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Reiserapporter fra tre deltakere på EAHIL Workshop

Fra Larisa Zhmykhova og Elena Ganina
This workshop took place at Koc University. It is a private university located on a beautiful hillside campus overlooking the Black Sea, near Istanbul. The organization of training process and programs in other libraries were especially interesting. Now our library has similar problems to solve. Today this question is very important for us because of the new status of our Academy. We will be working not only with postgraduate students but also with medical students of our new University.

We have learned much about new technologies applied for training of users in libraries. The most interesting reports for us were:

- Using Moodle e-learning platform for first year students library training – three years of transformation/ Witold Koza-kiewicz - Poland
- Medical information specialist as teacher. Teaching searching skills/ Leena Lodenius, Mari Honkanen - Finland

And of course the social program has been organized excellently. We were delighted with the Dinner cruise on the Bosphorus, the visit to Suleymaniye Manuscript Library.

We would like to express our gratitude to all organizers for the hospitality during the workshop.

Fra Liubov Mezentseva:
I was able to go to the seminar in Istanbul thanks to a grant. The seminar was very interesting. It seems to me that its theme had something in common with the theme Transfer of Knowledge IX in Petrozavodsk, as it has been devoted to learning and research partners in health. I was interested in reports of participants from Poland, USA and Canada about their experience of creation and use of on-line courses for training of library users. Our library now works with this problem and I hope that the knowledge received at a workshop, will help to realize it successfully.

Istanbul is a very beautiful city, it makes fantastic impression! I am very glad that I could see its sights. Once again many thanks. I hope that our cooperation will proceed. We will be glad to see you in Karelia and Petrozavodsk.