

## **WP7 Coordination, dissemination and regulatory aspects.**

This WP is dedicated to the coordination, dissemination and regulatory aspects of the project CARDIOWORKBENCH. One of the main tool to achieve these purposes is the development of a dedicated project WEB site. A public CWB web site has been developed for dissemination purposes and a private WEB site has been developed for data exchange among the partners.

The first activities undertaken during the first project months were related to the design of the Project Logo, the design of the Web Site user friendly interface, and the implementation and set up on server of the Project Web Site first draft.

From the public web site (<http://www.cardioworkbench.eu>) all information made public by all partners about the project will be easily available to common public within some pages. Specifically it contains: project details, list of participants and their details, project summary, list of international symposia and meeting whose subjects are in connection with the project, list of workshop organized by projects participants, list of publications produced by project participants and related to the project, news on the project.

A restricted access project WEB site was also designed and implemented. It is aimed for restricted internal discussions between partners, and it has as a first page a login page. Each partner was given a user name and a password to enter the following pages. The restricted access web site contains several sections, precisely a User section with the possibilities to add new users, modify the password, as well as all data for each partner (email, telephone and fax numbers etc.), a Results section, with the possibilities to add WP data files and tables, an Access section where the user accesses to the private web site are recorded, a DOC archive that contains documents related to the project for partner internal use (Project Proposal, Meeting Presentations, Reports, Consortium Agreement, Workshop presentations), and finally a Forum that contains a bulletin board for electronic discussion among Partners.

In the first year of the project, the clinical data of about 70 patients with severe cardiac diseases have been recorded into the private web site. These data are collected by the clinical partners and recorded in a anonymous and standard format by DIST.