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1st Virtual Exchange Challenges in EU Mobilities

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The Programme

- Presentation of the CO-HOST Project
- Overview of the Erasmus+ Mobility Programme
- Challenges in EU Mobilities
- Q&A Session

The Project

Define a **VET quality mobility strategy** among VET organisations coming from **EU member states** and organisations coming from **Western Balkans**, by promoting **mobility activities** and the **improvement of skills and competencies** of VET teachers, learners and managers in the field of VET.

To support the realization of mobility projects between EU member states and WB countries, aimed at the enhancement of skills and competencies of VET learners, with a **focus on green and entrepreneurial skills**.

Objectives

1. Implementation of Exchange programmes between WB countries and European VET providers

- 3 National Networks established with at least 5 VET schools/VET providers in each WB country
- Policy Recommendations are delivered to at least 10 stakeholders
- Creation of an active Virtual Community of Practice

Objectives

2. Improvement of the knowledge, technical and pedagogical skills of VET teachers

- 120 teachers from the WB countries enrolled in the MOOC
- 60 teachers from the WB countries participating to the online courses and events
- 12 teachers or VET staff involved in preparatory visits/job shadowing in the EU countries

Objectives

3. Improvement of the knowledge of VET managerial staff

- at least 30 VET managerial staff enrolled in the MOOC
- 12 teachers or VET staff selected for preparatory visits/job shadowing in the EU countries (5 days)

Objectives

4. Enhancement of the transversal and subject specific skills of learners

- 90 VET learners selected for a WBL in one of the 4 EU countries (14 days)
- 90 Learning Agreements are signed
- VET learners participating in the Intercultural Virtual Cafés
- Improved linguistic, intercultural and soft skills



CO-HOST MOOC



Our 4-month-long MOOC is focused on the topic of quality in mobility and recognition of learning outcomes. Participants will be introduced to the new Erasmus+ programme, with a focus on **Key Actions** programmes, offering insights into rules and regulations for extra EU countries and visa requirements to enter EU countries.

- ✓ **Module 1:** Introduction to the Erasmus+ programme and its opportunities, with a focus on the rules and regulations for the Western Balkans and visa requirements (if applicable)
- ✓ **Module 2:** Project application and tips and suggestions on how to draft a successful internalization strategy
- ✓ **Module 3:** Project implementation with a focus on international mobilities and tips and suggestions on how to get prepared
- ✓ **Module 4:** EU Quality Assurance tools and procedures for the successful recognition of the learning outcomes

A total of **40 hours** have been considered for this MOOC and it includes:

- Self-study of learning materials available on the online platform;
- Completion of reflection tasks and quizzes through the online platform;
- Participation in **virtual exchange activities**.

Week 1 26/02 – 01/03	Week 2 04/03 – 08/03	Week 3 11/03 – 15/03	Week 4 18/03 – 22/03	Week 5 25/03 – 29/03	Week 6 01/04 – 05/04	Week 7 08/04 – 12/04	Week 8 15/04 – 19/04
Welcome	Module 1: Introduction to the Erasmus+ programme	Module 1: Introduction to the Erasmus+ programme	<i>1° Virtual Exchange</i> Date TBC*	Module 2: Project application and internalisation strategy	Module 2: Project application and internalisation strategy	<i>2° Virtual Exchange</i> Date TBC*	Module 3: Project implementation and international mobilities
Week 9 22/04 – 26/04	Week 10 29/04 – 03/05	Week 11 06/05 – 10/05	Week 12 13/05 – 17/05	Week 13 20/05 – 24/05	Week 14 27/05 – 31/05	Week 15 03/06 – 07/06	Week 16 10/06 – 17/06
Module 3: Project implementation and international mobilities	Module 3: Project implementation and international mobilities	BREAK	<i>3° Virtual Exchange</i> Date TBC*	Module 4: EU Quality Assurance tools and procedures for the successful recognition of the learning outcomes	Module 4: EU Quality Assurance tools and procedures for the successful recognition of the learning outcomes	Module 4: EU Quality Assurance tools and procedures for the successful recognition of the learning outcomes	<i>4° Virtual Exchange</i> Date TBC*



Erasmus+

Eramus+ Programme

The general objective of the Programme is to support, through lifelong learning, the educational, professional and personal development of people in education, training, youth and sport, in Europe and beyond, thereby contributing to sustainable growth, quality jobs and social cohesion, to driving innovation, and to strengthening European identity and active citizenship.

Eramus+ Programme

- to promote learning mobility of individuals and groups, as well as cooperation, quality, inclusion and equity, excellence, creativity and innovation at the level of organisations and policies in the field of education and training;
- to promote non-formal and informal learning mobility and active participation among young people, as well as cooperation, quality, inclusion, creativity and innovation at the level of organisations and policies in the field of youth;
- to promote learning mobility of sport staff, as well as cooperation, quality, inclusion, creativity and innovation at the level of sport organisations and sport policies.

Why participate?

- **Learners/Students**
 - **Teachers and Training staff**
 - **VET schools**
 - **Companies**
- Learners gain **work** and **life experiences** abroad;
 - Apply what they have learned in their home country in a different context, in a different language and with different resources, and with different instructors and colleagues.

1st Virtual Exchange

Theme: Challenges in EU Mobilities

Lecturer: Manuel Ribeiro Bacelar (CCGPE-DGEO)

Objective: This engaging discussion aims to explore the diverse hurdles encountered within European mobilities, exchange insights, and foster collaboration among educators across Europe.



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