





KA2 - Cooperation for innovation and the exchange of good practices

Capacity Building in Higher Education

Joint project

Master in Smart Transport and Logistics for Cities /

SmaLog

# SMALOG project: an overview and the main achievements

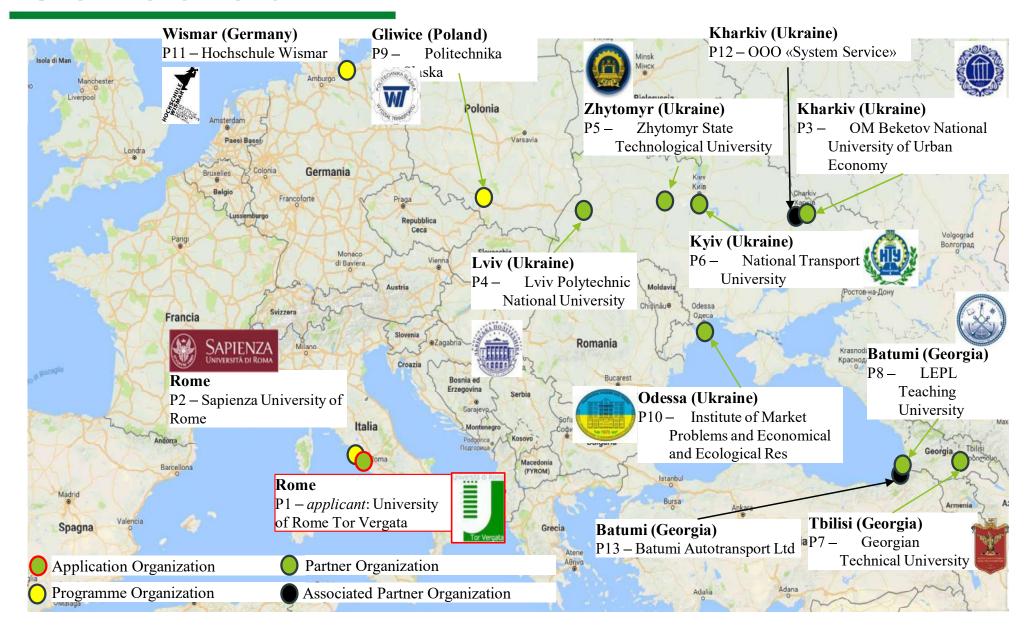
Final conference, Kharkiv **Antonio Comi**, University of Rome Tor Vergata (coordinator)







### Consortium









# Why SmaLog?

City sustainability issues



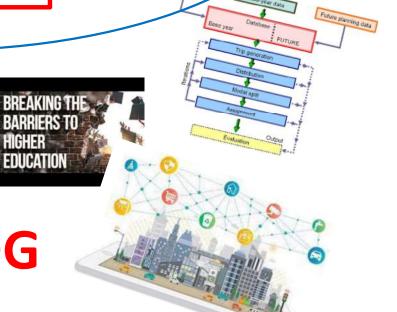
Resesarch lacks

Education backwardness





**SMALOG** 









# All started in Rome about 4 years ago...

- ▶ Official start: October 2017
- Some concerns
- A lot of Interest, Curiosity & Enthusiasm
- **...**





Rome Kick-off Meeting 5-7 Dec 2017







### The «logical framework»

### Then...

to strengthen the role of telematics in transport services for improving city sustainability and liveability

SmaLog Masters

Train the Trainer

SmaLog Laboratories Newsletters, events, workshops & seminars (dissemination) Setting up
Smart
Transport &
Logistics
networks
(exploitation)









### **SmaLog Masters**

#### What:

- ► Establish new master curricula (120/90 ECTS) for engineering and economics faculties on Smart Transport and Logistics for Cities
- ▶ Based on Bologna process standards (full part of educational offers at each PC HEIs)





bologna







### How we get there

### Hard preparatory work:

- No existing Masters in Smart Transport and Logistics for Cities in 2014
- Masters' curricula needed a formal approval by the Ukrainian and Georgian Authorities
- ▶ Teaching material not fully available
- No fully aware of the opportunities offered by new tools and methods for transport systems analysis and simulation
- Ukrainian and Georgia researchers were mainly out of the main worldwide expert/research networks

