

Evaluation Questionnaire / Feedback

This report shows the results obtained from the questionnaire provided during the 3rd ANYWHERE workshop. The workshop, organised by INTC (Catalan Civil Protection) and UPC-CRAHI, was attended by a total of 231 people distributed as follows:

- 138 externals, from 104 different organisations, belonging to 24 countries.
- 93 partners, from 33 different organisations, belonging to 11 countries.

	Participants	Organisations
Scientific Community (Higher Education, Research)	61	32
Civil Society	94	62
Industry (including SMEs)	53	29
Policy Makers	13	8
Media	10	10
General Public	5	1
Other	5	5

Below is shown the feedback obtained from the evaluation questionnaire gathered:

Which is your role regarding the Anywhere project

1. Partner organisation	18
2. External / Invited organisation	23

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1. Researcher (algorithms developer)	5
2. Meteorological Forecaster	7
3. Civil protection	8
4. Water agency	2
5. Developers (e.g., web, software, tool design)	9
6. Other (please specify)	
• SME	4
• Large Enterprise	1

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	AVG
General impression	☹☹	☹	☺	☺	☺☺	
1. Rooms and facilities	-	-	1	9	30	4.6
2. Time table	-	-	5	19	16	4.2
3. Lunch and coffee Breaks	1	-	3	20	16	4.1
4. Organisation of the workshop	-	-	1	7	32	4.7
5. Your overall satisfaction of the workshop	-	-	1	14	25	4.5

The workshop	(1) ☹☹	(2) ☹	(3) ☺	(4) ☺	(5) ☺☺	AVG
1. Was the workshop objective clearly spelt out?	-	1	3	19	17	4.2
2. Did the workshop meet your expectations?	-	2	2	18	18	4.2
3. Was the workshop easy to follow and understand?	-	-	3	18	19	4.3
4. Was the workshop program useful?	-	-	2	16	20	4.1
5. Were the exhibitions representative?	-	-	3	14	23	4.4
6. Were the presented posters interesting?	1	-	10	17	12	3.9
7. Were the open discussion sessions appealing?	-	1	5	18	16	4.1
8. Were the presenters well prepared?	-	-	1	16	23	4.4
9. Were the facilitators helpful?	-	-	-	12	26	4.3
10. Would you recommend this workshop to others?	-	-	2	10	28	4.5

11. I benefit the most from *:

- Networking and interaction. Informal conversations, opinion exchange and discussions with participants during coffee-breaks and exhibitions (10).
- In-situ exhibitors during coffee-breaks and lunches (7).
- The presentations (5).
- Discussion/round table sessions (4).
- The training session at CECAT for the practical use of the tool (3).
- Good overview of the Anywhere project goals and its progress (3).
- The morning strategic discussions on the first day.
- The Poster sessions.
- Round table 2 (wildfires).
- Roundtable 3, discussion about droughts and heatwaves.
- AnyCare Serious game - it was interesting how a group forms and starts interacting within 2 hours.
- This workshop has been lived up to my expectations and the content was relevant to my job. The facilitators were helpful and well prepared. The workshop was a good way for me to learn and revise specific content related to new trends of Civil Protection. The organization made workshop activities very stimulating and I accomplished my objectives of this workshop.
- I have taken advantage of each of the presentations. I really believe that it is a workshop where there are many interesting aspects that can be used and improved my job. The speakers have been very well chosen and their interventions have been very didactic and applicable. Regarding to the practical workshop, where we were able to "test and check" the program, I have to say that it has created practical application expectations of practical application for me. I am convinced that the platform will improve the security and well-being of our citizens.

12. I benefit the least from *:

- Posters session (8).
- Role-playing game scenario (AnyCare). I failed to understand the purpose of it or how is related to Anywhere (was not clear and it seemed poorly organized).
- As the project is still ongoing, key aspects that are yet to be determined, such as future pricing for Anywhere services.
- Late dinners were less appealing for me personally as I tend to have dinner at an earlier time.
- Roundtable discussion about forest fires
- Maybe too much time for break out discussions.

13. Personal comments and suggestion to improve the workshop:

- Make the lunch and coffee breaks smaller and more international suitable (5).
- Posters. Include a short poster pitch (1-2 mins) to make it more appealing (4).
- Even more clear information about the workshop and the facilities where different actions take place especially when there are parallel sessions (2).
- The only thing I'd improve is a little "who is who" at the beginning of the first day (2).
- More hands-on training activities to learn to interpret some of the information included at the platform. Maybe trying to work on same case with the different platforms (3).
- The programme was too packed up. I would be nice to finish a little earlier each day in the afternoon (2).
- Round table for Civil Protection and Fire and Rescue/ end users.
- Demonstrations should be supported by roll-up displays or similar measures to provide guidance.
- The lunches. Having lunch standing up was not pleasant.
- Posters. Please consider poster session for next workshop.
- Posters. More space between sections of posters (little groups collapsed the space).
- I wish events of these kind would happen more often or at least would last a day or two longer.
- The breaks for coffee / lunch were quite long and some shortening might be bearable.
- Thank you for outstanding hospitality! :-)
- I have found the workshop very interesting and well organized.
- Even though the focus on A4EU was excellent, MH-EWS and the algorithms below should be presented in a more visible or more systematic way (in discussions with externals it would have been good to be able to start with the platform and move to elements behind dependent on interests).
- Very happy with the organization, the speakers and the general mood of the workshop.
- A special thanks to Workshop Local Organizing Committee (UPC-CRAHI and Catalonia Civil Protection) for making the workshop interesting and fruitful related to the overall theme on how to connect Anywhere platform and Local needs! We all know that being host to such workshop always mean extra work -

that is also why I think we all are very grateful for all the effort that you made for us. In this sense, many thanks to UPC staff and the rest of the team for this amazing and inspiring workshop. I enjoyed a lot this 3rd workshop of Barcelona and was very happy to discover the advancements of the project. Thanks a lot for this super organization, programme and experience.

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