



Strengthening resilience by offering targeted national and local scientific and practical training activities for capacity building and awareness-raising of the risks and impacts of manmade disasters
GROWTH

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**Dear reader,
Welcome to the third newsletter of the GROWTH Project.**

We are delighted to share the latest updates and achievements of our project! Let's take a look at the educational material!

The modules are designed to cover the area of risks and impacts of manmade disasters and also to promote capacity building and awareness-raising.

Therefore, they can be categorized into the following groups of subjects:

- Risk awareness and management
- Accidents and disasters
- Response and Protection Mechanism

The educational program is designed to follow the European credit system for vocational education and training (ECVET) credit standards for certification recognition across the EU. Thus, all modules are analyzed in in-class and web lectures, exam hours and homework hours. Consequently, the overall educational program corresponds to approximately 15 ECVET.

The teaching material to be used by the modules vary with the module, according to its activities. A description of the teaching material terms is given below:

Lecture Notes. Lecture notes are written in English language. Content describe completely the subject that will be taught. Examples, experiments and case studies are embedded in the lecture notes in order to show the usage of theoretical techniques.

Presentation Files. Presentations contain short exposition of lecture notes with additional graphic and audio/video material.



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Portable Experiments. Portable experimental table or similar material which will be used during lectures in order to enhance student understanding.

Homework Evaluation Exercises. A minimum number of exercises, where applicable, are developed to evaluate all the points seen in the lectures. The exercises will be elaborated by the students individually or in groups and will be a percentage within the evaluation according to the module description. Hands-on exercises are also included in this category.

Homework Workshops. The workshops will be guided exercises in which students, either individually or in groups, will be able to follow the steps taken in class at their own pace and from home. They will be directly related to the exercises and case studies seen in class.

Software. Access to various software in lecture class, where necessary.

All educational material will be uploaded on the project e-learning platform in the most effective and appropriate form.

A **course book** will be available for all participants!

Stay tuned (<https://growtherasmus.eu/newsletters/>) **for more updates as we continue to make significant progress towards our shared vision of a resilient and disaster-ready community. Together, we can build a future that is better prepared, safer, and more resilient in the face of manmade disasters.**

Thank you for your ongoing commitment and support.

GROWTH Project's Partners

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