

Effective Training for NEETs



The ET-NEETs project has been funded through the Erasmus + Key Action 2 Strategic Partnership program. The two year project will run from on 1st September 2014 until 31st August 2016.

The project will end with a conference in London where stakeholders will be invited to attend where they will be presented with the work and results of the project.



What is the problem the project is trying to solve

Youth unemployment is one of the major challenges of EU employment policy as 12.9% of those aged 15–24 in the EU28 are currently not in employment, this equates to approximately 5.5 million young people being affected.

These young adults are generally disproportionately affected by a lack of opportunities which has been accelerated through the recent economic crisis.

They are often from disadvantaged backgrounds and are Not in Employ-

ment, Education or Training, in short called NEETs.

The Solution



The project will work together with its Target Groups who currently offer training to NEETs and gather, analyse and produce data to support the development of a common framework for identifying indicators to measure successful training.

The result will be effective and high quality training that will be available for teachers and trainers to use when delivering training to NEETs.

The Web-platform

Training programmes for NEETs incorporate a variety of elements to teach key competences and basic skills and are currently being designed and delivered by local governments, charities and NGOs.

The project will produce a Web Platform which, for the first time, will bring together training organisations from all levels (locally, nationally and EU-wide) which enables them:



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- to communicate,
- to organise exchange and
- to find methods of best practice.

It will also allow them:

- to publish and evaluate their own methods, and
- will assist them to compare programs offered by other organisations using the web platform's Matrix software tool.



Training Materials for NEET Teachers

From its research into existing training programmes and their effectiveness the project team will run two Pilot training courses and finally design and produce a course for teachers and trainers of NEETs to use.

These Training Materials for NEET Teachers (TMNT) will include elements, methods and techniques that have been tested and proved to be successful.

The TMNT courses will promote mobility as a significant factor in delivering more effective results in this sector of adult education and especially for NEETs from disadvantaged backgrounds.

Kick Off Meeting

The project partners have just returned home from Cala D'or, Mallorca

which provided the location for the project's kick-off meeting. Cala D'or is the home base of the Spanish Partner, Sea Teach S.L.

The partners will now begin the research stage of the project which will be ready for analysis at the next meeting in Poland in June 2015.

The Partners

The project will bring together a mix five partners from four EU countries that include, a local government authority, an adult education college, two private adult training providers and an ICT specialist in adult training software programs in key competences and basic skills.

The project partners have, between them, the relevant experience, expertise and links required to the NEET community to deliver the work and fulfill the aims of the project.

The aim of this consortium is to significantly decrease the numbers of young adults who are NEETs by offering them better training.

The major change envisaged by this project is to provide European stakeholders with exchange and to share the success of effective training offered to NEETs.



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