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# Online Platform for Academic TEaching and Learning in Iraq and Iran/ OPATEL

**OPATEL** is a three years project started on October 15, 2016, and funded by the European Union through Erasmus+ programme that concentrates on providing Iraqis and Iranian students and teachers with competencies and skills needed by using Learning Management Systems in Education.

**The aim** of OPATEL consists in establishment and development of E-Learning center to train staff and students in Iraqis and Iranian universities by using online platform for teaching and learning to be as a hub for using best practices in ICT (Information Communication Technology) in education, as well as raising competencies of lecturers and teachers by enhancing the learning processes of students.

This project will focus on development of online platform for teaching and learning by constructing of E-Learning training center in Iraqis and Iranian universities by:

- Developing the abilities of the staff in the universities to use ICT
- Training and following up with staff and students on how to develop, share learning objects, and collaborate their courses, presentations and exercises on online platform.
- Improve quality of teaching and learning by building capacity of universities in how to evaluate, develop and design e-courses.
- Enhancing cooperation with EU partners through mutual visits to develop strategies in how to move from teaching to learning and developing scalable sustainable solutions.

The use of online Platform will steer the education, technical ICT in the right direction. Training of staff to enhance and develop their abilities, will promote reform and modernization of higher education in both countries.

Through this platform partner universities will have a new vision in education systems and these will enhance quality and relevance of higher education.

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## PROJECT TIMELINE

Work package	Title	Delivery Date
<b>Preparation</b>	Review, State of the art and Network between partner	March-Aug, 2017
<b>Development</b>	Assessment studies for the needs of teachers, lecturers and administrators	May-Aug, 2017
	Purchase of teaching equipment and bibliographic material	July 2017, March 2018
	Make E-Learning System an integrated part in educations and teaching	Nov, 2017-Oct, 2019
<b>Quality</b>	Quality control and monitoring	Oct, 2016-Oct, 2018
<b>Dissemination</b>	Project Dissemination	Oct, 2016-Oct , 2019
	Exploitation of results and sustainability	Mar, 2019
<b>Management</b>	Project Management	Oct, 2016-Oct, 2019



## KICK OFF MEETING 13<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2017

The OPATEL kick off meeting has been organized by Leipzig University of Applied Sciences.. The meeting was held at HTWK Leipzig, University of Applied Sciences in Leipzig, in (Germany), on 13th-17th March. More than 30 participants from 5 Countries attended the kick off meeting. A detailed list of the Participants is enclosed in this report. Managers, administrative and technical staff of HTWK, IQ, IR, PT and GR partners have been involved for the organization and management of the meeting.



After this Kick Off meeting, a lot of meeting were held in Tehran University of Medical Science (TUMS), Iraq (Erbil) & Iraq (basrah).

Opatel supported E-Learning in Iraqi Universities like:

- University of Basrah.
- University of Baghdad.
- Salahaddin University.
- University of Dohuk.

As well as Iranian Universities (eg. Tehran University of Medical Science (TUMS), Islamic Azad University- Sanandaj branch (IAUSDJ)).

### In Basrah, 2 activities were held:

- Moodle; E-learning System in Basrah Medical College.
- An application for E-learning created by a student in University of Basrah.