

ExCurS Newsletter

November 2025

New (and last) face to face consortium meeting in Waterford. October 2025.



For two days, 1st - 2nd October, IWSI hosted all partners of the ExCurS project in Waterford (Ireland).

During these two days' work meeting, we had a new opportunity to meet face to face, checked the status of the project, reviewed the activities already developed by each WP and discussed deeply, how to successfully run the final conference at

Toys4Engineers Conference and Expo and made the last revision of the presentations and logistic for closing event.

AGENDA MEETING WATERFORD 1ST -2ND October 2025

Venue: George street (Waterford Chamber of Commerce)

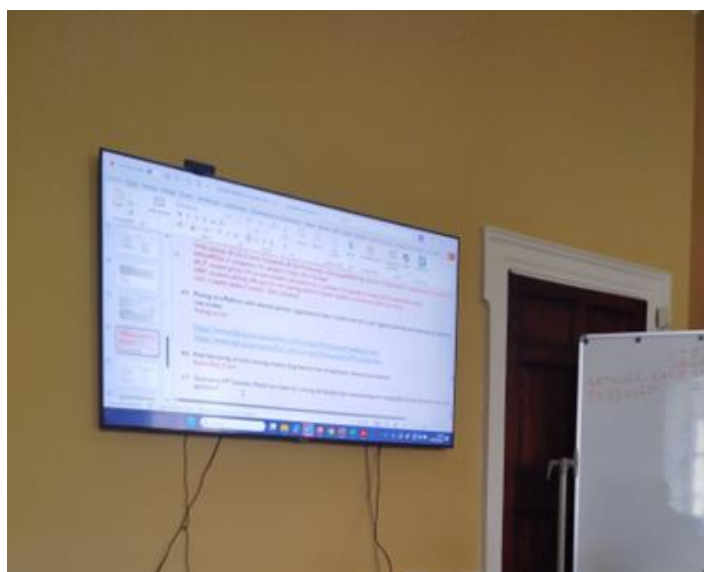
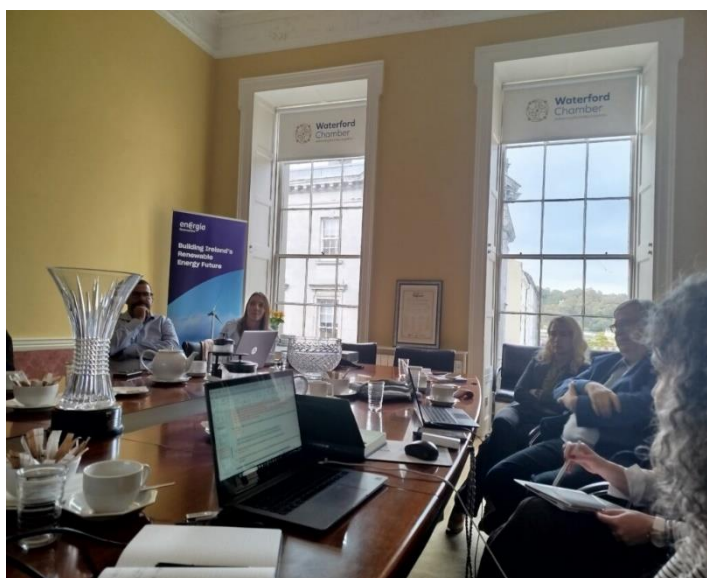
1st October 12:30-17:00

- 12:30 lunch
- 14:00. Welcome and partnership meeting.
- Status of the project and developed activities.
- Revision of the project activities per WP.
- Revision of the presentation and logistic for the final conference
- 19:30 Project dinner

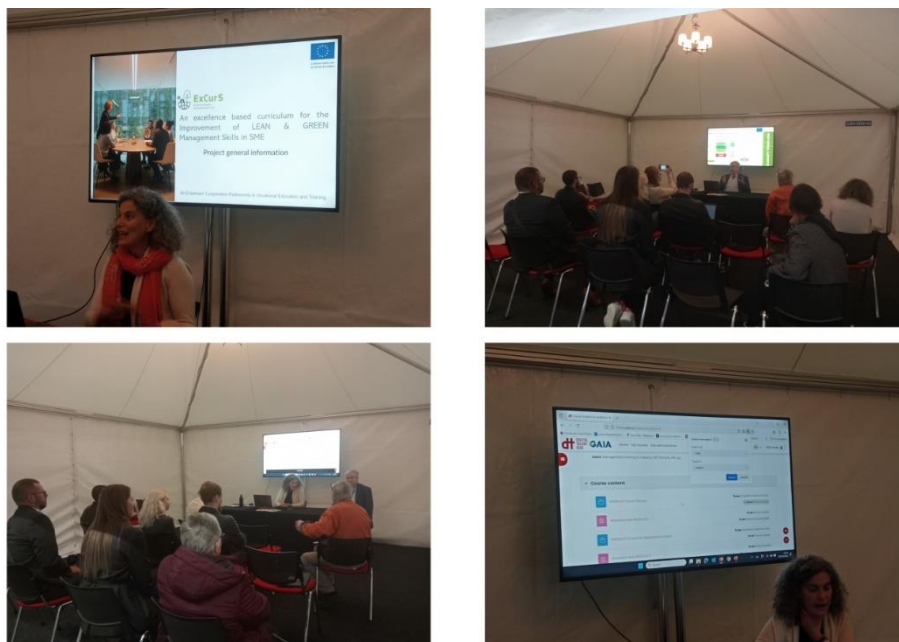
2nd October 10:00-20:30.

Venue for the meeting: SETU Arena.

- 10:00 Revision of the presentation and logistic for the final conference
- 13:00-19:00 Final conference
- 19:00-20:30 closing event and logistics matters
- 21:00 Informal closing dinner.