COVID-19









### Achievements (1)

- ▶ 4 editions, enrolment: 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021
- ▶ 69 graduated students (2018-2020) in the 2 first Master editions
- ▶ 20 master theses under the supervision of EU and PC experts and from the industry sector
- More then 80% of the 1<sup>st</sup> generation graduated students employed by transport companies

















### Achievements (2)

66 students studied at EU universities

One full semester for learning and training activities

	2018-2020
University of Rome Tor Vergata (Italy)	32
"Sapienza" University of Rome- CTL (Italy)	14
Silesian University of Technology (Poland)	9
Hochschule Wismar (Germany)	11



Students visiting the Amazon Distribution
Center (FCO1) in Rome

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### **Train the Trainer**

#### What:

- Supporting Local Academics in planning/organizing the Masters
- Knowledge transfer of smart transport and logistics good practices in EU

 Supporting Local Academics in defining learning materials Specialty 275-93 "Transport and Logistics for Cities"

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Specialty 275-93 "Transport technologies (automobile transport)" ROMAN MAMULADZE, MERI GABAIDZE Supply chain management ROMAN MAMULADZE, MERI GABAIDZE **Transport Logistics** Workbook BATUMI, 2019







### How we get there

- ▶ A selected group of Academics will spend approximately one month and half in each EU University involved in the project and will be supported in preparing the materials for the Master classes.
- ► Technical visits to institutional bodies involved in smart transport and logistics for cities
- ▶ A selected group of EU visited PC HEIs for more than 1 week for teaching and training activities.
- ▶ Distance Learning Courses in Advanced SmaLog







## Achievements (1)

▶ 51 PC academics visited EU Universities

	2018-2021
University of Rome Tor Vergata (Italy)	13
"Sapienza" University of Rome- CTL (Italy)	11
Silesian University of Technology (Poland)	17
Hochschule Wismar (Germany)	10



Academics visiting the full automated metro line C in Rome







### Achievements (2)

► EU academics visited PC Universities (16 visits)

	2018-2021
O. M. Beketov National University of Urban Economy in Kharkiv (Ukraine)	2
National Transport University, Kiev (Ukraine)	4
Lviv Polytechnic National University, Lvivi (Ukraine)	2
Zhytomyr Polytechnic State University, Zhythomyr (Ukraine)	4
Batumi State Maritime Academy, Batumi (Georgia)	1
Georgian Technical University, Tbilisi (Georgia)	3



