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### CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME: TRAINING IN GREECE, MARCH 2024

*The first training was conducted in Greece at the International Hellenic University (IHU), between February 05 and February 09, 2024.*

Nine academics from Jordan (JUST, BAU) and Palestine gathered at the Creative Design & Clothing Department (CDC) of the IHU University, to embark on an immersive journey into the realm of 3D technologies in fashion education. Through a series of workshops, presentations, and hands-on experiences, attendees gained invaluable insights and practical skills that promise to reshape the future of the fashion industry in their countries.

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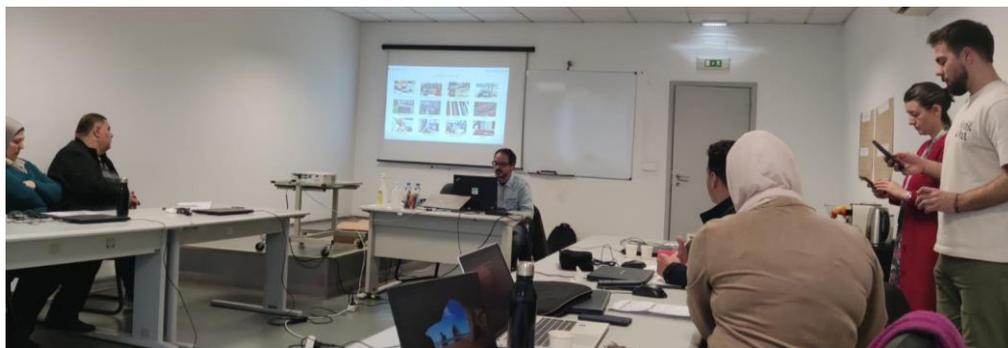




## CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME: TRAINING IN PORTUGAL, MARCH 2024

*The second training was conducted in Portugal, at the facilities of CITEVE at Vila Nova de Famalicão, between February 26 and March 1, 2024.*

Seven teachers from Jordan (JUST, BAU) and Palestine (PTUK) took part in the training programme which aims to modernise the training offer in the clothing sector in these countries by incorporating the principles of 3D clothing design into initial training curricula and improving the knowledge of current employees in design departments. The content explored covered: 3D Fashion Design, Digital Showroom & Visual Merchandising and Digital Materials. The training week ended with the recording of a podcast and 3D textile printing.





## JUST: MEETING WITH GARMENT DESIGN & TRAINING SERVICES CENTER (GSC)

*JUST and Garment Design & Training Services Center (GSC) conducted a meeting on June 11 2024.*

Within the 3DGarT project, Mr. Hassan Al-Nsour, Executive Director of GSC, visited Jordan University of Science and Technology (JUST). A meeting was held with the Director of European Projects at the University, Dr. Fahmi Abu Al-Rub. During the meeting, the two sides discussed ways of cooperation in offering a joint diploma in fashion design. The meeting was attended by the University of Science and Technology team participating in 3dGarT and from the GSC, Mira Jinat, Head of the Department of Administrative Affairs and Jude Ayoub, Program coordinator



### **New partner in the project – Grant Agreement amendment, May 2024**



The project has welcomed the addition of Nablus Technical University (NU-VTE) after the unfortunate termination of Palestinian partner PTCDB from Gaza.

After concluding the deliberations with the EACEA, the Grant Agreement was amended and agreed anew with the EU from May 1st, 2024. The next steps include the conclusion of the Capacity Building sessions in Greece and Portugal for NU-VTE and the purchasing of computers and 3D software.

Nablus University for Vocational and Technical Education is a welcome addition and is expected to complement the existing partnership towards a successful conclusion of the 3DGarT project.





# CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME: 2<sup>ND</sup> TRAINING IN PORTUGAL AND GREECE FOR NEW PARTNER, NU-VTE

*The final part of the training was conducted in Greece between 19 and 21 June 2024, and in Portugal between 24 and 26 June 2024.*

Following the entrance of the new partner to the consortium, NU-VTE, the project proceeded quickly to cover lost time with the implementation of the last part of the Capacity Building in Portugal and Greece. Two persons from Nablus University NU-VTE from Palestine travelled to Thessaloniki (IHU) between 19-21 June 2024 and to Vila Nova de Famalicão (CITEVE) between 26-28 June 2024.



# MOU SIGNING BETWEEN IHU-NU-VTE AND CITEVE-NU-VTE

During their visit to Greece and Portugal, apart from training, the delegates from Nablus Technical University had the opportunity to meet with official representatives from the International Hellenic University and from CITEVE, at the sidelines of the two different training occasions, and have conversations towards strengthening ties of cooperation in order to establish intersectional skills and proceed to the exchange of pedagogical best practices applied to the sector, encourage internships and the creation of joint actions. These conversations led to the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with CITEVE and the preparation of a second MoU with IHU, which is currently awaiting the digital signature of Nablus Technical University. This initiative aims to enhance collaboration and facilitate innovation within our team.



## WHAT'S NEXT?

### Preparation of training material for pilot VET sessions

WP4 - Development of Courses in 3D Garment Design began in January 2024 and over the next few months the partners from Jordan and Palestine will be focusing on developing the tasks: T4.1 - Description of the training modules - training syllabus, T4.2 - Development of materials for the training courses and T4.3 - Pilot implementation of courses in Jordan and Palestine.

The activities developed are based on the materials designed in WP2 of the project, namely the training sessions developed in Greece (IHU) and Portugal (CITEVE).

This WP will culminate in the pilot implementation of the training programmes being developed in the universities of the two countries represented in the project - BAU, JUST, PTUK and NU VTE - between next October and the end of the project in December 2025.

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