

## WP2 – TRAINING SESSIONS

In the ENHANCE project there were designed actions in order to support FMIEADR's development as an important leader in the agricultural economics field, with a strong European network. Training sessions aim at providing a systematic overview of the various strategies and will introduce different approaches ranging from modelling individual decisions to aggregated outcomes at sectoral and even global level. For this purpose there were set up quarterly sessions supported by the project partners, with a large focus on the improvement of the qualification of USAMV staff and PhD students on Econometrics, Economic modelling and simulation methods and Quantitative and qualitative methods. Written learning materials and online tools were developed and uploaded on the ENHANCE platform for each training session in order to facilitate the study and learning process.

Meanwhile, the objective was to provide incentives in order to increase the quality of research and teaching, to create the capacity for cutting edge research on level of the individual staff member and consequently, at the faculty level, through the application of targeted measures, aiming to transfer the specific theoretical and methodological know-how and skills. Another focus was to strengthen networking and cooperation with international research institutions, through the partnerships within the ENHANCE consortium itself.

### Summary of the training sessions

<b>Training session</b>	<b>Number of sessions</b>	<b>Number of the enrolled participants</b>	<b>Number of the trainers</b>
<b>Econometrics (WBF)</b>	3	27	2
<b>Economic modelling (IAMO)</b>	3	36	7
<b>Qualitative and quantitative Research Design (BOKU)</b>	2	27	5
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>14</b>