Workshop on

Systems Tools and Regional Development

11-12 March 2013

Raiffa Room, IIASA, Laxenburg, Austria

Participants:

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- Jarmo Kauppinen, Josek Joensuu
- Kimmo Kurkko, Josek Joensuu
- Urpo Tuomela, Business Oulu
- Elena Rovenskaya, IIASA
- Leena Ilmola, IIASA
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- Nikita Strelkovsky, IIASA

Objectives:

- to present the developed tools for science-based support of decision-making in regional economic and social development
- to explore their usability for real life regional planning and discuss necessary improvements
- to compare different policy options and their impact by simulation

Program

Monday, March 11, 2013

11.00-11.30 Introduction:
- What is IIASA: Elena Rovenskaya (10 min)
- Self-presentation of participants (1-2 mins per person)

11.30-12.30 Regional challenges:
- Regional challenges in brief: Joensuu, Oulu representatives (10 mins each)
- Discussion facilitated by Leena Ilmola

14.00-14.30 Short introduction (Systeemityokalut lyhyt esittely): Leena Ilmola

14.30-15.30 Approaches to science-based support of decision-making in regional economic development: Elena Rovenskaya with assistance of Nikita Strelkovskiy and Viktoria Veshchinskaya

15.45-17.00 Regional comments and customization

17.00-17.30 Conclusions and task for the next day facilitated by Leena Ilmola
Tuesday, March 12, 2013

13.00-15.00  Shock scenarios analysis
             - Scenarios presentation: Leena Ilmola
             - Systems dynamics exercise: Elena Rovenskaya and Viktoria Veshchinskaya
             - Agent-based modeling exercise: Elena Rovenskaya and Nikita Strelkovskiy

15.15-16.45  Lessons learned: discussion facilitated by Leena Ilmola

16.45-17.00  Final remarks by MEE and regions