Academics visiting the NTU, Kiev, Ukraine

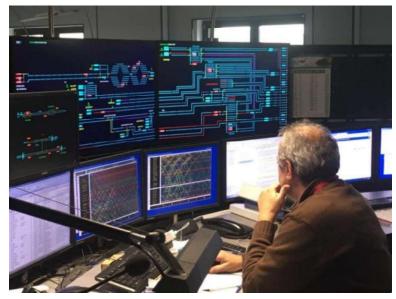






# Achievements (3)

### ▶ Technical visits



Rome, national railways control room





















Rome, metro C headquarter

Katowice



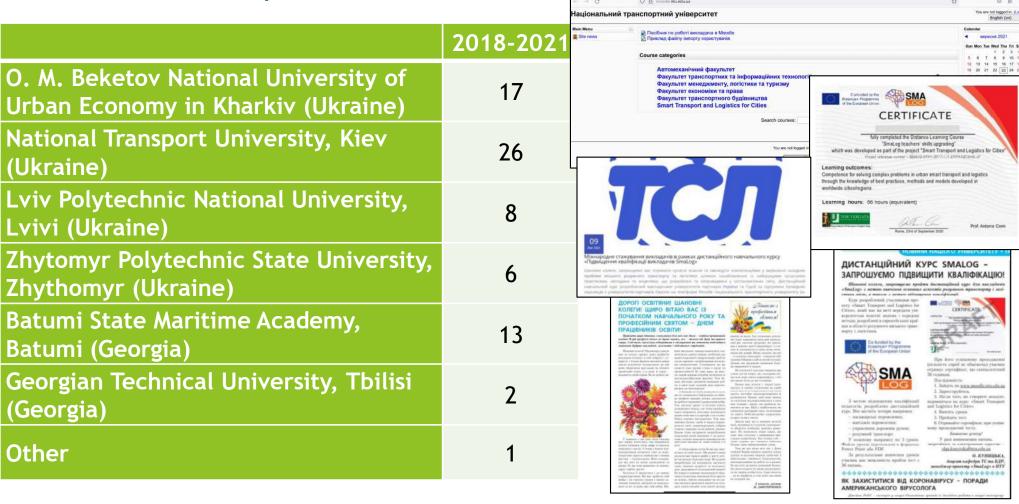




### Achievements (4)

▶ 73 staff members from PC HEIs partecipated to advanced

courses and passed the evaluation test



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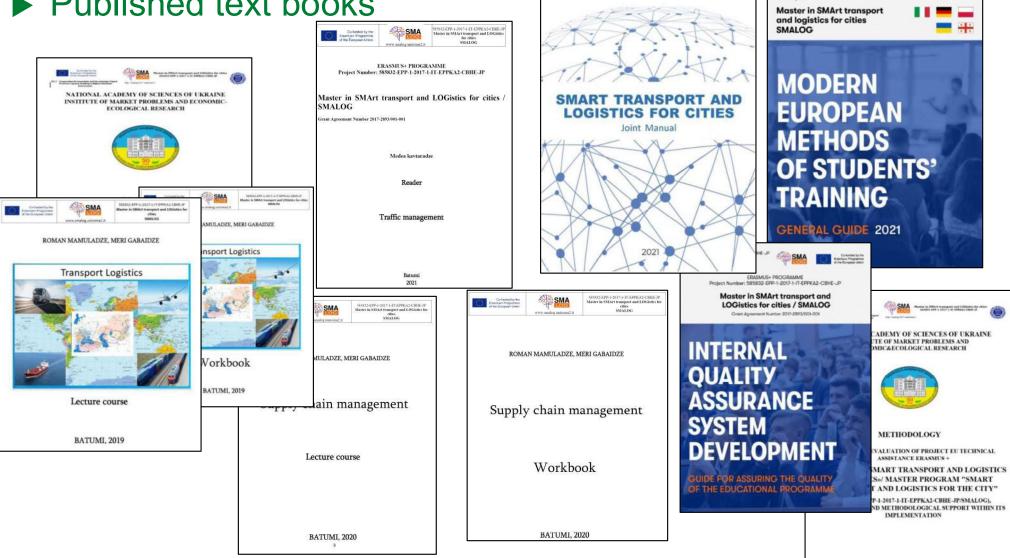






### Achievements (5)

Published text books









### **SmaLog laboratories**

#### What:

► Laboratories to support both training and research in smart transport and logistics for cities

### How we get there:

- Investigating local needs and identifying innovation to promote
- Designing laboratories equipment according to real local needs







## Achievements (1)

One laboratory for each of the 6 Universities

► Equipment: computers included screens, projector, printers, tools for transport system simulations, traffic counts, noise

level detection, drivers' behavior detection









### Newsletters, events, workshops & seminars

### What:

- Dissemination materials
- Dissemination events
- Workshops & seminars
- Meetings with local stakeholders

### How we get there:

- Assuring to bring knowledge to all potential beneficiaries
- Promoting dissemination events strictly answering to real local needs
- ► Promoting dissemination involving all potential benficiaries of SmaLog

