

Godišnji izveštaj o transformaciji (izvodi)

Glavni cilj transformacije Instituta društvenih nauka u regionalni centar izvrsnosti postavljen je kroz evaluaciju njegovih kapaciteta od strane INOMER-a. U skladu s ovim ciljem, osmišljene su aktivnosti planirane u TP-u i Sporazumu. Svi zaposleni uključeni su u proces transformacije, a aktivnosti vode Tim za transformaciju, rukovodioci centara Instituta, Upravni odbor i Stručna služba. Tokom rada na transformaciji Instituta, zaključeno je da će se uložiti aktivni naponi u narednim godinama kako bi se postigla suštinska programska, organizaciona i kadrovska transformacija Instituta, što uključuje prilagođavanje evropskom istraživačkom prostoru.

Osim aktivnosti planiranih u TP-u, jedinstveni plan transformacije takođe obuhvata druge aktivnosti poput: pridruživanje multidisciplinarnoj istraživačkoj mreži EU Agencije za osnovna prava/Franet, sticanje savetodavnog statusa u oblasti socijalne inkluzije i etnokulturnih politika u telima Saveta Evrope, aktivno učešće u infrastrukturi ESS ERIC (Evropsko društveno istraživanje), jača saradnja između istraživača i naučnih institucija i univerziteta u EU, i sl.

Važno je napomenuti da je u toku rekonceptualizacija Strategije IDN-a za period 2023-2033, uključujući nacionalnog stručnjaka koji će tesno saradivati sa istraživačkim timom IDN-a. Kako bi se stvorila održiva strategija, organizovane su ankete među zaposlenima u IDN-u i javno mnjenje na reprezentativnom uzorku.

Jedan od strateških pravaca razvoja usmeren je na jačanje saradnje sa naučnim centrima u regionu. U tom smislu, aktivnosti unutar Akademske mreže za saradnju u Jugoistočnoj Evropi (<https://ancsee.org/>), koordinisane od strane IDN-a od 2017. godine, sada su intenzivirane. Od početka rada na projektu SAIGE, AMSJIE je organizovao dva niza predavanja o Multikulturalizmu i Levici, organizovao dva međunarodna naučna skupa u Hrvatskoj i Srbiji i održao tri sastanka Mreže (Ljubljana, Beograd, Ucinj). Rezultati rada AMSJIE-a predstavljeni su na konferenciji ESS ERIC u Briselu, koju su suorganizovali Evropska komisija (Brisel, april 2023). Na sastanku u Ucinju, usvojene su strateške odluke prema predlogu IDN-a, koje doprinose ostvarivanju pomenutog osnovnog strateškog cilja iz TP-a:

AMSJIE-u su se pridružili Centar za pitanja manjina iz Flensburga, Leibniz-Institut für Ost- und Südosteuropaforschung iz Regensburga i Institut za manjine i etničke studije iz Maribora;

Razvijen je radni program podrške organima Saveta Evrope u praćenju javnih politika o socijalnoj inkluziji i antidiskriminaciji u Jugoistočnoj Evropi do kraja 2023. godine;

3. Razvoj regionalnog projekta kao osnove za buduću HORIZON aplikaciju.

Pored ovih aktivnosti, IDN je revitalizovao svoj rad u regionalnoj WB ESS mreži, koja jača kapacitete za empirijska istraživanja u društvenim naukama u zemljama Zapadnog Balkana. Na kraju, IDN je formirao Međunarodni savetodavni odbor, okupljajući stručnjake koji igraju vodeću ulogu u društvenim naukama u evropskom prostoru (Rory Fitzgerald, direktor ESS ERIC; Patrick Simon, INED, Pariz; Georg Lutz, FORS, Lozana; Sonja Novak Lukanovič, INP, Ljubljana; Martin Dietz, Helvetas; Andre den Exter, Univerzitet u Rotterdamu).

Druga strateška aktivnost usmerena je na razvoj Internet panela na reprezentativnom nacionalnom uzorku (RIP), koji ima za cilj povezivanje fundamentalnih i primenjenih istraživanja unutar IDN-a. Cilj je uspostaviti vezu između istraživanja i javnih politika, ekonomije i civilnog društva, kao i obezbediti pouzdan metod sprovođenja istraživanja javnog mnjenja zasnovan na komercijalnim principima. Ovo je fundamentalni projekat za društvene nauke u Srbiji, a formiran je Konzorcijum za razvoj RIP-a, uključujući Filozofski fakultet u Novom Sadu, Nišu i Beogradu, Institut za sociološka istraživanja, i Institut za filozofiju i društvenu teoriju. Strateški sastanak održan je u Sremskoj Kamenici u okviru TP-a, uz učešće predstavnika iz NITRA, SAIGE i partnerskih organizacija. Postignut je dogovor o zajedničkom delovanju i radu na razvoju RIP-a, o čemu je NITRA zvanično obavestena. Razvoj RIP-a zahteva Studiju izvodljivosti, koja će biti pripremljena od strane stručnjaka sa najvišim kvalifikacijama i iskustvom, nakon sprovođenja međunarodnog poziva. Očekuje se da će ova aktivnost biti završena do kraja septembra 2023. godine.

