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*It is the second day of the training so everybody has already starting to warm up. Even in the early morning hours there is a good atmosphere; The participants continue to get to know each other, and there is a good progression on remembering the names and countries!*

*We started the day with the morning lecture on "Principles of Passive House" from Professor Martin Treberspurg. Beside the presentation and examples of the sustainable architecture of the Vienna, we were presented to the project we are going to work for each team, but later on that!*

*After the lunch break on the beautiful site of BOKU University we visited the Austria's largest construction site at Aspern Urban Lakeside. We were presented to one of the winning projects that won the competition for the best passive social house, which is now nearly halfway built. While Frau C. Bredt gave a brief introduction to the site map and the overall concept of the new site of the city, two architects from the winning team presented their work.*

*Later, Ms. Feirer Martina and Frankel Alexandra and also Günther Jedliczka, Managing Director of OeAD Housing accompanied us to the construction site of the building explaining everything in detail and directly within the building, explaining the area, the inner organization of the space, the arrangement, the materials and different methods used for the passive house criteria.*

*Besides being an extension of the presentation we saw during the day, this visit was also an interesting experience, since we got the chance to see the new city taking form, growing larger, and also take a closer look to the sustainable principles on which the city is relying. It's what makes this journey even more unique.*

*Also the weather was cozy, so it was the perfect day to walk the miles and visit the construction site; In the end, we still got the time to enjoy a good coffee on the old Vienna.*

*So much for today, let's see what tomorrow has reserved for us!*