Annual ECVET Forum 2018:

Venue: Sofia, Bulgaria, Hotel Marinela

Day 1: 14 June 2018: Using ECVET for long-duration learner mobility

Time	Agenda item
8.30	Welcome coffee and registration
8.15-8.45	ECVET for beginners Optional session for newcomers on the terminology and concepts used in ECVET mobility Facilitation: ECVET Secretariat - Michela Vecchia (IT), Paul Guest (UK)
9.00	Welcoming words:
	 European Commission Tanya Mihaylova, Deputy Minister of Education and Science - Bulgaria
9.20	Introduction to the Day Master of Ceremonies: Russell Saunders, Inchigo
9.40	Introduction to the topic: The future of VET: building a common European vision
	European Commission, Jàn Varchola
10.00	Examples of long duration mobility projects
	 Example 1: PIU - The National Danish Mobility Scheme Presenter: Søren Kristensen, Techne (DK) Example 2: Mobility for Airbus Apprentices (M4AA) Presenter: Matthias Havekost (DE) and Theo Wang (FR), Airbus
10.45	Coffee break
11.15	Five parallel workshops, round 1
40.00	 WS 1: How to develop international partnerships for long duration mobility? Presenters: Elly van 't Hof, NETINVET (EU); Francesco Tarantino, YouNet/IFOM (IT) Chair: Brigitte Trocmé (FR) WS 2: How to quality assure the mobility process using tools and services? Presenters: Andrea Lombardi, European Badge Alliance (EU); Paola Bolognini, Somex - Social Media in Exchanges (EU), Chair: Laetitia Beckers (BE) WS 3: How to ensure validation and recognition of learning outcomes from long duration mobility? Presenters: Antonio Mir Montes, Xabec (ES); Miikka Kotilainen, Puuartisti (FI) Chair: Hanna Autere (FI) WS 4: How to set up effective collaboration between employers and VET providers? Presenters: Christoph Willi, HLW Rankweil (AT); Mariah Debono, Institute for Tourism Studies (MT) Chair: Ilze Buligina (LV) WS 5: How to promote long duration mobility to students and apprentices? Presenters: Hélène Louis, les Compagnons du Devoir (FR); Claudio Novembre and Amanda Pellegrini, Torno Subito (IT) Chair: Alfredo Garmendia (ES)
13.00	Lunch break
14.00	Real-life learner's stories
	Interviews with learners benefitting from long duration VET mobility Facilitation: Russell Saunders, Inchigo
14.30	Five parallel workshops, round 2

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16.00	Coffee break
16.30	Reporting back from the workshops: Key learning points from the workshops
17.00	Panel discussion: ECVET and mobility - Looking back on what ECVET has achieved so far and reflections on its role in the future
	Discussants: ECVET stakeholders (policy makers, VET providers, trade unions, and employers) Chair: Karin Luomi-Messerer (AT), ECVET Secretariat
18.00	End of Day 1
18.30	Social programme and dinner

Day 2 - 15 June 2018: Discussing new projects and other ideas in an 'Idea Incubator'

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9.00 - 9.30	Welcome coffee and registration
9.30	Review of Day 1 and welcome to Day 2
9.40	Introduction to the day and the working methods
10.00	Idea Incubator Opportunity for networking and discussion of (project) ideas
12.00	Wrap up session in plenary: Lessons learnt and next steps
12.45	Closing remarks: ➤ European Commission ➤ Tatiana Kalkanova, Executive Director of HRDC Bulgaria
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch
As of 14.00	Departure of participants