

Monthly Report of IPWG

Dear Members,

This is mostly the first report after our election and after our Knowledge Transfer from the previous board members.

So according to each, tasks we have achieved and goals we have on the process are :

Charalampos Tsakiridis (Treasurer):

Harris is still trying to reach the previous treasurer in order to have access to accounts and financial issues.

Armenal Minasyants (Secretary):

Armenak has developed and upgraded the quality of our Newsletters, by weekly representing a new issue on our blog, which is dangling our society. He keeps records of our group. Also he has published one article in the Online Magazine of AEGEE, "The AEGEEan" on behalf of the IPWG and another one in Key to Europe, on behalf of IPWG-Yerevan.

He suggested our firm involvement with YiA application, so the WG will manage to implement Training Courses, all around Europe and Raise Awareness on significant Political issues. He will cooperate with the responsible person (Anastacia Baskina) on this. Futhermore, he didn't stop his actions only to secretary role, but also

- voluntarily suggested renewing the IPWG site, and he will cooperate with the PR Responsible on this.
- helped very much in the promotion of the group, by encouraging people and antennas into getting more actively involved europeanly.

Tamas Keller (Human Resources Coordinator):

Tom created the list of members, clearing out the ones that had stopped been actively in the IPWG, and send it to the CD. After that he created an Open Call for participants that would attend the Online Debate, which took place on Monday 10.10.2011. After that, Tom created a survey on the topic of the second Online Debate which will be held in the near future.

Tom is also responsible for the online vote procedure, from the new applicants, as well as, he renews with feedbacks every week on our Facebook Group and Twitter account.

Sofia Zafeiri (Public Relations Coordinator):

Sophie established the cooperation with the Key to Europe as well as with the Online Magazine "The AEGEEan". Created the PR strategy for AGORA Fair and after an Open Call chose the other two motivated members of the group as responsible for it.

She will have a skype meeting on this matter in order to brainstorm and create concrete goals and divide responsibilities of the 3 Fair Responsibles. She wrote the article for the IPWG that will be included in the booklet of AGORA Skopje. Sophie, suggested cooperation with other Projects of the Network and the new initiative of IPWG, called International Political Awareness Day (IPAD).

- Created the draft presentation of the Project and the first promo video of it.
- Made and open call for the sub group which will coordinate the new project and another one for PR Sub Group of the WG.

She also sends to the ANNOUNCE-L the newsletters, with ultimate goal, the Network will have the opportunity to see one active WG and throughout this, attract new and motivated members.

Anastacia Petrushkova(Local IPWGs Coordinator):

Anastacia contacted the IPWG locals of the network, establishing a new contact and representing herself as the new Local Coordinator. After that she created a list with their activities, which will provide the whole WG with knowledge and useful outcomes as well as to check the activity of each Local, in order to help and motivate those who are not so active. She created Local IPWGs section at our web-site - with possibility to register an existing local working group or establishing of a new one. After that, followed an open call and the creation of a sub group, so the amount of tasks will be contributed. The new members that joined the sub-group are : Fuad Shahbazov (AEGEE-Baki) and Arpad Frigy (AEGEE-Budapest).

Creation of an information source (possible future joint activities between local groups and IPWG-Europe and activities on local level, guidelines and ect.). This action will be developed now with the sub group further.

- Finally, the tasks that are running are updating the database of Local IPWGs and enriching related web-section and
- Promoting Local IPWGs project

Anastasia Baskina (Projects Coordinator):

Nastia arranged the den haag open-call. Chose the members of the team after their applications and will arrange a skype meeting with them, in order to inform them and prepare them for their participation.

Vera Sokolova (Speaker) :

Unfortunately, for personal reasons our Speaker, has resigned from this position, recently. The whole group would like to thank her for her contribution so far and the vision she had and still has for this Working Group. We wish her all the best in her life and career.

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