Treći strateški pravac je jačanje kapaciteta IDN-a za ravnopravno učešće u međunarodnim pozivima za naučne istraživačke projekte (HORIZON, ERC, SF i drugi). U tom smislu, angažovana je međunarodna stručnjakinja Elke Dall, naša IIC, da vodi IDN u razvoju aplikacije za Twinning Horizon program u saradnji sa Nacionalnim demografskim institutom (INED), Pariz, i Centrom za napredne studije (Beč). Takođe, u konzorcijumu koji obuhvata devet instituta i fakulteta, razvija se Koncept nota za HORIZON aplikaciju iz oblasti Zdravstva uz podršku agencije EUTA. Obe aktivnosti će biti završene do septembra 2023. godine. U međuvremenu, IDN je obezbedio finansiranje za jedan projekat od Fonda za nauku u okviru programa Ideje, gde koordinira aktivnosti i učestvuje kao partner u još dva projekta. Podneto je pet projekata Fondu za nauku u okviru programa Prizma i jedan projekat u okviru programa Promis.

Annual Report (Excerpts)

The main goal of the transformation of the Institute of Social Sciences into a regional center of excellence was established through an evaluation of its capacities by INOMER. In accordance with this goal, activities planned in the TP and the Contract were devised. All employees are involved in the transformation process, and the activities are led by the Transformation Team, heads of the Institute centers, the Board of Directors, and the Specialist Service. During the work on the transformation of the Institute, it was

concluded that active efforts will be made in the coming years to achieve a substantive programmatic, organizational, and staff transformation of the Institute, which includes adaptation to the European research area.

In addition to the activities planned in the TP, the unique transformation plan also includes other activities such as: joining the multidisciplinary research network EU Fundamental Rights Agency/Franet, obtaining consultative status on social inclusion and ethnocultural policies in the bodies of the Council of Europe, active participation in the ESS ERIC infrastructure (European Social Survey), increased collaboration between researchers and scientific institutions and universities in the EU, and more.

It is important to mention that the reconceptualization of the IDN Strategy for the period 2023-2033 is currently underway, involving a national expert who will closely collaborate with the IDN research team. To create a sustainable Strategy, a survey of IDN employees and a public opinion survey on a representative sample have been organized.

One of the strategic directions of development is strengthening cooperation with scientific centers in the region. In this regard, activities within the Academic Network for Cooperation in Southeastern Europe (<https://ancsee.org/>), coordinated by IDN since 2017, have been intensified. Since the beginning of work on the SAIGE project, AMSJIE has held two lecture series on Multiculturalism and the Left, organized two international scientific conferences in Croatia and Serbia, and conducted three Network meetings (Ljubljana, Belgrade, Ulcinj). The results of AMSJIE's work were presented at the ESS ERIC conference in Brussels, co-organized by the European Commission (Brussels, April 2023). At the Ulcinj meeting, strategic decisions were adopted upon the proposal of IDN, which contribute to the realization of the aforementioned basic strategic goal from the TP:

1. AMSJIE has been joined by the Center for Minorities Issues from Flensburg, the Leibniz-Institut für Ost- und Südosteuropaforschung from Regensburg, and the Institute for Minorities and Ethnic Studies from Maribor;

2. A work program has been developed to support the bodies of the Council of Europe in monitoring public policies on social inclusion and antidiscrimination in Southeastern Europe by the end of 2023; 3. The development of a regional project as a basis for a future HORIZON application.

In addition to these activities, IDN has revitalized its work in the regional WB ESS Network, which strengthens the capacities for empirical research in social sciences in WB countries. Finally, IDN has formed an International Advisory Board, bringing together experts who play a leading role in social sciences in the European perspective (Rory Fitzgerald, Director of ESS ERIC; Patrick Simon, INED, Paris; Georg Lutz, FORS, Lausanne; Sonja Novak Lukanovič, INP, Ljubljana; Martin Dietz, Helvetas; Andre den Exter, Rotterdam University).

The second strategic activity is focused on developing an Internet panel on a representative national sample (RIP), which aims to connect fundamental and applied research within IDN. The goal is to establish a link between research and public policies, economy, and civil society, as well as to provide a reliable method of conducting public

opinion research based on commercial principles. This is a fundamental project for social sciences in Serbia, and a Consortium for the development of RIP has been established, including the Faculties of Philosophy in Novi Sad, Niš, and Belgrade, the Institute for Sociological Research, and the Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory. A strategic meeting was held in Sremska Kamenica within the TP framework, with the participation of representatives from NITRA, SAIGE, and partner organizations. An agreement on joint action and work on the development of RIP was reached, and NITRA was officially informed about it. The development of RIP requires a feasibility study, which will be prepared by an expert with the highest qualifications and experience, following an international call. It is expected that this activity will be completed by the end of September 2023.

The third strategic direction is strengthening IDN's capacity for equal participation in international calls for scientific research projects (HORIZON, ERC, SF, and others). In this regard, an international expert, Elke Dall, our IIC, has been engaged to lead IDN in developing an application for the Twinning Horizon program in collaboration with the National Demographic Institute (INED), Paris, and the Center for Advanced Studies (Vienna). Additionally, in a consortium involving nine institutes and faculties, a Concept Note for a HORIZON application from the Health Cluster is being developed with the support of EUTA agency. Both activities will be completed by September 2023. Meanwhile, IDN has obtained funding for one project from the Science Fund within the Ideas Program, where it coordinates the activities and participates as a partner in two more projects. Five projects have been submitted to the Science Fund under the Prizma Program and one project under the Promis Program.