



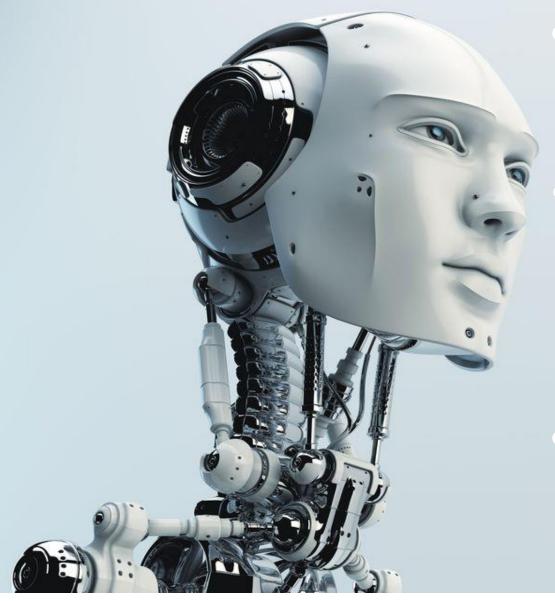
# Skills formation and matching in online platform work

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# 'Digitalisation, Al & Future work' project



### New data

 2<sup>ND</sup> European skills and jobs survey – impact of digitalisation on worker skill mismatch (2021)

### New studies

- CrowdLearn+
- Automation risk of EU jobs
- Skills-displacing technology
- Occupational decline and employer practices
- Employers' Al skill demand

### Supporting policy

- VET adaption to i.4.0?
- Using big data in skills policy
- Methods for identifying new tech

## Cedefop CrowdLearn is...

- **01** First study on skills of online platform workers
- Focused explicitly on EU workers
- O3 Scientific in-depth interviews & 'tested' survey of 1000 crowdworkers
- Robust typology of skills developed in crowdwork and skill gaps
- 05 Forward-looking skills policies

# Skill development of workers

Anticipating the future of work and learning

in the platform economy



# Gig economy types

	Local	Remote
	Local gig work (B2C)	Online piecework (microwork)
Routine	UBER TaskRabbit DELIVEROD PROPER FOOD, PROPER DELIVERY	amazon mechanical turk  Clickworker  Online freelancing
	On-demand contracting	Online freelancing
Non-routine	FIELDGLASS. © Kalo	Upwork™ Freelancer  or peopleperhour fiverr







- What skills do EU online platform workers develop?
- What learning processes – individual and social?

- How are the formal and informal skills of crowdworkers recognized and signaled?
- How do platforms promote skills matching?

- What skills should IVET/CVET systems promote for digital workers?
- Crowdwork for labour market integration?
- Challenges for skills portability?

# The NEW (OLD) WORLD...

CrowdLearn provides first insights into the future of skills



- Challenge to publicly regulated skills systems
- Missing training market
- Skills signalling via client feedback/reputation
- Value of digital microcredentials & skills tests
- Algorithmic vetting & ranking
- Limited skills portability & barriers to entry

Source: Cedefop CrowdLearn study





# **Learn more**

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