



## Matching adult refugees' skills with labour market needs for lawful and safe pathways to protection in Europe

National workshop, The Hague, The Netherlands  
25<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (11:00 – 14:30)

**Venue:** VNO-NCW Malietoren, Room 601, Bezuidenhoutseweg 12, 2594 AV Den Haag

### Agenda for the Workshop

11:00	<b>1. Introductory session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Welcome</li><li>• Introduction to the project</li><li>• Tour de Table – Introduction of participants</li><li>• Agenda/ purpose of the workshop</li></ul>
11:20	<b>2. Presentation of the concept</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Rationale and concept of a skills-based complementary pathway to protection</li><li>• Q&amp;A</li></ul>
12:00	<b>3. Presentation on the situation in the Netherlands</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Labour market demand in the Netherlands</li><li>• Resettlement, relocation and complementary pathways to the Netherlands – experiences</li><li>• Labour market integration of refugees in the Netherlands - experiences</li><li>• Q&amp;A</li></ul>
12:30	<b>Lunch Break</b>
12:50	<b>4. Applying a skill based complementary pathway in the context of the Netherlands - discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Interest and expectations, challenges &amp; opportunities</li><li>• How to move ahead; who can do what</li><li>• Conclusions</li></ul>
13:50	<b>5. The way forward – summary of the discussion</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Piloting and funding - discussion</li><li>• Timeframe, financial resources, partners</li></ul>
14:20	<b>Conclusion &amp; end of workshop</b>