



Workshop on additive and advanced manufacturing technologies and digitalisation of production

Date: 26th of November 2024

Venue: Sheshi Skënderbej 8, Tirana 1001
Tirana International Hotel - Consortium (Event room)

Programme

09:30 - 10:00 *Registration of participants*

Opening

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| 10:00 - 10:10 | Welcome speech and the Government's intention for Additive Manufacturing in Albania | Edvin Prence <i>President of Proeksport Albania Association</i> |
| 10:10 – 10:15 | Welcome speech and the Government's intention for Additive Manufacturing in Albania | Blendi Gonxhja <i>Minister of Economy, Culture, and Innovation</i> |
| 10:15 - 10:20 | Welcome speech and the Government's intention for Additive Manufacturing in Albania | Delina Ibrahimaj <i>Minister of State for Entrepreneurship and Business Climate</i> |
| 10:20 - 10:30 | AIDA AGENCY | Laura Plaku (Saro) <i>Executive Director Albanian Investment Development Agency</i> |
| 10:30 - 11:00 | Potential of AMTECH | <i>Project partners' introduction of their objective and motivation for participating in the project consortium (IMAST, IEC TEHNOPOLIS, SIMOLISE)</i> |
| 11:00 - 11:30 | Enhancing SMEs Competitiveness in Additive Manufacturing, main challenges and opportunities | Ermira Shehi <i>Head of Textile and Fashion Department - Polytechnic University of Tirana</i> |

11:30 - 11:50 *Coffee Break*

Outlook on the integration and potential of Additive Manufacturing technologies in Albania

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| 11:50 - 12:20 | Generative design and additive manufacturing in automotive industry - AUTOMOTIVE | Greg Andoni <i>Lecturer, POLIS University Department of Art and Design Tirana and Owner of GrAnD creative industries</i> |
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| 12:20 - 12:50 | The Additive Manufacturing in TIMAK SHPK GROUP - AUTOMOTIVE | Arjeta Puca CEO of TIMAK GROUP |
| 12:50 - 13:20 | Kinemorph in additive manufacturing - renewable energy | Denis Hado - Fulvio Papadhopuli Kinemorph |
| 13:20 - 14:10 | Lunch Break | |
| 14:10 - 14:40 | Combination of AM with renewable energy structures - renewable energy | Albi Alliaj Lecturer, Structural Engineer - POLIS University |
| 14:40 - 15:10 | How additive manufacturing can change supply charge from China to Europe, to Western Balkan to Europe – General AM | Neurent Lumshi Co-Founder of XEON shpk and other company in additive Manufacturing |
| 15:10 - 15:40 | The first drone designed and built entirely in Albania, Arbi Bamllari, Co-Founder of SKAITEC - aircraft | Arbi Bramllari Co-Founder of SKAITECH |
| 15:40 - 16:10 | The potential of additive technologies for the product development and improvement in fashion and textiles industry - Textile | Lucio Ferranti CEO of Energy Group Srl |
| 16:10 - 16:40 | The Additive Manufacturing in DBS Group in Albania - Textile | Elidon Avrami Vice CEO of DBS GROU |
| 16:40 - 17:00 | Questions & Answers | Florian Zekja Cluster Manager of Proeksport Albania Association |
| Closing remarks | | |
| 17:00 - 17:10 | Closing remarks | Edvin Prence President of Proeksport Albania Association |
| 17:10 | End of the meeting | |

