

Deliverable 8.1: Project Website Established

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2 Scope:

The HIPERDIAS Project website has been developed in order to promote the effective dissemination of results and findings within the project. The website has been structured in a way that is informative, easy to navigate through and can target all different types of stakeholders.

This document should not be regarded to be a complete or final version. It is intended as a "living" document and as such will evolve throughout the duration of the project. This report will be reviewed by the Consortium on a yearly basis or when required, to continuously improve the HIPERDIAS dissemination activities. Updated versions of this report will be made available to the European Commission during Periodic Reporting.

HIPERDIAS dissemination activities will be monitored throughout the project in order to compare outputs against the Dissemination Strategy (which will highlighted in Deliverable 8.4 & Deliverable 8.7), as well as identifying early potential issues and to comply with European Commission reporting requirements.

The Website development has been prepared by Kite Innovation (Europe) Ltd (KITE) with the support of the Consortium Partners. KITE will be responsible for the overall coordination of the Project Website, as well as disseminating through Social Media outlets.

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3 Introduction

This document is aimed to provide a single point of reference that describes the associated aims and objectives with the Project Website and how they will be achieved throughout the lifetime of the project. Much of this information has been designed to continually review and develop the Dissemination Activities within the HIPERDIAS Project website and allow for continuous improvement.

The Consortium recognises the importance of communication within a project and has reviewed in detail the Horizon 2020 guidelines on <u>'Communicating EU research and innovation guidance for project participants'</u>.

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The purpose of having 'Aims and Objectives' is to provide direction and a sense of purpose for a project. A compelling aim is used to develop strategies and actionable tasks for the consortium to complete. Project 'Aims and Objectives' help a project direct all partners towards the same goals.

Without clear 'Aims and Objectives', a project is likely to have inefficient operations. It is difficult for partners to perform in a productive and coordinated manner on a daily/weekly basis without a clear sense of the purpose of their actions. With aims and goals, Work Package leaders are able to delegate different roles to partners in achieving shared objectives.

4.1 Aim

The aim of the HIPERDIAS Project website is 'to provide a central point of effective communication for the dissemination of results and to build on the Project Awareness to Stakeholders'.

4.2 Objectives

The Consortium intentions are to try achieve this overall goal by establishing a number of objectives throughout the life of the Project. For the first six months of the Project, the objectives have been listed below:

- 1. Establish a Social Media platform and disseminate results on a monthly basis.
- 2. Make available all Deliverable Reports that have a dissemination status as public within the Description of Action (DOA).
- 3. Disseminate Project Results on the Website (including: Publications, Conferences, Videos, Communication Kit and Press Releases).
- 4. Produce a monthly summary report on Google Analytics.
- 5. Updating the Project Website on a regular basis.
- 6. Develop hyperlinks from Partners website to Project Website.
- 7. Establish new / modified objectives at the 2nd Consortium Meeting in September 2016.

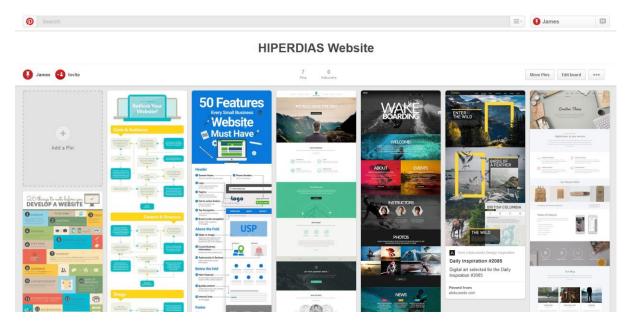
These primary objectives that have been established for the first six months and will evolve to include key performance indicators by the next Consortium Meeting in September 2016.

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5 Website Development:

5.1 Website Research

KITE began by creating a board on PINTEREST on all the items that would need to be included within the HIPERDIAS Website. This helped the team develop some ideas on the concept and how it would be achieved to build an effective website that was relevant to the project.



The HIPERDIAS Project will continue to use PINTEREST, not as a direct social media outlet, but to gather ideas and concepts for future dissemination activities e.g. Video Presentations, Social Media ideas, the Communication Kit and any other relevant activities.

To follow the HIPERDIAS project on PINTEREST, you can do so by searching the term: HIPERDIAS.

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5.2 Website Platform

Following the initial Website Research, KITE selected and identified three possible platforms to use for the project, as shown in the table below. The Table shows a number of the Strengths and Weaknesses that were highlighted from using different Website Platforms:

Website Platform	Strengths	Weaknesses
Adobe Dreamweaver	 Easy to use Management System (for someone familiar with the system) 	 Complexities in using the programme for non-users (e.g. with Coding).
	 Training Tutorials and Templates 	 Steep learning curve on how to use the system for new users.
		 Has additional costs, including: Purchasing Photographs (Shutterstock) and Widgets etc.
WordPress	- Easy to use Management System	- More costly on a yearly basis than WIX
	 Choice and flexibility of design (templates) Free images 	- No VIP Support
WIX	 Easy to use Management System Choice and flexibility of design (templates) 	 Visible advertisements on the free platform, however upgrade costs are still cheaper than WordPress.
	- Good Value for Money	- Can't change templates easily
	- Support Team and Community	 Not designed to manage complex e-commerce needs.
	- Free images	

KITE opted to use WIX due to its functionality, free imagery and value for money. After a small cost analysis for the purposes of this project, it was calculated that WIX would be approximately €250 and €400 cheaper than using the WordPress and Dreamweaver.

The following domain name was also purchased at the start of the project and can be used as a direct link to the Website: http://www.hiperdias.eu

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5.3 Website Design

The Website has been designed in an easy to navigate way that allows users to learn about the Project and its project results.

The Website is divided into several sections, including:

- **The Homepage:** This provides a basic overview of the project and includes News about the project
- **About the Project:** This contains the abstract, aims and objectives of the project.
- **Project Partners:** A list of all of the Partners and information about them, including links to the partner's websites and Partner logo.
- **Publications:** A list of all abstracts from the Consortium, Public Deliverables, Manuscripts, Marketing Material, Publication Strategy, Press Releases and Video.
- Project News: News about the Project
- **Members Areas:** A secured location, where all documentation about the project will be kept. This is only available to members of the Consortium.
- **Useful Links:** Links to key information about H2020.
- **Contact us:** A contact form, where users can contact the Project Management Team.

The Project has also made acknowledgements to the European Union's Horizon 2020 Research and Innovation Programme and Photonics 21 in all pages of the website and also links to Social Media platforms.

5.4 Social Media

KITE will use Twitter and LinkedIn as their main social media platforms for the project. The Consortium have decided these are the most suitable approaches in achieving the overall goals of Work Package 8. A social media mapping exercise will be completed at the next consortium meeting to outline when key results will be disseminated.

The Consortium may wish to add further Social Media Platforms, including: Facebook, Wikipedia, YouTube and many others.

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6 Future development of the Project Website and Strategy

Partner consultation will take place at each Consortium Meeting as a means to identify potential ways of improving the website. It is acknowledged that successful implementation of the website aims and objectives also hinges on the combined efforts of all consortium members.

Partners are to inform the project management team when disseminating any activities in regards to the Project, which might include:

- Project Results
- Attendance of Conferences
- & also images of Partners disseminating there Project Results.

The idea is to gather as much rich data as possible during the lifetime of the project and select the best items to be disseminated.

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