



## Steering Committee and Course Development Meeting

Online, Over Zoom, October 2020

**Thursday, 29 October 2020**

**Participants:** Alexandre, Ana, Boa, Pedro, Liliette, Jose, Daniela, Maria, Andrey, Luigi, Vasil, Abdulghani, Micael, Ali

- Ali started the meeting by welcoming the participants.
- The meeting was held via Zoom.

### Course Development

- Public Participatory GIS: 52% of lectures are ready (video lectures and presentations). 45% of exercises are ready (introductory video, materials, guideline, presentation). 30% for Seminars and projects are ready.
- Spatial Modelling for Disaster Analysis: Did not participate meeting. They submitted a report showing that 35% overall progress has been achieved (by October 31<sup>st</sup>) with the detail of the work for the different weeks.
- Disaster Risk and Climate Change: 40% progress lectures. 35% progress on producing exercises. The project has not been started yet.
- YouthMappers is being used. Interesting for research grants and fellowship and friends. The look after for students. Students should use OPSM for map protection. They have to organize local mappings for e.g. disaster management.
- Core module is being developed.
- Translation budget has been given to UEM. Andrey thinks if other Mozambican universities should also be involved. If so, the translation budget should be shared between universities.
- We expect:
  - o 75% progress of course development by the end of Nov 2020.
  - o 100% progress by the 15th of January 2021.

### Follow ups from previous meetings

- Yifang's group has collected data from Mozambique. This data will be shared (by their simple metadata) to be used in other courses as well.
  - o Andrey suggested that other Mozambican partners collect and share data from Mozambique.
- For agent-based modelling exercise, the topic could be related to wild fire or draught. Yifang will make investigation. Also, Maria has materials in her course that Yifang will have a look.

### DMT

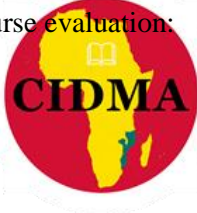
- The development started from 15 September 2020. Ongoing.

### Dissemination

- One paper in GI4DM submitted by

### Quality Assurance

- Course evaluation by pilot students will be conducted during March – July 2021.
- 18 students will participate the course evaluation:





- One student studies one course
- Distribution of the students per universities: LU(3), IST (2), PoliMi (2), KTH (2), UEM (4), UniLurio (2), UniZambeze (2), ASM (1).
- Pilot students could be current master students or alumniees
- They are paid by subcontracting: 800 Euros to Mozambican students, and 1000 Euros to European students.

### Admin

- Report working days to Irma

### Equipment

In the process of receiving permission not to pay VAT

- Mozambican partners could not get permission in October, as expected. The ministry says orally that the permission will be issued, but they don't do. We wait for another 2 weeks, and if we did not hear from the ministry, Andrey will take a more serious action by visiting ministry or such.

### Next Meeting

Dec 3, at 11:00 – 12:00 (Swedish time)

<https://lu-se.zoom.us/j/69267557633>

