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Erasmus+

The Euroguidance Network

- 20+ years of supporting guidance practice and mobility in Europe

The current state of play

ELGPN meeting, 24-25 November 2015 in Jyväskylä



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Euroguidance in brief

- Established in 1992
- 68 National Centers in 34 countries
- Mostly hosted under Ministries of Education or Employment
- Financing:
50% Erasmus+ (KA 3) and 50% national contribution
- News 2015:
Move to DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion

Austria	Liechtenstein
Belgium	Lithuania
Bulgaria	Luxembourg
Czech Rep.	Malta
Cyprus	Netherlands
Croatia	Norway
Denmark	Poland
Estonia	Portugal
Finland	Romania
France	Serbia
Germany	Slovak Rep.
Greece	Slovenia
Hungary	Spain
Iceland	Sweden
Ireland	Switzerland
Italy	Turkey
Latvia	United Kingdom

Joint call 2016

Under Erasmus +, Key activity 3, support for policy reform

- National Euroguidance centers
- National Europass centers
- National coordination points (NCPs)
for European Qualifications Framework (EQF)

Better coordination between tools and policies will improve their impact and benefits for the citizens



First step towards a single integrated service, backed up by a single integrated network?



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Specific Objectives for Euroguidance

- Improve the level of key competences and skills, in particular through increased opportunities for learning mobility and through strengthened cooperation between the world of education and the world of work;
- Foster quality improvements and internationalisation in particular through enhanced transnational cooperation between education and training providers and other stakeholders;
- Promote the emergence and raising awareness of a European lifelong learning area through enhanced policy cooperation, better use of union transparency and recognition tools and the dissemination of good practices.

Priorities for the Euroguidance work

I. Promoting the European dimension in lifelong guidance

This includes:

- Enhancing the knowledge and skills of guidance practitioners so they are better able to facilitate mobility and support positive outcomes of individual mobility experiences;
- Promoting mutual awareness and cooperation between guidance services in the different countries in relation to working methods or dissemination of innovative practices;
- Complementing the work of the ELGPN and support EU policy initiatives through dissemination and provision of expertise in the fields of guidance practice and the European dimension in guidance and mobility.

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II. Providing quality information on lifelong guidance and mobility for learning purposes

This includes:

- Contributing to the development of innovative practices and methods to improve accessibility to guidance services;
- Supporting the development of information and guidance services with a view to facilitating and fully realising the potential of learning mobility;
- Providing, exchanging and disseminating quality information on:
 - Educational and vocational **guidance systems** in the countries participating in Erasmus+, covering both the lifelong learning and employment fields;
 - **Project results, innovative working methods and good practice** in the field of lifelong guidance;
 - **Education and training systems** in the countries participating in Erasmus+ (descriptions targeted to promoting mobility for learning purposes);
 - **The European initiatives and programmes** within the field of education, training and mobility;
 - Other **opportunities for mobility** for learning purposes.

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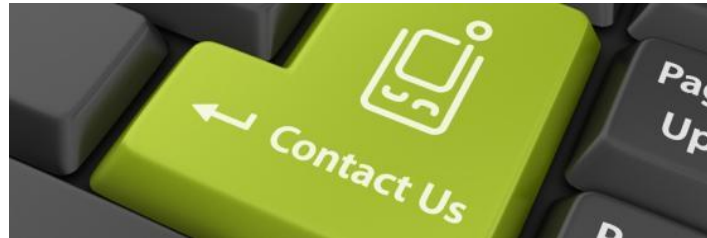
III. Providing and maintaining input to the Learning Opportunities and Qualifications in Europe Portal

This includes:

- Providing input on agreed topics to the Portal;
- Maintaining the provided information up to the agreed quality standards;
- Interconnecting the national data source on learning opportunities with the portal;
- Fostering cooperation with other skills and qualifications tools and services at European level.



Thank you for your attention!



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