



Project status in brief

The ongoing tasks in WP1 (inventory of skills) include the analysis of several focus group interviews performed in our partner countries, as well as an analysis of gaps and needs in existing education programs. An inventory of skills and competencies will be delivered in October 31, 2019.

In **WP2** the work has focused on supporting the development of the twelve case studies by organizing kick-off workshops for each case. So far, ten out of twelve such workshops have been accomplished. The work of WP2 will be thoroughly described in the annual case development report that was delivered in June 30, 2019, along with a master manual and a research protocol.

In **WP3** we are working on an overview of the most suitable approaches and methods for transformative and participatory learning, which will later be synthesized into a NextFOOD educational strategy. This overview will be delivered in a report in October 31, 2019. The continuous development of the NextFOOD education model was reported in June 30, 2019.

Our current work in **WP4** is the preparation of a survey for mapping existing policies and identifying best practices in the area of education. The outcome of this survey will be reported in October 31, 2019.

The ongoing task in **WP5** is the development of a framework for assessing societal impact of research and education. This work is guided by a review of the literature and best practices as well as interviews with experts in the field of assessment. The framework will be ready in October 31, 2019. Next step is to test this framework on two pilot organizations in Czech Republic and in Sweden.

The work in **WP6** has focused on establishing a platform for communication and dissemination, including a web site, a project platform, social media and printout material. The coming months will be focused on developing information material for a public and a scientific audience.

In **WP7** the focus is on establishing a good collaboration between partners and make use of synergies between the different tasks. We are now analyzing the 12 months financial and technical reports and are gearing up for the 18-months reporting and project evaluation.



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D2.1 Action Research Protocol. In order to ensure a synchronised data collection, this research protocol provides instructions on how to gather and analyse data from the activities performed for developing the NextFOOD case studies.

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D2.2 Master Manual draft 1. In this document, the case leaders will find specific instructions on how to develop their case towards the transformational goals. Primarily, this document will describe the iterative process of planning, implementing and reflecting, which is to be followed by each case.

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D2.5 Annual Case Report, year 1. In this document, we report the activities and outcomes in each Nextfood case, covering the three phases of case development—planning, implementation and reflection.

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D3.3 Report on educational strategy, year 1. In this document, we report on the outcomes of implementing the Nextfood educational strategy during the first year of the project. By conducting action research in the cases, data on the outcomes of the application of the strategy was gathered and reported.

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Upcoming NextFOOD events:



Project platform training tutorials for NF partners, and meeting for WP6 members

July 17 & 19, 2019

15:00 (Greece hour)



Coordination workshop for WP1 + WP3 + WP5 in Malmö/Copenhagen.

September 16-17,
Malmö/Copenhagen

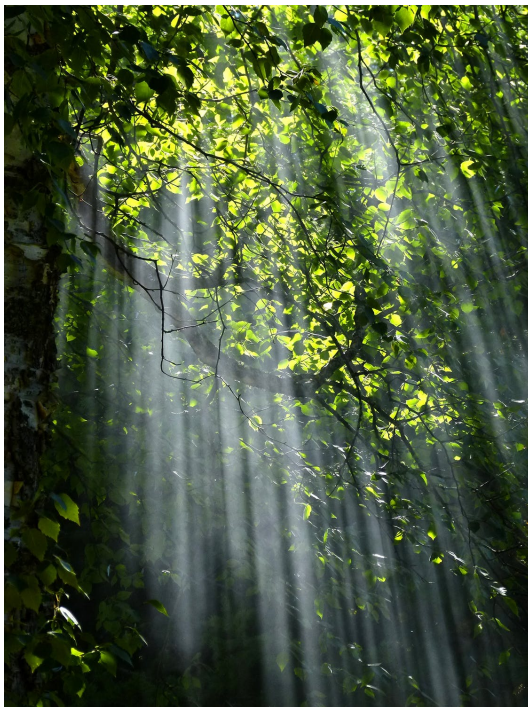
The topic of this workshop is the joint development of the future skills audit tool, the framework for educational assessment and the Nextfood educational strategy.

Meeting for planning the next step of the project dissemination and exploitation.



September 2019

This meeting gathers partners directly involved in WP6 for the planning of activities needed for an effective implementation of the dissemination and exploitation plan



Kick-off workshop for the case at Skogforsk

September 2019, Uppsala, Sweden

A WP2 activity for supporting the case study in Uppsala.

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Upcoming NextFOOD events:



Deadline for submitting the 18-months financial and technical reports to the coordinator

November 14th, 2019

All NF partners, please note the deadline!



Nextfood executive board meeting

November 18th, 2019 (on-line)

The third executive board meeting 2019



Second consortium conference in Thessaloniki, Greece.

June 3-5, 2020

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