

## eTEN Newsletter September 2004

### eTEN Project of the month

#### Heidi - Huge Environmental Information Distribution



The EU is oriented towards managing all environmental resources through a single actor. The aim of the HEIDI project is to contribute to this goal by means of a **new information system, specialised in collecting and processing data coming from environmental plants** (like waste water treatment plants or purification plants) with the positive effect for the plants owners of avoiding the purchase and setting up of expensive equipment. The HEIDI network, integrated with other environmental nets currently growing, will help businessmen to get the right information to choose the most suitable strategies for the economic, social and environmental development of their companies. [More](#)

### News from the eTEN projects

#### Netcards successfully runs pilot during the Olympic Games



During the Olympic Games, access to health care service in pilot hospitals was simplified thanks to the NETCARDS process. After the successful first period, the Greek Ministry of Health decided to **keep all the 14 pilot hospitals running during the Para-Olympics Games that will take place from 17 until 28 September**. [More](#)



eSEVESO, a new eTEN project is organising a workshop on 27/10/2004. Brussels (Belgium)

e-Seveso aims to deploy a digital service through Europe for **monitoring the industrial management Security**, mainly in SMEs, that increases the collective protection of people, goods and environment by means of the effective sharing of the resources of the Information and Communication Technologies (ICT). [More](#)

### News from the eTEN programme

#### Romania now fully participating



Romania, an EU candidate country, is now able to fully participate in the eTEN programme. The Memorandum of Understanding between the European Community and Romania was signed in Bucharest on 14 June 2004 by Commissioner Liikanen and Minister Dan Nica. Romania will participate fully in the eTEN programme in 2004, 2005 and 2006. [More](#)



## Events and conferences

27-29/10/2004: eChallenges, Vienna (Austria)

eChallenges 2004 will be focusing on eBusiness, eGovernment, eWork, eEurope 2005 and ICT take-up by SMEs. Attending eTEN projects: [DAMS](#), [E-PROLEARN](#), [HERMES 2](#), [MACRO](#), [MEDASHIP](#), [METACAMPUS REAL](#), [NETCARDS for EHIC](#), [OPTESS](#), [PAPAS](#), [RISER](#), [SPES](#), [TRUSTED@WORK4HOMES](#).

DG Information Society and Media Directorate D Director **Joao Da Silva**, will open the conference, eTEN Head of Unit **David Broster** and eTEN Project Officers **Emilie Normann** and **Peter Diry** will chair sessions and/or be present in the stand from the eTEN programme. [More](#)



30/09/2004-01/10/2004: Seminar: Health Travel, a new option, Barcelona (Spain)

eTEN Project Officer **Pascal Collotte** will attend this event and make a presentation about **eHealth deployment through the eTEN programme**. [More](#)

29-30/09/2004: 5th worldwide forum on electronic democracy, Issy-les-Moulineaux (France)



"The information society: a new opportunity for democracy?" The **SPES project** will participate in this event that focuses on **the use of information technologies in the public sphere**. [More](#)

22-24/09/2004: "e-Smart" Conference, Sophia Antipolis (France)



This International Meeting will focus on **the role of smart card in the development of e-Government and Smart Cities**. The **SPES project** will participate in this event. [More](#)



18-23/09/2004: ICAM12, International Confederation of Architectural Museums, Venice (Italy)

The co-ordinator of the **project ECMADE** will chair [a session](#) on Thursday 23 September 2004. [More](#)

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