



5 COUNTRIES, 2 YEARS, 1 AIM



WORKING TOGETHER TO REDUCE EARLY SCHOOL LEAVING



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PROJECT AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

To establish a network of European VET organisations to facilitate the import and export of best practice to improve the quality of training for people at risk of / who are ESL.

To share best practice within the partnership by delivering 5 workshops aligned to the key issues affecting early school leaving.

To ensure the involvement of key stakeholders including beneficiaries, parents, employers, funders in project implementation and dissemination activities

To undertake formative and summative evaluation of the programme and produce best practice guides

To enable all partners to import and apply at least 1 innovative aspect of best practice within their organisation

To enable partners to observe the application of best practice through benchmarking visits that will be facilitated within the workshop schedule

To share learning from the programme by hosting local and European dissemination events for a wider network and by making all products freely available on the Internet



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SHARING BEST PRACTICE

Establishing a Network

A primary objective of the project is to establish a network of European Vocational Education and Training organisations to facilitate the import and export of best practice aimed at improving the quality of training for people at risk of becoming/who are Early School Leavers (ESL).

INSPIRING EXCELLENCE

Through delivery and achievement

The research undertaken by project partners will seek to identify the factors that stand in the way of young people achieving their potential and to find innovative solutions which overcome these. The project aims to transfer innovation between organisations, promoting excellence in education at all levels.

PROMOTING PROSPERITY THROUGH KNOWLEDGE

Improving young people's career prospects

The economic benefits of education, both to individuals and society are well established.

We are working together to see young people overcoming barriers to completing their education and improving their career prospects.

WORKSHOP 3 – OCTOBER 2014, ROMANIA

On 7th October 2014 all partners assembled in Bucharest for our third workshop, hosted by IPA.

They participated in the 15th European Conference on eActivities (E_CommLine 2014) in which Project partners shared best practice in identifying and overcoming barriers that young people face in completing their education.

The workshop also updated the progress made by Project partners in implementing the Transfer of Innovation to combat ESL.



7/8 OCTOBER
2014

In School Project
partners at IPA



E_COMMLINE 2014

Partners attended the E_CommLine 2014 conference, which presented developments in e-Learning in various fields of education. They gave a presentation of the best practices developed by the Project partners, which was well received.

The partners also visited the Faculty of Electronics of Bucharest Polytechnic University, where they learned more about developments in media & digital animations for eLearning.



WORKSHOP 3 UPDATES

The Workshop heard contributions from all Project partners, updating their progress in the Transfer of Innovation agreed during Workshop 2 in Porto.

- Diana Vieira and Paulino Silva of ISCAP, Portugal spoke about the implementation of the website and resources to facilitate transition imported from Bury College, UK.
- Glyn Harrison and Gemma Lythgoe of Bury College shared the initial findings of the self-efficacy survey imported from ISCAP.
- Zehra Ateyfffffe of Nahit Mentese, Turkey explained the progress made in identifying a group of at risk students who will be taught using Co-operative learning, imported from Portugal.
- Alessandra Espa of Erifo, Italy described how they had incorporated Peer Mentoring from Nahit Mentese, Turkey
- Gheorghe Săndulescu of IPA, Romania spoke of his plans to introduce Flipped Learning games from Erifo, Italy



LOOKING AHEAD

Workshop 4 will take place 24/25th March 2015, hosted by Erifo, Rome.

For further information about the In School Project, please visit:

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