# DEVELOPING LABOUR MARKET ADAPTABILITY AND SUPPORTING THE TRANSITION IN SECTOR "B" MINING AND QUARRYING

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## **HISTORY**

- BDSZ has been involved in the European Social Dialogue in the extractive industry for 25 years.
- BDSZ has carried out several European and national projects on underground and opencast mine closures in the past decades (e.g. "Step by step" with EU support in 2009, "A predictable future in energy policy" - Swiss-Hungarian cooperation programme - before the closure of the last underground coal mine, the Márkushegy mine in 2012, International Energy Conference - November 2019)
- Dr. Károly Stanitz represents BDSZ in the European Platform of Coal Regions
- The projects have aimed at informed decision making and creating security and a vision for workers.

## **HISTORY**

- The Visonta and Bükkábrány mines of Mátra Power Plant Ltd. are the last significant lignite production units
- On 12 November 2018 BDSZ prepared the synopsis for the project proposal
- We submitted the GINOP proposal together with the Hungarian Mining Association
- Implementation started on 1 April 2020

## THE PROJECT



#### Main tasks:

- Increasing the adaptability of the employees of Mátra Power Plant MVM Mátra Energia Zrt. to the labour market.
- The planned pilot project will be implemented with the involvement of employees
  working in the mining plants of Mátra Power Plant in order to provide a methodology
  that can be used in other mining companies or in other sectors, in order to help and
  support the transition to the labour market without any problems.
- The project will run for 18 months.

## **STUDIES**

- International good practices
- Labour market transition and adaptability development, critical employment/labour issues: in the mining and quarrying sector
- Experience and lessons learned from collective agreements in the mining and quarrying sector
- Social partners and possible ways to improve their cooperation
- Data collection and analysis, Database (401 companies, 80,406 employees, 101 municipalities)
- Labour market adaptability challenges and PROPOSALS FOR SOLUTIONS IN SECTOR "B"

## DATABASE OF COMPANIES IN THE REGION - JOB SEARCH FACILITY



## GINOP-5.3.5-18-2019-00125 pályázat



Munkaerőpiaci alkalmazkodóképesség fejlesztése és az átmenet támogatása a "B" Bányászat, kőfejtés ágazatban

A PROJECT

HÍREK

LETÖLTÉSEK

PLATFORM

BEJELENTKEZÉS

Bejelentkezés után használhatja az adatbázisunkat...

Felhasználói név

Jelszó

Emlékezzen rám

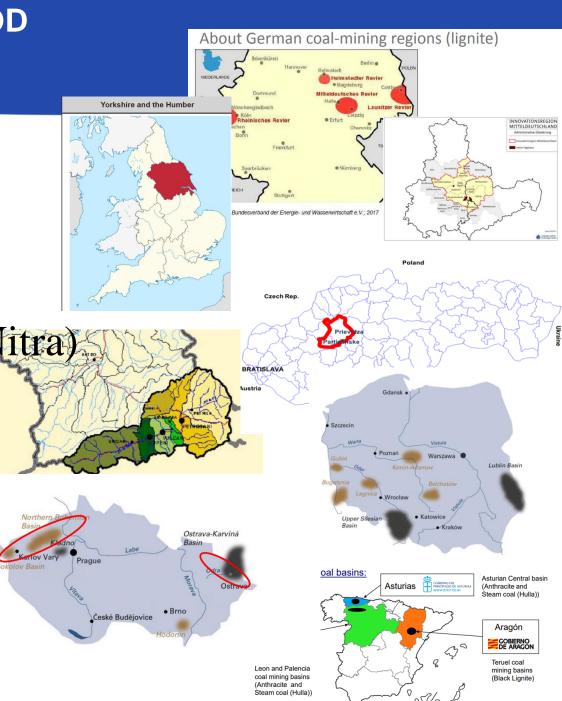
Belépés

- Fiók létrehozása
- Elfelejtette felhasználónevét?
- Elfelejtette jelszavát?

# INTERNATIONAL GOOD PRACTICES

## Case studies

- **>** Germany
- ➤ United Kingdom
- Slovakia (Upper-Nitra)
- > Romania
- **Poland**
- ➤ Czech Republic
- > Spain
- Conclusions



# LABOUR MARKET ADAPTABILITY - CHALLENGE AND SOLUTION PROPOSALS IN THE MINING SECTOR – STUDY PREPARING DECISION MAKING

- External circumstances: EU decarbonisation
- Region Northern Hungary: The environment and mining operations of Mátra Power Plant - opportunities, challenges and solutions
- Mátra Power Plant and its mining operations what should/can be done with the redundant workforce?
- Lessons learned from foreign examples
- Joining EU platforms
- What resources can we reckon with for the transition?
- Financing the transition in the case of Mátra Power Plant
- BDSZ has submitted a proposal for the use of the Recovery and Resilience Facility (RRF) on the "Pályázat.gov.hu" consultation page to provide the funding for company early retirement (former special scheme for coal mining). A systematic benefit developed on a principle basis.

