharmonic, **Ioana Balaşa** and **Iulia Goiană**.

In the afternoon:

After lunch partners went with the bus to the Guided Cultural Tour at Mogosoia Palace where there was the opportunity to attend a musical performance.



The Coordinator Meeting discussed the following items on the agenda:

- 1) the partners all agreed to accept the Finnish association's proposal for the dates of the next international meeting:
The meeting will take place in Helsinki from 8 to 11 September 2021.
- 2) The project coordinator (the association Italian in Italy) explained to the partners the situation regarding the mobilities done and to be done, taking into account the uneasy situation created by the covid-19 pandemic. It has been decided that the Italian in Italy coordinator will send the partners a summary of the resources available for the mobilities of each partner.
- 3) The project coordinator informed the partners that he will send them instructions for the preparation of the material to complete the project website, specifically on the Project Materials page.