

### **Period of activity: 2010**

The directions of Pedagogical Network activities have been focused on launching of the new phase of the network developing. In accordance with the prolongation of the Agreement the elaboration of the ESD development ways has become the main direction of the activities at the new stage.

We've made an essential input into the solving of the main objectives of the Programme in accordance with the Agreement of Network Launching:

- we've been improving the partnership relations in the process of developing and using ICT in education, in particular, together with UNESCO Institute of ICT (Moscow, Russia)
- we've set the partnership relations between different establishment in the network in order to work out the joint programs, to share the experience and to promote the mobility among academicians and students
- we've been developing the methods of interdisciplinary and innovative research by exchanging knowledge and upgrading the existing programmes on the retraining of teaching staff for ESD
- we've been bringing about the constant discussions of the problems associated with the multicultural dialogue in the wide circles of the public using the means of pedagogical education.

The contribution to research studies of the participants of UNESCO Cooperation Programme by expanding international collaboration with UNESCO and its organizations, innovative activity of universities by involving different specialists in the development of UNESCO research international projects, distribution of network participants' research experience in the field of ESD at international level by cooperating with UNESCO are the achievements of UNESCO Pedagogical Network over the reporting period.

Major outcomes of corporative activities at Cooperation Programme with special reference to its impact on human, social and cultural development:

at local level – active use of the creative capacity of scholars, university staff and teachers and UNESCO associated schools with perspective on the development and intensification of the ESD potential

at national level – systematic improvement of pedagogical education for ESD through updating own resources for the members of the Programme

at regional level – the joining of the efforts of the network members in order to train the teachers of a new kind that are able to respond to the challenges of ESD using ICT

at international level – the further developing of the network in accordance with UNESCO policy documents that are linked to the problems of education for sustainable development and the launch of the new international project “The Teacher of Peace” focused on the strengthening of humanitarian aspects in the strategy of sustainable development, which includes inclusive peacemaking, welfare, voluntary and educational activities, and the implementation of the tasks for the second half of the UN Decade ESD (workshop conference “Sustainable Development in the context of Globalization: the Implementation of UNESCO Strategy for the Second Half of the UN Decade of Education for Sustainable Development” ( December 7-8 2010, Moscow) with the participation of UNESCO Chairs).