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A “Renewable Energy” training centre has been established at UoJ to serve all Jordanian universities, with trained staff in administrative, pedagogical and technological aspects. Equipment necessary to create the centre were purchased through usual tender procedures at Princess Sumaya University for Technology. A full report on equipment, tender procedure and purchase of equipment is attached.

Professor Ahmed Al-Salaymeh, MUREE coordinator at the UoJ, and Dr. Ahmad Sakhrieh, chairman of mechanical engineering department at UoJ, visited UCY in the period 19-24 January 2015 to be trained on renewable energy experiments and state-of-the-art equipment set-up, usage, operation and maintenance. UCY, which is leading WP5, has a long-standing expertise and necessary infrastructure in the field of PV solar energy. During the visit, the possibility of organizing a training course on PV solar energy at the training center during April 2015 was discussed. Both partners agreed to conduct the training at the last week of April. Two training courses will be conducted, one will be directed to stakeholders who are members in MUREE network while the second will be directed to the MUREE students from different Jordanian universities. This visit has actually contributed greatly in establishing the RE training centre as a local resource and training point in Jordan.

Since the delivery of training courses will be in traditional face-to-face format in addition to eLearning environment, a UoJ team consisting of Professor Ahmed Al-Salaymeh and Dr. Osama Ayadi then visited Sapienza University in the period 28-30 January 2015 in order to receive training on new educational tools and distance learning courses. Dr. Katuscia Cipri, Sapienza University, hosted and organised a workshop at “Info-Sapienza” which is an office that is responsible for e-



learning, while Mr. Claudio presented new educational tools, rooms for elaboration of e-learning and distance courses.