



# **STUDY TRIP 1**

## **REPORT 1**

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**CHANIA - GORGE TOPOLIA - MILIA – MONASTERY OF  
CRISO SKALITISSA – ELAFONISI - OLD TOWN OF CHANIA  
- KANDANOS – PALEOCHORA – ChANIA ania**

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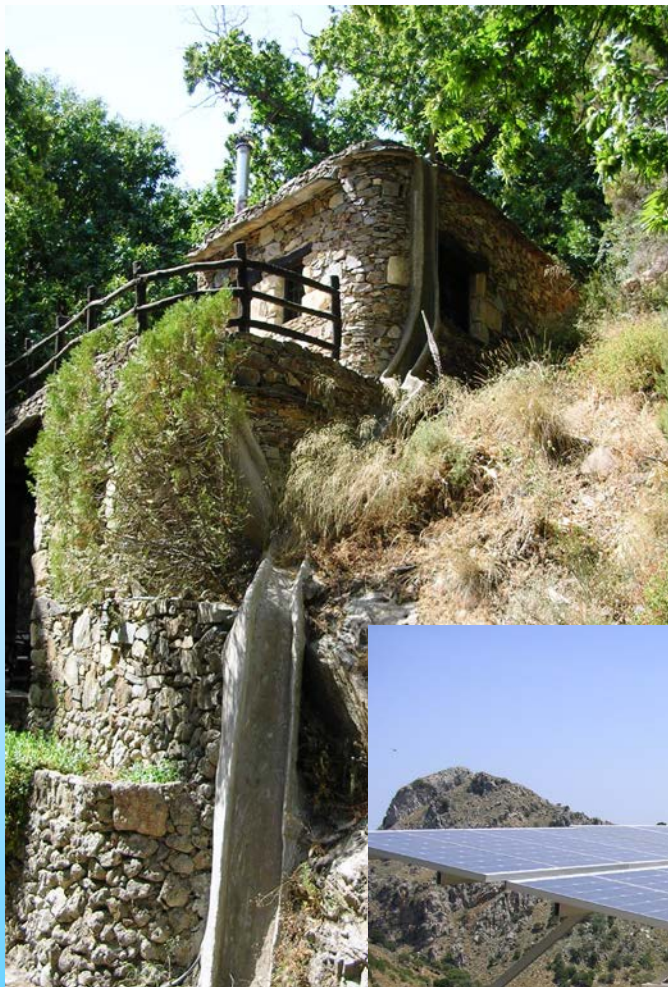
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# EXPECTATIONS

- **PLACES**
  - **Coutryside; villages, settlements, towns - Chania**
  - **Eco-tourism farms**
  - **Micro –tourism places**



# EXPECTATIONS

## PEOPLE

- **Inhabitants of countryside; well-managed farmers**
- **present inhabitants and their connections with past times**
- **well –skilled people**
- **Our good company;**

# EXPECTATIONS

- **TERMS**
- Cultural heritage
- Sustainable development
- Revitalization (types)
- Eco-tourism



# EXPECTATIONS



- **ACTIVITIES**
- **Good examples of traditional know-how**
- **Cultural activity**
- **Observation of simple everyday life**
- **Protection of natural environment and culture**

# CONCLUSIONS

- **We visited 3 regions: Kidonia, Kisamos, Selino with great tourist resources.**
- **We met people with great ideas like in Milia Mr Thasoss- one of the owner of unique micro-tourism village and Mr Dermitzakis from Acritic Museum in Paleochora**
- **We visited 3 museums with different culture profiles; archeological, rural life style, monastery collection and they are very good examples of various culture approaches towards heritages. To provide more resources trained more staff founding for restoring and conservation of the objects and more active cooperation with local community and networking.**

# CONCLUSIONS

- The local communities made a great progress in providing the tourists with the proper facilities what is needed a better infrastructure e.g. roads and specially the spatial planning.
- We are impressed by the hospitality showed us in all places visited by our team and we enjoyed the greek food as well as music , landscapes and got in touch with the way the Greek do their festivals and conduct their domestic life