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Workpackage presentations

WP6: Stakeholder involvement

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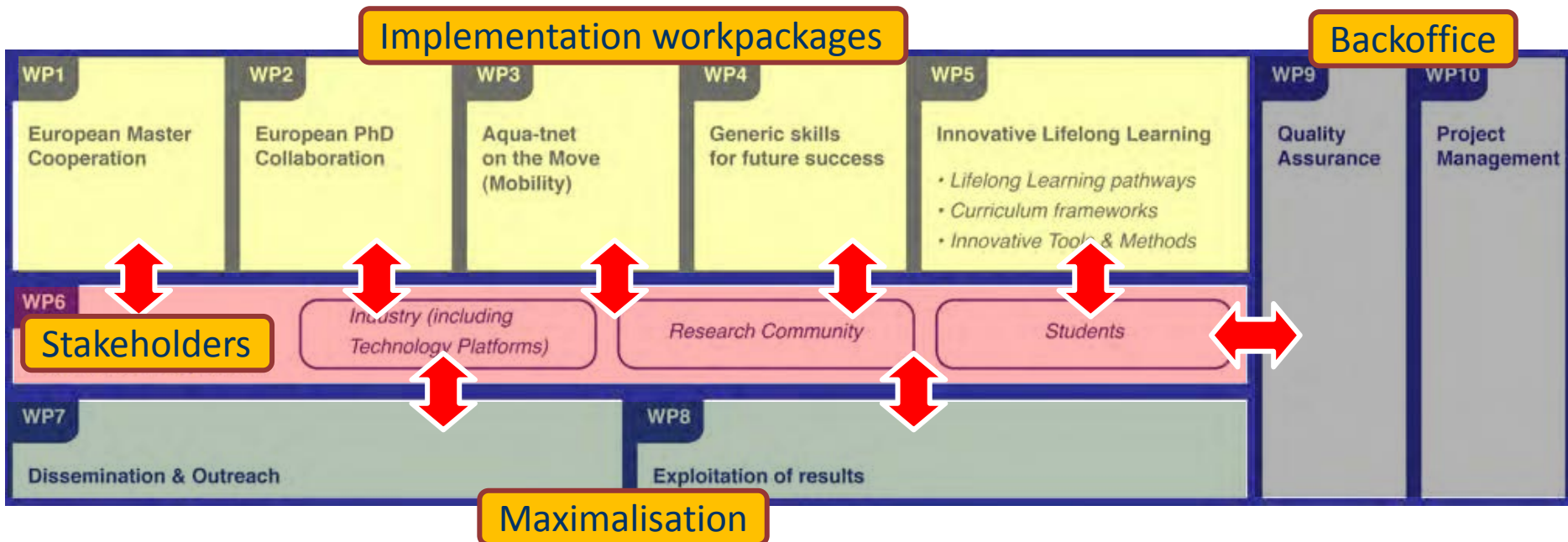
Rationale & objectives

Rationale: to promote synergies between all stakeholders involved and reinforce the link between education and society, bringing together educational, scientific and professional players, thereby contributing to Europe's innovation capacity.

Main objectives:

- Structured communication channels between education (learners and learning providers), industry, research
- Structured partnership with Technology Platforms
- Reinforce link between Higher Education Institutes and research institutes
- Reinforce link between Higher Education Institutes and students

Interactions within Aqua·tnet



WP6 – Stakeholder involvement

Expected deliverables

N°	Title	Month	Type
1	Stakeholder start-up meeting	M2	E
2/9/14	Student Forum at EAS conference 2011, 2012, 2014	M2,14,26	E
3	Industry think tank	M3	
4	Research think tank	M4	
5/11/17	Annual Event Year 1, 2, 3	M12,24,36	E
6	Sector-wide review of student associations and organizations	M12	R
7/12/18	Fine-tuning of student dissemination networks	M12,24,36	
8	Identification and databasing of stakeholder representations	M14	R
10	Industry work placements	M18	W
15	Facilitating lifelong learning in industry	M35	W
16	Research opportunities for students	M18	W
19	Final stakeholder report	M36	R

Expected output

by EAS-Student Group

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- Only 25 students attended the entire 2013 conference against >80 workshop participants in 2012
- What about student forum at EAS-AE in Oct 2014?



Objective: *guidelines for 'good practice' in organising a work placement; inventorise placement opportunities & candidates*

- ↳ Illustrate guidelines and promote internships by featuring experience of enthusiastic host companies & candidates
- ↳ Interviews recorded at Aquaculture Europe (Trondheim 2013)
- ↳ To be edited & disseminated via website



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Objective: 'promote the concepts and benefits of LLL to employers & employees'

↳ Upgrade selected deliverable(s) to 'flagship deliverable' (stakeholder centered output)

- Selected D1.3 AquaCases (= Common learning activities for learning resources)
- involved WP1 (Mike) & WP5 (Bernd)
- contracted Post-doc from GMA
- assistance of external coach

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Objective: online database on potential research opportunities for students
 → web-based query among research institutes



Interactive members map

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- [Search MSc courses](#)
- [Search MSc programmes](#)
- [Search PhD courses](#)

▼ Work experience

Internships

Short courses

Online courses

Application of Robotics and Engineering Internships (MT)

Ecosystems functions of invasive submerged macrophytes (NL)

Effect of crayfish and fish on macrophytes and water quality (NL)

Effects of Stoichiometric constraints on rotifer populations (NL)

Herbivory in aquatic omnivores (NL)

Modeling of aquatic food webs (NL)



Map Key



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