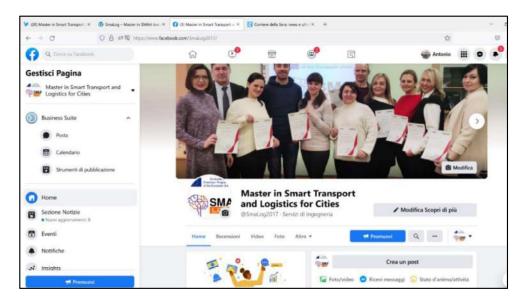


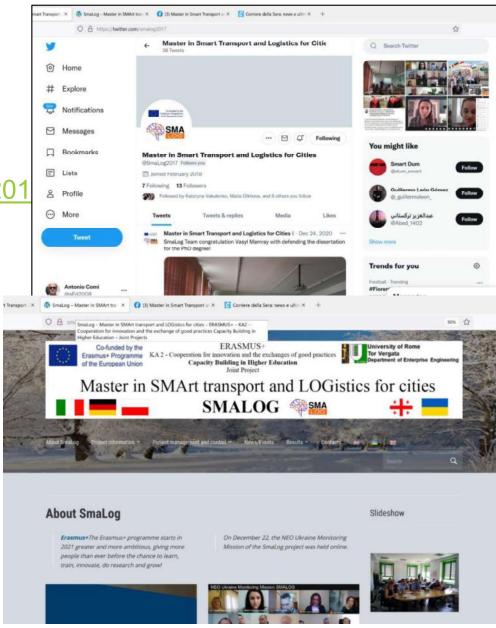




### Achievements (1)

- Project website:
  - http://www.smalog.uniroma2.it
- ► Facebook page and group:
  - https://www.facebook.com/SmaLog201
- Twitter page
  - https://twitter.com/smalog2017











Master in SMArt transport and LOGistics for cities

# Achievements (2)









# Achievements (3)







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### Achievements (4)

▶ NUUE University meets local stakeholders

August 2018: Kharkiv Meeting, Department of Infrastructure in Kharkiv, LTD "KOMKON TRAFIC"

**November 2019: Kharkiv,** The Director of the Infrastructure Department of the Kharkiv City Council gave an open lecture

March 2020: Kharkiv, branch meeting of leading specialists of TDV "ATP 16363"

March 2020: Kharkiv, Meeting with the official representative logistics company "GLOBAL OCEAN LINK"

March 2020: Kharkiv, Lecture by a representative of LTD "KOMK

September 2020: Kharkiv, Meeting with the official representative of PTV Group Ukraine Dmytro Bespa







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### Achievements (5)

▶ LPNU University meets local stakeholders

October 2018: Meeting and Master Programme publishing & presentation

at Lviv Polytechnic National University

June 2018: Meeting at Lviv Polytechnic with stakeholders

March 2019: Smalog at the Ukrainian Scientific

and Teoretical Conference

October 2019: Discussion of the mobility plan (Andriy Biliy, Deputy Director of the Department of Housing and Infrastructure of Lviv

**April 2020:** Meeting at Lviv Polytechnic with stakeholders

(Open Days)











# Achievements (6)

April, 2019: Zhytomyr, Forum of employers (stakeholders):

- PJSC "Zhytomyr-Auto"

ZPSU University meets local stakeholders "Zhytomyr Auto International" LLC "Veltest"

April, 2021: Zhytomyr, Online meeting with stakeholders:

https://news.ztu.edu.ua/2021/04/kruglyj-stil-zi-stejkholderamy-za-spetsialnistyu-275-03-transportni-tehnologiyi-na-avtomobilnomu-transporti/

- Department of Transport and Regional Development in Zhytomyr region;
- PJSC Zhytomyr ATP 11854
- Ukrainian transport safety Department in Zhytomyr region;
- logistics company "Alfakom"
- PE "Sheriff"

Державний університет «житомирська політехніка»

Кафедра автомобілів і транспортні технологій

Спеціальність — 275 «Транспортні технології»

