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Invitation to Conference

Quality Assurance of Mobility in Vocational Education and Training

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Place: Elof Lindälvs gymnasium, Kungsbacka, Sweden

Would you like to know more about European cooperation and how to increase the quality of transnational cooperation and exchanges in vocational education and training?

To describe, agree on and recognize competence gained abroad remains a challenge to many vocational providers. Few have discovered the European credit transfer system ECVET as a tool to overcome these challenges.

There is great diversity in the European landscape of vocational education and training systems and the lack of transparency increases the difficulties for employers to find the right competence.

The European Class concept was created to provide opportunities for vocational students in welding, industrial automation, and automotive to do part of their education abroad. The concept utilizes the ECVET tools and processes to increase the transparency and recognition of learning outcomes achieved abroad. In conclusion, it is all about increasing the quality of European vocational education and training.

During this European conference, the project team will share their experiences and inspire you to organize transnational cooperation and exchanges using ECVET. The conference will also provide you an update about the European ECVET process and information about the Erasmus+ programme and the Europass tool.

Seats are limited. The conference is conducted in English.

The conference is free of charge. However, a fee of € 30 will be invoiced in case of undue absence.

To register for the conference, please send an email to one of us:

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Program

Moderator: Christiane Eberhardt, Bundesinstitut für Berufsbildung

- 08:30-09:00 Registration, inspiration & networking
- 9:00-9:10 Welcome to Kungsbacka & Elof Lindälvs Gymnasium – Ulrika Landergren (L), chairman of the political board of upper secondary and adult education, Kungsbacka municipality
- 9:10-09:40 Mobility & integration crucial for the future of Europe – Maria Haldesten, political editor, Hallands Nyheter
- 09:40-10:10 European Education & Training (ET 2020) & Erasmus+: Bengt Landefeldt, Universitets- och Högskolerådet
- 10:10-10:40 Coffee - inspiration & networking
- 10:40-11:00 Need for transparency in vocational education – Anders Carlberg, head of department for research, development and education, Västra Götalandsregionen
- 11:00-12:00 European Class – the concept, the results & experiences – Andreas Mårtensson & Pernilla Öhberg, Kungsbacka kommun
- 12:00-13:30 Lunch - inspiration & networking
- 13:30-14:30 Parallel workshops:
- To create units & describe learning outcomes
- To organize a European Class & utilize ECVET & the Europass Mobility
- To assess learning outcomes in terms of knowledge, skills & competences
- 14:30-14:45 Coffee - inspiration & networking
- 14:45-15:45 Parallel workshops:
- To create units & describe learning outcomes
- To organize a European Class & utilize ECVET & the Europass Mobility
- To assess learning outcomes in terms of knowledge, skills & competences
- 15:45-16:15 Summary of the day
- 16:15 End

