

The Education through practice project

POLICY DEVELOPMENT

PRACTICAL MEASURE/INITIATIVE

 CZECHIA

Timeline

2016 Implementation 2017 Implementation 2018 Implementation

2019 Completed

ID number 28810

Objectives

Providing an opportunity for low-skilled people to undergo an internship in an enterprise.

Description

This project runs from 2016 till 2019 and is aimed at providing an opportunity to undergo an internship in an enterprise. The eligible target groups include jobseekers registered at the Labour Office, parents on (or after) a parental leave, persons over 50 years, and those with no qualification or having only a low level of vocational qualification (up to two years of vocational training). Since May 2017, graduates have been also included in the eligible target group. Interested eligible individuals may apply for an internship. There are companies who have expressed their interest in interns. The Further Education Fund mediates the internships by pairing the right intern with the right company and provides related guidance to both parties. The internships last from one to six months. The company assigns a mentor to the intern. The mentors must first undergo an e-learning mentoring course, and then support the interns during the whole process, providing them with the knowledge and skills related to the assigned job. The training costs of the company are refunded. The trainees get their travel and accommodation costs refunded as well. In the end, the company may offer a job to the intern.

2016 Implementation

2017 Implementation

2018 Implementation

2019 Completed

The project was successfully finalised in June 2019.

Bodies responsible

- Employment Office

- Further Education Fund (until 2019)

Target group

Learners

Young people (15-29 years old)
Young people not in employment, education or training (NEETs)
Adult learners
Older workers and employees (55 - 64 years old)
Unemployed and jobseekers
Persons in employment, including those at risk of unemployment
Low-skilled/qualified persons

Entities providing VET

Companies

Thematic categories

Modernising VET offer and delivery

Reinforcing work-based learning, including apprenticeships

Supporting lifelong learning culture and increasing participation

Financial and non-financial incentives to learners, providers and companies
Providing for individuals' re- and upskilling needs
Ensuring equal opportunities and inclusiveness in education and training

Subsystem

CVET

Related policy developments

2018 Discontinued

The Path for youth project

The Path for youth project was originally planned for the period 2016-20. It specifically targets last grade students in higher education, tertiary professional schools and secondary schools. Since 2017 the target group has been expanded to students of two last grades.

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Practical
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Subsystem

IVET CVET

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