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Prediction of e-learners' progress and timely assessment of the achievement of learning outcomes in Lifelong Learning



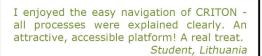
"Action is the foundational key to all success."

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Project ACTIVITIES

IDENTIFICATION indicator groups



The CRITON platform incorporates advanced communication tools for teachers to post messages and communicate with their e-learners in a simple way.

Teacher, Greece

The CRITON platform has all potential to be a valuable tool and interesting meeting point for teachers from many countries.

Teacher, Lithuania

The platform could be very useful as a plugin for existing LMS.

Teacher, Germany

It's a really simple and friendly environment. The best part is that it allows you to easily add and manage e-learner's data and get a prediction.

Teacher, Greece

PILOTING PLATFORM: Prediction page example

E-learner's data

| Name: Ona Onaite | Gender:Female | Age: 26-35 |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Email: onaite@email.lt | Background: High school | Dependents: 0 |
| Grade 1st task: C | Grade 2nd task: - | Grade 3rd task: - |
| Working status: Study full time | Difficulty of course:Intermediate | Pass Interim Test: Yes |
| Access to LMS: - | Read Messages:- | Time of access: - |

Prediction

Ona has 98.4% probability to pass the course and 1.6% to fail. (Precision 91.2%)

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ona rias 50.470 probability to pass the course and 1.070 to rail. (Freeision

Important factors: Working status (Study full time)

The CRITON project set out the ambitious plan to produce a unique web-based dropout prediction tool based on extended research about different assessment methods used in e-learning environments throughout Europe as well as factors that play a significant role in e-learners' dropout.

Different assessment methods used in eLearning environments were studied in order to define the most widely used assessment practices.

A pedagogic survey with teachers on e-assessment practices resulted in the identification of at least four indicator groups (Socio-demographic; Individual learning & Efficacy; Behavioral and Management indicators) for measuring dropout and success rates in e-learning.

The CRITON platform using advanced data mining techniques was developed in order to predict the students' final performance. The CRITON platform aims at identifying students who are at risk of academic failure or dropping out of online courses, and provides effective and appropriate interventions to support them. The CRITON platform already has 400 users (teachers and students) from 6 different countries (Greece, Austria, Finland, Lithuania, Sweden and Germany) and it is still growing.

All it takes to start using this platform is to register at:

Socio-demographic indicators:

- 1.1 Age
- 1.2 Gender
- 1.3 Number of children
- 1.4 Educational background
- 1.5 Previous grades
- 1.6 Working status
- 1.7 Chosen course level

Individual learning and efficacy indicators:

- 2.1 Intrinsic goal orientation
- 2.2 Extrinsic goal orientation
- 2.3 Individual learning strategy
- 2.4 E-learning self-efficacy
- 2.5 Computer self-efficacy
- 2.6 Self-efficacy

Behavioural indicators:

- 3.1 Level of participation in the online course
- 3.2 Delivering contents
- 3.3 E-learning behaviour

Management indicators:

- 4.1 Time management 4.2 Management of the
- physical environment
- 4.3 Management of the social environment and helpseeking behaviour

What you get from the CRITON platform:

If you are a teacher:

- ✓ You can forecast your e-learner's progress on time
- → You can communicate with your students via CRITON Groups
- ✓ You can exchange ideas and opinions with other teachers via CRITON social networking tools

If you are a student:

- ✓ You can improve your performance with your teacher's assistance
- You can communicate easily with your teacher and your classmates via CRITON Groups

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