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Letter of Intent
for co-operation in Dragonbane Project
by Helsinki University
Department of Ecological and Environmental Sciences

Helsinki University, established in 1640, is a leading European university, and as such it has been invited to be a member of the League of European Research Universities, a co-operation body for the leading European research universities. The University of Helsinki, with eleven faculties, has now the widest range of disciplines in Finland. The University concentrates on high-level scientific research and researcher education. Scientific research is also the basis of the teaching provided by the University.

The Department of Ecological and Environmental Sciences belongs to the faculty of Biosciences. Environmental Protection is a subject within the department, doing environmental research from a multidisciplinary point of view.

Dragonbane is the first European Live Action Role Play which is meant for over 1 000 participants from at least 10 countries. The game will most likely be held next to valuable areas, like a national park. This means that the question of environmental protection, as well as other ecological issues, will be very important for the organizers. The objective of the Dragonbane project is to minimize its impacts on the environment and to prevent any lasting damages to the game area or its relevant surroundings.

The Department of Ecological and Environmental Sciences at Helsinki University sees the Dragonbane project as a great opportunity for students to develop the kind of multifaceted knowledge that the Environmental Protection as a subject emphasises in its teaching.


The Department will also commit to providing assistance and knowledge for the Dragonbane project to ensure professional and ecological handling of environmental issues.

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