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What is VETFest about?

VETFest – 12 Events for Transnational and National VET networks is a two year Project, running from October 2019 to September 2021, co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Commission.

It is implemented by a consortium of eleven (11) partners from five (5) countries: Portugal, Spain, Italy, Greece, and Turkey.



The VETFest Project foresees to provide solutions to the challenges faced by VET.

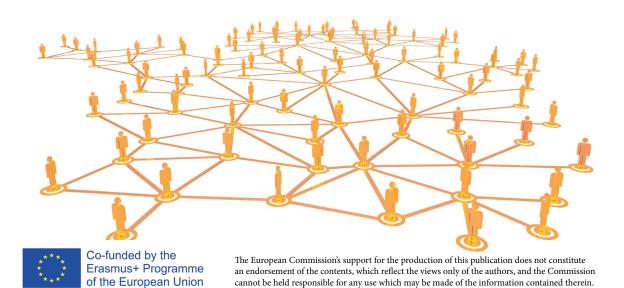
Which are the objectives of VETFest?

VET faces various challenges for its evolution: limited teamwork and exchange of good practices between VET institutions, low social recognition of the VET graduation, lack of internationalization of VET institutions, trainers and trainees, difficulties of the VET institutions in implementing quality monitoring mechanisms like EQAVET, etc.

The Project aims to address these challenges through achieving four main objectives:

– Creation of a transnational network of VET providers.

- Fostering cross-border cooperation through the exchange and implementation of good practices.
- Improvement of the quality of VET through peer counselling for the implementation of EU instruments, namely EQAVET.
- Assistance in internationalization actions of VET institutions and the professional development of their teachers.



What's happened until now?

The project's activities were launched at the partnership kick-off meeting, held in the facilities of SPEL, in Espinho, Portugal, on the 22nd and 23rd of October 2019.

Partners thoroughly discussed on the methodology and tools that will be used in order to identify good prac-tices in VET regarding events, international-ization practices, implementation of EQAVET and professional development of VET teach-ers/ trainers. These practices will be included in the "Good Practices on VET Booklet" that will be produced in the next phase.

In order to ensure timely and quality implementation of activities, a detailed timeline of tasks and activities was agreed among the partnership.





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