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Why we think this is important

• Identified need but lacking resources
  • People
  • Programs
  • Infrastructure

• Workforce gap
  • ICT jobs created in past 10 years = 6,500
  • By 2025 = 10,000 more

• Vision to develop nation through education
Proposed architecture

National research school involving Kosovo universities

- Individual infrastructure
- Individual research focus
- Individually accredited by national agency
The three-layered approach of the project

- Infrastructure Layer
- Research capacity layer
- National PhD program
National School Model

The consortium has conducted an analysis of different international PhD education in ICT including models for the PhD School,
- a novel concept in Kosovo.

The role model is the Swedish National PhD School, Management and IT, hosted by Uppsala University.

The next steps are the establishment, start-up and sustainability plan of the PhD School.
Thank you!

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