FACING THE CHALLENGES OF EUSAIR MACROREGION. THE ROLE OF UNIVERSITIES AND HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS

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OUR REGION OUR FUTURE
Uniadrion: a 18 years old organization of 40 universities from 8 countries

Albania
• 5 Universities

Bosnia and Herzegovina
• 5 Universities

Croatia
• 5 Universities

Greece
• 4 Universities

Italy
• 11 Universities

Serbia
• 5 Universities

Slovenia
• 3 Universities

Montenegro
• 2 Universities

UNIADRION is cited in EUSAIR action plan as best practice of academic cooperation in the area
Uniadrion Strategic Objectives

SHARING KNOWLEDGE

Science
- Seeks to improve
- Demands more
- Informs
- Benefits from

Society

RESEARCH

TEACHING
UNIADRION research objectives follow the EU STRATEGY FOR THE ADRIATIC AND IONIAN REGION

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Thematic tables were established for all pillars, where ideas are discussed, projects generated, training opportunities are planned to benefit the region.
New categories of jobs will emerge, partly or wholly displacing others.

65% of children entering primary school today will end up working jobs that do not yet exist

Top 10 skills

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UNIADRION believes on expanding horizons: some problems can only be solved by making them bigger

The declaration of Trieste on interuniversity cooperation (within the Berlin process)

Promoted by uniadrion
UNIADRION does not live in an ivory tower

- Forum of the Universities of the Adriatic-Ionian region (UNIADRION)
- Forum of the Adriatic-Ionian Cities (FAIC)
- Forum of the Adriatic-Ionian Chambers of Commerce (Forum AIC)
- Conference of Peripheral Maritime Regions (CPMR)
- Adriatic-Ionian Euroregion

http://suekatz.typepad.com
Our past actions have proved our potential in contributing to the construction of a peaceful and cooperative Adriatic-Ionian Macroregion.

As the main player in research and education in the microregion, it is our hope that Regional and European Governmental authorities will make use of our experience and expertise to design the future of education and training in the region and to orientate research activities.

Please take a look at the document we prepared and distributed to provide an idea of how we can contribute to EUSAIR.
“If you think education is expensive, try ignorance”

Derek Bok - Presidente of Harvard University 1971-1990

Thanks for listening