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On 7 March this year, the State Agency on Intellectual Property (AGEPI) organized a videoconference with representatives of the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), dedicated to the presentation of the Study “Global Innovation Index/2016”.

The event was attended by AGEPI specialists and representatives of Moldovan institutions, which deal with statistical and economic studies in the field of innovation and intellectual property activity, namely the National Bureau of Statistics, Agency for Innovation and Technology Transfer, National Institute of Economic Research, National Council for Accreditation and Certification and Information Society Development Institute of ASM.

The videoconference, which connected Chisinau and Geneva, was organized with the aim to make, based on Study “Global Innovation Index/2016” results, an exchange of views on statistical and economic research in the field of innovation and intellectual property and statistical indicators examined for this purpose, and innovative development trends of the countries participating in the evaluation process.

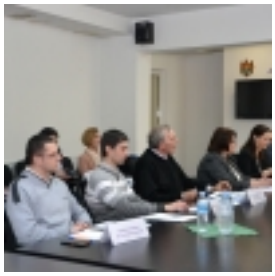
The Global Innovation Index (GII), in its 9th edition, is conducted annually by the renowned International Business School INSEAD, American Cornell University in collaboration with WIPO, in order to improve the way the innovation process is measured and understood, promoting a broad vision on innovation applicable to developed and emerging economies alike.

The GII-2016 ranks the innovation performance of 128 countries and economies around the world, based on 82 indicators, grouped into 7 sets that relate to the quality of institutions, human capital, infrastructure, market complexity, business structure, technology production and creative production. Said edition is distinguished by the fact that explores the impact of innovation-oriented policies on economic growth and development.

The 2016 rankings is led by traditional innovative economies, among the top five being found Switzerland (1), Sweden (2), United Kingdom (3), USA (4) and Finland (5). Among the post-socialist states ranked above is Estonia (24) followed at some positions by the Czech Republic (27). According to the study, Moldova ranked 46 of 128 countries, gaining 38.40 points out of 100, followed by Croatia (47) and Romania (48).

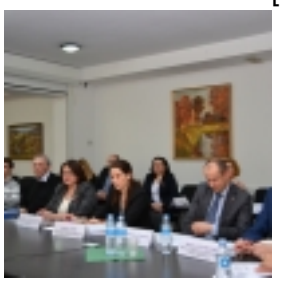
The score the Republic of Moldova has in the Global Innovation Index gives us the hope of an economic development based on innovation and creativity, and participants in the videoconference have tried to identify the strengths and weaknesses of the Republic of Moldova in the field of innovation, quality of data that reflect the situation in Moldova and possible ways to improve the process of collecting them.

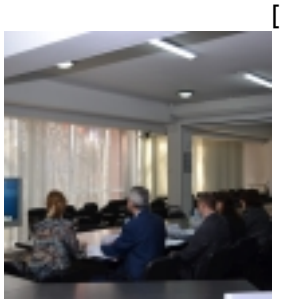
The study can be found at: http://www.wipo.int/edocs/pubdocs/en/wipo_pub_gii_2016.pdf [1].



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