ExCurS Final Conference. Toys4Engineers. Waterford, October 2025



ExCurS attended Toys4Engineers celebrated at the SETU Arena last October 2nd. It was an incredible showcase of innovation, technology and engineering talent.

Toys4Engineers 2025 brought a year-round schedule of industry news, satellite events, and training opportunities. Supported by leading companies and innovators, highlighting emerging technologies, skills development sessions, and key industry discussions.

The presence and participation of ExCurS was not only with a booth but the project took this opportunity to hold the final project Closing Conference.

After more than 30 months delivering and piloting a training programme focussed on teaching LEAN & Green Management Skills for SME, thus supporting the EU new Green deal and by its hybrid training structure the digitalisation efforts, during the final conference ExCurS presented the project, the Organisational Self-Assessment and explained why to do it and finally, gave a general overview of the training platform with the developed training modules.

This event was an excellent opportunity to connect with industry leaders, innovators, and businesses driving change, while sharing how we help organisations build resilience and readiness for the future.

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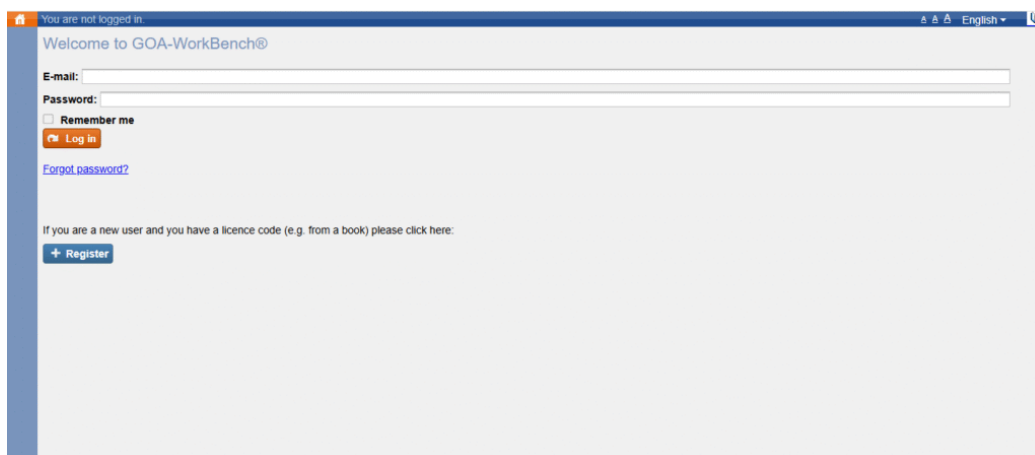


All presentations available, [here](#).



ExCurS Outputs: Self-Assessment & Training Platform

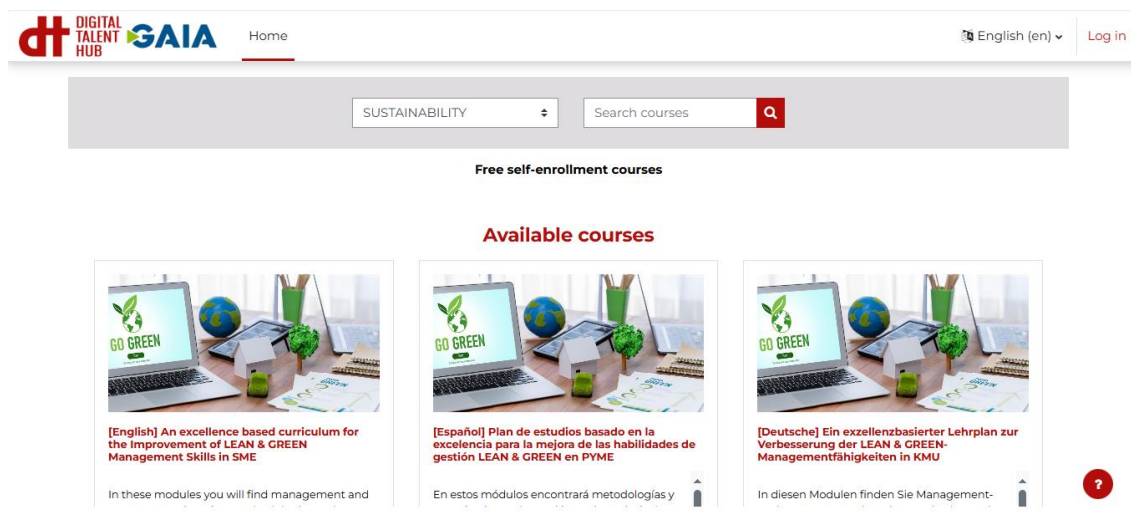
ExCurS Concept & Self-Assessment Support consists of a web based self-assessment (<https://goa-test.ibk-software.eu>) that allows the mapping of individual skills and development potentials against the corporate current and future skills requirement. The tool generates both a personal development plan, as well as allowing the specific organization to analyze what skills are needed and by whom, for pushing the company towards their strategic development goals.



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ExCurS Training Modules and Platform consist of the project adapted collection of blended training modules that address green management skills with the tele-learning part of the courses made available on the project's e-platform.

Free register in our [Virtual Talent Academy](#) and find a complete, tailored and content localized training: 12 modules in all consortium languages (German, Croatian, Romanian, English and Spanish) and 39 training modules as additional material just in English.



Publicizing ExCurS

Finally, book agreement **“Building Lean and Green Management Skills in SMEs – The ExCurS Excellence-Based Curriculum for Sustainable Growth and Digital Transformation”** agreement is now completed.

Comprising approximately 200 pages the work under the imprint Springer will be delivered by the last quarter of 2026.

Great challenge and exciting task for the coming months!

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