MEnS - newsletter 2 What's up? News and opportunities



Next "Front Meeting of Skills" - FMS

WHEN

4th - 5th - 6th July 2016

FOR WHO

Architects, Engineers, Facilities
Managers, Surveyors, Designers,
Building Managers, Building
Developers, Energy Managers...
and any other professional
involved with buildings design,
construction and/or operation

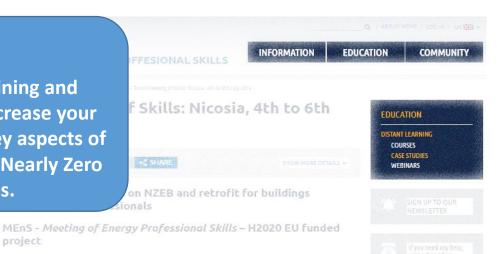
WHERE

Nicosia, Cyprus

WHAT

An interdisciplinary training and learning experience to increase your knowledge and skills on key aspects of buildings retrofit towards Nearly Zero Energy standards.

FMS



HOW

Apply simply by sending the application form to us.

Click **HERE** to learn more

WHY

- An outstanding set of contents presented by key industry representatives
- An opportunity to expand your professional network and to link with like-minded practitioners, stakeholders, manufacturers and businesses from all around Europe.











GO TO SITEMA

Yes but...

...how much does it cost?

For free: the attendance to the 3 days of training activities, the guided technical visits and the transportation to and from the buildings sites on Day 3 (from the University of Cyprus in Nicosia) are FREE of charge for all attendees.

Not included: travel to Cyprus and accommodation costs and anything else not stated in the section "FREE".

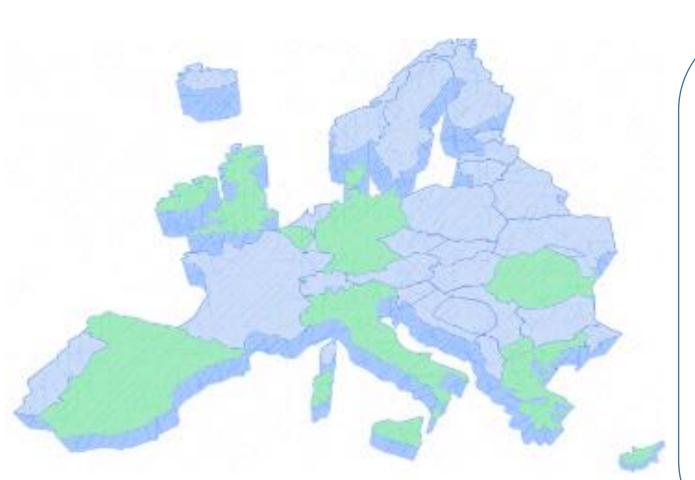
...will it give me ECTS credits?

Yes, this short course is accredited by the University of Cyprus. Participants will be able to gain 6 postgraduate learning credits equivalent to 3 ECTS (European Credit Transfer Scheme). Credits will be awarded for attendance of the 3-day short course, submission of the set coursework and successful assessment of the coursework.

No fees will be charged







Training courses for professionals

MEnS is also about FREE training courses for professionals

During the 1st Edition of MEnS Course on NZEB, a total of 364 professionals have been trained along 1200 hours of training. Courses were organized as full and part time dedication, including face-to-face and distant learning.



We have also produced a video-pill on the course delivered by the Technical University of Cluj-Napoca (RO)



MEnS project

Forgot what MEnS is about? Here's a little reminder:

- Designing and implementing suitable level educational and training programs for building professionals in 11 EU countries representing different EU areas, ensuring that certain percentage of the participants are women and unemployed professionals.
- Providing accreditation and recognition for these programs using the ECTS system that enables the recognition of proved qualifications throughout Europe.
- Researching about market and industry needs for NZEB solutions, in order to direct the specific contents of the programs accordingly.
- Utilizing modern and innovative ICT tools in the MEnS E-Learning platform, which would enhance the learning process, enable interaction between professionals in Europe and act as a true innovation park towards NZEB built on top of the BUILD-UP portal.
- Designing and implementing a series of short international educational & training programs, using a truly integrated approach that will let participants learn in a natural way using real case studies of buildings and at the same time promote their work and qualifications to possible employers.
- MEnS partners comprise six Universities with their engineering faculties, able to cover every possible aspect of NZEB issues from engineering to management and leadership, one research center for sustainable energy, two faculties of architecture, three market players and one media actor.

MEnS and PROF-TRAC

MEnS and PROF-TRAC are now working togehter!

"PROF/TRAC" targets technical experts, architects and managers involved in NZEB design and construction by developing a European training and qualification scheme that will be part of a life-long learning process for continuous development and up-skilling of professionals. Many common points with our MEnS project, but also a very complementary approach. We decided to collaborate in order to create positive synergies!

http://proftrac.eu/



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