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Abstract

This report provides a description of the Fun4Design project's public website and its final structure. The project website is an important dissemination tool, being one of the main channels to present Fun4Design to the project stakeholders and extended audience. It is an informative website that presents the main project information to the general public, such as the objectives and work structure, and provides links to the social media platforms for news and updates.

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1 INTRODUCTION

The public website is one of the most relevant dissemination and communication tools of the project, as it provides a platform to efficiently convey the more important information about project Fun4Design, in a way that it allows the project stakeholders and the general public to acquire a high-level understanding of the challenges the project proposes to address and the solution that will be implemented to achieve this goal. The Fun4Design website has been developed under Work Package 7 – Dissemination and Communication Management. It was online in the first days of January 2024 through our laboratory page into the following link:

<https://www.ideas.upatras.gr/fun-4-design/>

This report describes the Fun4Design project's public website including the final structure of the website and its contents.

2 WEBSITE FINAL STRUCTURE AND CONTENTS

The project public website was designed, as mentioned previously, as a “one-page” style website, being composed of a main page, where the website lands when following the link, and 3 additional sections. The main page of the website presents, in few words, the overarching objective of the project and the main pillars of the concept. On top of the page there is the menu bar of the website, with the project logo, which allows to navigate through all the website’s sections. The Fun4Design website’s home page, as seen when accessed through a computer, is presented in Figure 1.



Figure 1. Fun4Design website homepage.

All remaining sections of the website are accessible from the menu bar, which is always visible on the top of the page at any given moment. The sections in which the website is structured are the following:

- Home (Project overview with workflow)
- About (Key objectives)
- Dissemination

The following sub-sections present the different tabs of the website and their contents.

2.1 Project overview and workflow (“Home” tab)

In this section, a short description of the project, its scope and its goals is presented, in such a way as to provide a high-level view of the proposed solution. Moreover, the project workflow is presented using a graphical slide that provides all the tasks of the project (Figure 2).



Figure 2. Fun4Design project overview and workflow.

2.2 Key Objectives (“About” tab)

The second section of the website presents the work structure of the project, not in the common way of outlining the project work packages, but by presenting the main objectives of the concept, providing an overview on how the proposed solution is logically structured. This section serves as the focal point of Fun4Design’s research, providing readers with an overview of the project’s expected results. At the same time,

these results define the specific tasks required to achieve the project’s overall aim: integrating sustainability and recyclability considerations into the conceptual design phase of multi-material systems through a decision-making tool (Figure 3).



Figure 3. Fun4Design project key objectives.

2.3 Dissemination

In this section, the public will be able to access the public deliverables of the Fun4Design project. This allows the public to get a better and more detailed view on the project and its achievements, while also providing an idea of the overall progress. The project deliverables will be presented as PDF files and will be able to be directly downloaded from the website. Figure 6 presents this section of the website, with some example files for illustration purposes:



Figure 4. Fun4Design’s website section: Dissemination

Also, this section presents the list of our Team and External Partners that work in Fun4Design project, with their logos and the links to their respective official websites. Figure 5 presents the layout of this section of the website.



Figure 5. Fun4Design’s website section: Our Team and External Partners

2.4 Bottom side menu

Finally, the last section of the website provides information regarding the HFRI and the National Recovery and Resilience Plan “Greece 2.0” funded by the European Union –NextGenerationEU logos and the acknowledgement of the financial support received by the HFRI. Also, an additional significant feature of the website “Follow us on social” is the integration of social media, allowing visitors to interact more with our research activities. This section is shown in Figure 6.

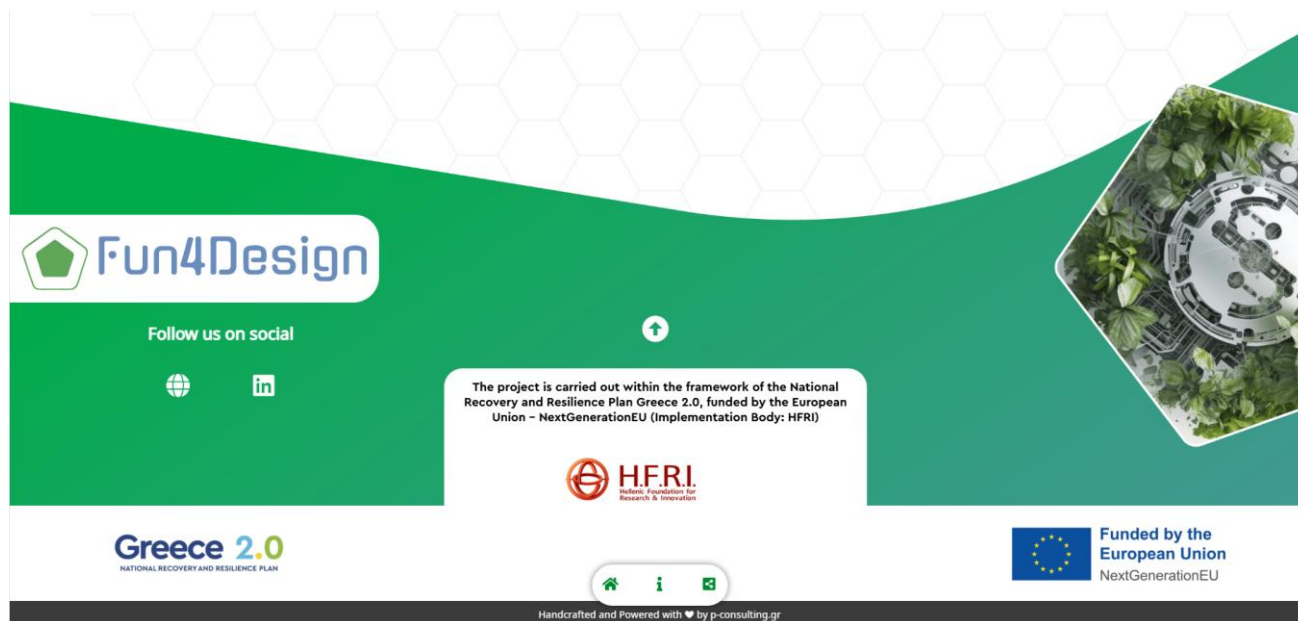


Figure 6. Bottom side menu

3 CONCLUSIONS

The Fun4Design website has been created to ensure a cohesive and effective messaging. The website is an effective digital communications tool to enhance communication and dissemination activities to a greater audience. Furthermore, it opens the Fun4Design project to further collaboration thereby creating a greater project impact.