

Monthly Diary

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Turkish Ambassador Tayyar Kağan Atay visits the University of Elbasan

In continuation of the activities within the framework of the 100th anniversary of the establishment of diplomatic relations between Albania and Turkey, the Turkish Ambassador to Albania, Mr. Z. Tayyar Kağan Atay, visited the University of Elbasan, where he met with the rector, Prof. Dr. Skender Topi, and also had a discussion with the university's students and faculty. In his welcoming speech, Prof. Topi emphasized the excellent level of Albania-Turkey relations, outstanding cooperation with prestigious universities in Turkey under the Erasmus+ program, the ongoing joint projects that have seen growth year after year, and the opportunity to study the Turkish language at the University of Elbasan. Ambassador Atay expressed his appreciation for the commitment undertaken by Prof. Topi to create opportunities and possibilities for learning the Turkish language at the University of Elbasan, the increasing interest of young people to study it, and highlighted the advantages that can be offered to young individuals pursuing university studies through full-cycle scholarships from the first to the third cycle.

"From Ground to the Plate"



The fourth meeting of the project coordinators for the "From Ground to the Plate" project, funded by the Erasmus+ program, was organized at the University of Elbasan. The University of Elbasan is a partner along with other universities from Spain, Portugal, and Tunisia in this youth project called "From ground to the plate" (FP2G). This project falls under the Capacity Building projects and is coordinated by the Municipality of Salceda de Caselas in Spain. It aims to help young people understand the principles of food sustainability while learning the basics of cultivation in an organic garden through the development of Garden Labs and community gardens.

Discussion table



The Westminster Foundation for Democracy, in collaboration with the University of Elbasan and the Parliamentary Institute, organized a roundtable discussion on the topic "Increasing awareness of the importance of assessing spaces for corruption in Albanian legislation." This roundtable brought together legal professionals, academics, and students to explore theoretical frameworks, case studies, and practical approaches to enhance transparency, enrich the university curriculum, and identify opportunities for collaboration between the academic world and policymakers.



