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Promoting the REcognizability of Learning outcomes from vocAtional educaTion to higher Education

Project duration:
1st October 2013 to 30st October 2015

LdV – Transfer of Innovation
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Objectives:

This Innovation transfer project is focused on increase of vertical permeability between vocational education and training and higher education study programs within the field of health and social care by supporting the recognition of VET learning outcomes for HE study programs.
The main aim of the transfer is to summarize results of former projects referring to recognition of learning outcomes and to determine specific ways of promoting permeability into higher education programs within three European states in consideration of national framework conditions.

Project Content:

The project will transfer methods, procedures, instruments and guidelines for the recognition of prior learning in vocational education and training for admission to higher education. In particular it will transfer good practices and tested models for:

- organizing the institutional frameworks for RPL in both VET and HE institutions
- recognizing prior learning on a learning-outcome-oriented basis (ECVET)
- student and applicant counseling
- Cooperation between VET and HE institutions in curricula development and recognition procedures.

All involved project partners have already worked in at least one of the abovementioned fields and are able to share their valuable experiences within the project partnership.

The main aims of the project are:

- Defining the framework by analyzing the legislative groundwork and the state of implementation of recognition processes for learning outcomes from VET towards E in the participating countries
- Summarizing key issues of recognition processes, implemented and tested methodologies and instruments that are transferable
- Adapting, developing and transferring methodologies and instruments to the national contexts and implementing these at the participating institutions
- Assuring and promoting the cooperation between VET and HE institutions by concluding agreements on standardized recognition processes and by providing agreement templates
- Enabling VET and HE stakeholders to implement recognition processes
- Disseminating the project results and assuring their sustainability and exportation within Europe.

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