Освітні ступ

- PF "Sheriff"
- Zhytomyr regional department of road construction and infrastructure management
- Communal enterprise "Information center"
- Department of the State Service for Transport Safety in Zhytomyr Region











#### "Institute" Kievdormostproekt"

# Achievements (7)

NTU University meets local stakeholders

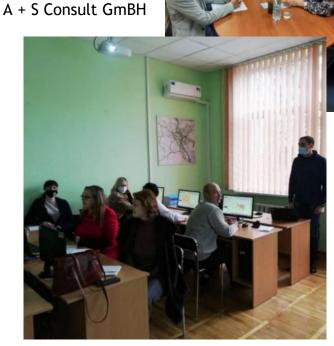
From 2018 to 2021, 9 meetings were held:

- "Institute of the General Plan of Kyiv" (2018,2019,2020) Transport modeling (PTV Vissim) and the use of its results in the development of the General plan of Kiev
- Department of the patrol police in Kyiv (2019)
   Practical activities to ensure road safety in Kiev
- A + S Consult GmBH (2019, 2020) Transport micromodeling algorithms using PTV Vissim software

• "Institute" Kievdormostproekt"(2019,2020,2021) Implementation of modern technologies for the design of transport infrastructure elements

in the cities of Ukraine













### Achievements (9)

Department of Transport of Batumi meets local stakeholders

May 2018: Ministry of Economy of Adjara

May 2019: meeting with Ministry of Education

April 2020: meeting with Batumi Port

June 2020: Meeting with Employers,

Maritime Transport Agency and

City administration

March 2021: meeting with Port of

Poti administration

June 2021: MoU signing ceremony

with Ministry of Environment











# Achievements (10)

#### ► Georgian Technical University meets stakeholders

May 2018: meeting with Ministry of Education

March 2019: meeting with Ministry of Regional

Development

October 2020: meeting with Tbilisi City Hall

December 2020: Meeting with Employers of Land Transport Agency

March 2021: meeting with local transport research organizations











### Setting up SmaLog Networks

#### What:

- ▶ Build an international and national coordinated university research network on smart transport and logistics for cities involving local universities in the wider European network of research centres and universities
- ► Involvement of PC Universities in international smart transport and logistics for cities research







### How we get there

- Involving the participation in high level conferences/workshops on smart transport and logistics for cities
- Submitting research works to high level journals
- ▶ Participation in exchanges of teachers/staff
- Starting PhD course accreditation involving foreign professors







## Achievements (1)

 Participation in high level conference on transportation and advanced educational issues

Publishing in high impacting journal indexed in Scopus and WoS









# Achievements (2)

► Active involvement in thematic workshops were organised jointly with international (e.g. from Australia, China, Norway) experts on smart transport and logistics for cities













# Achievement (3)

Agreements of cultural and scientific collaboration between each partner

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GENERAL AGREEMENT OF CULTURAL AND SCIENTIFIC COLLABORATION

BETWEEN

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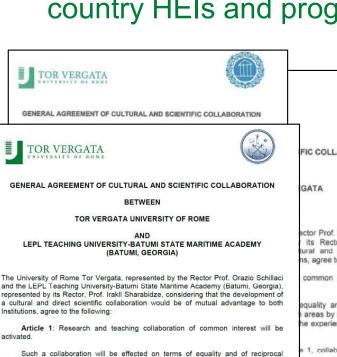
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a) exchange of visit by experts:

f) exchange of administrative staff;

exchange of scientific staff is foreseen.

g) joint implementation of research projects;

Article 2: In order to achieve the aims under Article 1, collaboration may be

c) study meetings, seminars and courses on subject matters foreseen by the

e) exchange of students (graduate, PhD and postgraduate, Clinical Fellowship);

h) drawing up of common study programmes aiming at joint degrees at all levels,

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### Are we closer to the target?

to strengthen the role of telematics in transport services for improving city sustainability and liveability

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### **Questions?**

Tribute to our colleague Manfred



► A very big **THANK YOU!** 









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