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## 1. Summary

This report comprises the basic data on AREA network and own contact database established with different academic and research EU and national institutions during Project's life-time. The aim of established collaborative research and academic AREA network is to upgrade research expertise and skills of 13 AREA groups by the introduction of new leading-edge DNA technologies and Raman microscopy/spectroscopy at the Faculty of Agriculture and to prepare proposals for different collaborative research and educational projects. During the second reporting period in total 3 Horizon 2020 projects, 3 COST actions 5 bilateral projects and 1 educational project are funded and up-to know are in progress. Furthermore, AREA staff is participate in one network action.

## 2. Introduction

AREA project aim is to reinforce and advance the research capacity of 13 excellent groups at the Faculty of Agriculture, Belgrade lead by scientists with expertise unique in Serbia in crop physiology and anatomy, biodiversity, weed science, horticulture, plant pathology, aquaculture, food biochemistry, food and biotechnology. AREA focus is on a set of coherent activities that will both improve the research capacity of each group to progress its own state-of-the-art research programmes, as well as stimulate interactions amongst the research, by strengthening implementation of existing DNA marker technologies and introducing innovative, Raman micro-spectroscopy, technologies that are common and relevant to these groups. Introduction of new leading-edge technologies would improve opportunities for AREA teams to participate successfully in EU collaborative research projects and increase their innovation capacity and competitiveness in the regional and European Research Area

To realise the Project's aims, AREA teams established network and collaboration with the lot of different EU institutions selected to provide the necessary level of excellence and experience for training in the new state-of-the art technologies. AREA team leaders organised also fact-finding visits to other relevant EU institutions with the purpose of advertising the team's research, developing new links and discuss in opportunities for future research interactions. This allows the database for networking EU institutions to be increased and will lead to long-lasting new EU partnerships that will benefit both research and teaching at the Faculty of Agriculture.

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#### **4. Overall conclusion**

New and improved existing AREA expertise helped to attract additional co-funding for different research and educational projects. As a results during project life-time 4 Horizon 2020 proposals are funded, AREA team members participate in 5 COST Actions and, 5 bilateral and 2 educational projects.

AREA networking with the EU institutions was also a mutually beneficial activity. Hosting institutions increased their collaborative potential by making connections with new partners that would allow them to be more competitive in scientific, educational and networking EU calls. The change of ideas during planning and carrying out trainings led to widening of research possibilities of host institutions, allowing them to use the existing expertise in new applied scientific fields.

Synergies found in established networks also provided information which allows complementary initiatives for new partnerships to be developed in the future.