



Entrepreneurship competence in vocational education and training

Cedefop virtual workshop

17 and 18 February 2022

PROGRAMME

The workshop will bring together European vocational education and training (VET) stakeholders (policy-makers, social partners, researchers, VET providers) to:

- share early results on how entrepreneurship competence is embedded in VET, including policy implementation challenges based on literature review and field survey in two pilot countries (Italy and Latvia);
- discuss the research methodology piloted by Cedefop's research team;
- discuss tools and methods that can help policy-makers, social partners and training providers overcome barriers in promoting entrepreneurship competence in VET.

Central European Time (CET)

Thursday, 17 February 2022	
9.30-10.00	Registration and technical checks
Session 1	Entrepreneurship competence in VET: developments in the EU Chair: Loukas Zahilas, Head of Department for VET and qualifications, Cedefop
10.00-10.15	Overview and objectives of the workshop Jürgen Siebel, Executive Director, Cedefop Loukas Zahilas, Head of Department for VET and qualifications, Cedefop
10.15-10.30	Importance of key competences in VET and recent developments in promoting entrepreneurship competence in Europe Chiara Riondino, Head of Unit VET, Apprenticeships and Adult Learning, European Commission, DG EMPL Dana Adriana Puia Morel, European Commission, DG GROW
10.30-11.15	How is entrepreneurship competence understood and enacted in VET at national level? Dmitrijs Kuļšs, Department for VET and qualifications, Cedefop Embedding entrepreneurship competence – Literature review insights Slavica Singer, research team leader, J.J. Strossmayer University in Osijek, UNESCO Chair in entrepreneurship education Pilot study results from two countries: Italy and Latvia Daniele Morselli, core research team, Free University of Bozen-Bolzano

	<p>Usefulness of the results: feedback by national stakeholders</p> <p>Rūta Gintaute – Marihina, Ministry of Education and Science, Latvia</p> <p>Arduino Salatin, President of the National association of VET providers (SCF), Italy</p>
11.15-11.30	<p>Harvesting the research results – participant views</p> <p>Moderated by Jelena Muhina, Department for VET and qualifications, Cedefop</p>
11.30-11.45	<p>Coffee break End of Session 1</p>
Session 2	<p>Research methodology: design and application</p> <p>Chair: Dmitrijs Kuļšs, Department for VET and qualifications, Cedefop</p>
11.45-12.05	<p>Designing a sound research</p> <p>Līga Baltiņa, project leader (contractor), Fondazione Giacomo Brodolini (FGB)</p> <p>Iván Diego Rodríguez, core research team, Valnalón</p>
12.05-12.20	<p>Applying research methodology: national researcher perspective</p> <p>Līga Peiseniece, national researcher Latvia, BA School of Business and Finance</p> <p>Daniele Morselli, national researcher Italy, Free University of Bozen-Bolzano</p>
12.20-13.05	<p>Discussion in breakout rooms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strengths and challenges of the methodology applied in the pilot countries • Solutions for the forthcoming research in Austria, Croatia, Finland, France, Spain and Sweden <p>All breakout rooms will discuss the same topics.</p>
13.05-13.35	<p>Reporting from the breakout rooms</p>
13.35-13.40	<p>End of Session 2 and Day 1 Closing remarks</p>

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Session 3	<p>Building an entrepreneurial learning ecosystem and toolkit to support entrepreneurship competence in VET</p> <p>Chair: Iraklis Pliakis, Department for VET and qualifications, Cedefop</p>
10.00-10.45	<p>Inspiring ideas on how to build an entrepreneurial learning ecosystem in VET – Panel discussion</p> <p>Margherita Bacigalupo, European Commission, Joint Research Centre</p> <p>Jaana Seikkula-Leino, research team, Tampere University of Applied Sciences and Mid Sweden University</p>

	<p>Daniele Manni, winner of the Global Teaching Awards 2020</p> <p>Discussant: Elin McCallum, research team, Bantani Education</p>
10.45-12.00	<p>Building a toolkit to support embedding entrepreneurship competence in VET</p> <p>Presentation of a structure proposal for the toolkit</p> <p>Maria Laura Fornaci, research team, Fondazione Giacomo Brodolini (FGB)</p> <p>Discussion in breakout rooms</p> <p>How could a toolkit support developing an entrepreneurial learning ecosystem and embedding entrepreneurship competence in VET?</p> <p>Topics for discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Which study outputs would you consider useful to be included in the toolkit? What else could be included? • How should information be structured to make the toolkit more user-friendly? • Does the structure proposal of the toolkit address your needs? How can it be improved? • Would you find the creation of an online community of practice as part of the toolkit useful? Would you actively participate in it? What should its main scope be? <p>All breakout rooms will discuss the same topics.</p> <p>Wrap-up</p>
12.00-12.10	<p>Closing remarks</p> <p>Loukas Zahilas, Head of Department for VET and qualifications, Cedefop</p>