## **INFORMATION FLYER AND BROCHURE**





Kísérleti (pilot) projekt

#### Helyzetfelmérés

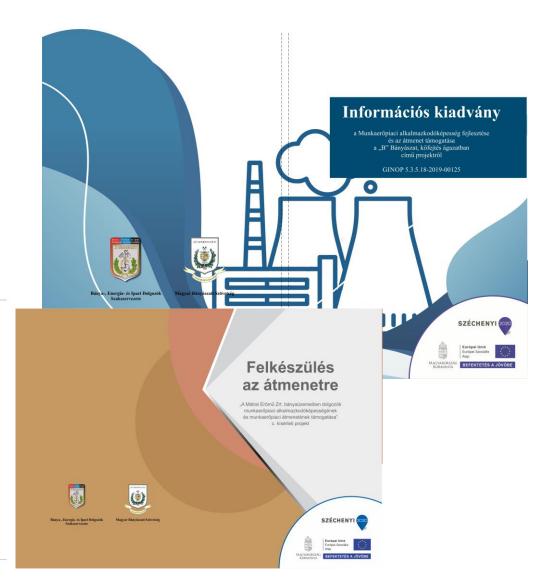
- A munkaerő-piaci átmenetet és a munkaerő alkalmazkodóképességét segítő külföldi jó gyakorlatok és hazai alkalmazásuk lehetősége a bányajontnan
- A munkaerőpiaci átmenet és alkalmazkodóképesség fejlesztése, a foglalkoztatás kritikus kérdései: a bányászat, kőfejtés ágazatban
- Adatgyűjtés/adatfeldolgozás a Mátrai Erőmű Zrt. vonzáskörzetében lévő települések munkaadóiról.
- Munkaerőpiaci alkalmazkodóképesség kihívás és megoldási javaslatok a "B" ágazatban.
- A kollektív szerződések kötésének támogatását célző elemzés.
- Szociális partnerek és együttműködésük fejlesztésének lehetséges útjai a bányászat, kőfejtés ágazatban, különös tekintettel a munkaerőpiaci átmenetre
- Megrendezésre kerül a szociális partnerek kapacitásfejlesztő szemínáriu-ma.
- A szervezet tisztségviselől, munka-vállalól számára kapacitásfejlesztő képzésre is sor kerül

#### A projekt

A Bönya-, Energia- és jaori Dolgazók, Szalaszervezete (BDSZ) és a Magyar Bönyászalt Szövetéség (MBSZ) közős projektje azon munkokálalákrai koncentrál, alak az ellőthin kildi élvítzedben a szénre épülő villamasáram-fermélés magyararzágá kivezetése mildt nehéz helyazette kerülhetnek, munkohélyet kell keresnlűk, seefleg áj szövetnő kell keresnlűk, megyalósítás az Észak-magyarországi réglóban valósul meg.

## A projekt célja A Mátral Erőmű Zrt. a legnagyobb lignitre

épülő edmű haránkban, egyben a férség egyik leglelenfőseb foglákartálója. A várható zestészehváltás sűrgős lépéselet közvelle, le fortrosal felal az arti dolgazák muhlaraffola leksártásákálásáká



# CAPACITY BUILDING TRAINING FOR SOCIAL PARTNERS

## The topics of the programme were:

- Developing adaptability in the labour market, thinking together, getting to know each other's points of view and perspectives
- A set of rules on collective and individual rights in the world of work.
  The levels, institutions, actors and functions of interest
  representation in the world of work. Institutions for employee
  representation and participation and their functions, possible forums
  for cooperation and techniques.
- The main points of collective agreements in the workplace.
- Current legislation on terms and conditions of employment, content and form of employment contracts. Legal provisions on wages and working time.
- Characteristics of company wage and working time systems. The trade union's role in defending trade union interests in relation to the organisation of working time and pay.

## **PILOT PROJECT**

- Pilot project methodology
- Service development Methodology to facilitate job transition
- Skills development
- Information booklet
- Information event

## **PILOT - SKILLS DEVELOPMENT**

 Williams Life Skills® Stress Management and Communication Skills Training

Three groups, two sessions, eight-hour training

 2 groups in Visonta, 1 group in Bükkábrány

## **PILOT** – TRAINING FEEDBACK

How much will you use some of the skills you learned in the WÉK training in your daily life?		Maybe I will use it	I will use it often	I will use it regularly
Calculated decision-making (FILÉ				
technique)		4	11	12
Thinking through situations from				
several angles		1	13	13
Relaxation techniques		6	12	9
Formulate requests effectively		2	12	13
Saying "NO" effectively	2	8	9	8
Problem solving by collecting				
ideas		3	16	8
Better understanding of the other				
person's point of view		1	14	12
Positive manifestations to				
improve relations		2	8	17

## **PILOT – TRAINING FEEDBACK**

How could your workplace support you in making a change?			
Vocational retraining	19		
Covering the financial costs of retraining	11		
Provision of individual consultation	7		
Skills development training	9		
Preparation for finding a new job (writing a CV, motivation letter, etc.)	8		
Continuous information on expected organisational changes and opportunities within the company			
the company	24		
Any other information	Early retirement scheme, Training for senior management		

## EVALUATION OF THE PROJECT IN HUNGARIAN AND ENGLISH

- It has also been sent to the European Social Partners, translated into English.
- Presentation and results of the project "Developing labour market adaptability and supporting the transition in sector "B" Mining and Quarrying" GINOP 5.3.5.18-2019-00125
- http://mepa.banyasz.hu/images/letoItesek/ deliverables\_fin\_BDSZ.pdf

### **SUMMARY**

- The success of the project depends on the quality of information provided to employees, on ensuring dialogue and resolving open issues and problems as soon as possible.
- The financial conditions for a fair and just transition must be ensured, European funds must be used in a transparent way, and aid has to be channelled to those in need as well.
- The LIFE programme can provide a suitable framework for this.

## LIFE PROJECT

- Programme: the EU Programme for the Environment and Climate Action (LIFE)
- The overall objective of the project is to facilitate the implementation of the Hungarian National Energy and Climate Plan (NECP), with a special focus on the coal phase out of the Mátra Power Plant and ensuring a sustainable and just transition of the plant and its region.
- Project type: integrated project (IP)
- Project Title: "Secure and start implement an effective roadmap for the low-carbon transition of the single largest coal-region in Hungary"
- Planned project duration: 1 September 2020 31 October 2029 (9 years)

# THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

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