

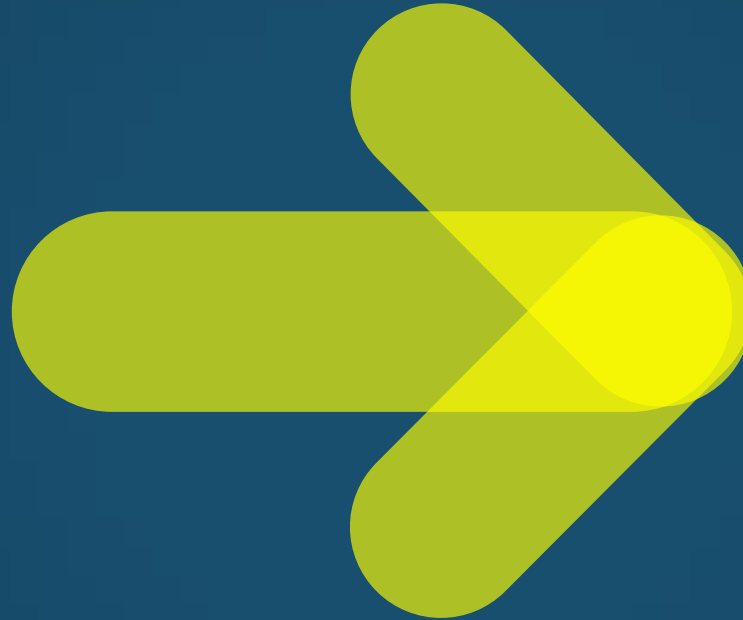
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QUALITY OF VPET: A EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVE

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Enhanced political cooperation to supporting mobility for work and learning and making access to lifelong learning easier through: more transparency and easier recognition of qualifications and competences, improved quality of VET and better information and guidance.



RIGA

The Riga Conclusions aims at reaching agreement on a new set of medium-term deliverables for the period 2015 – 2020 as part of the overall Copenhagen process launched in 2002.

WHY IS QUALITY IMPORTANT?

The emphasis on quality is because the work place is profiled as high in technology and work practices centred around basic skills and competences



EQAVET

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EQAVET

European Quality Assurance
in Vocational Education and Training

Supporting the implementation of the
European Quality Assurance Reference Framework
for Vocational Education and Training

The aim of the EQAVET work programme is to:

Provide a sustainable platform for a community of practice in which participants exchange information and experience, learning from each other in order to reach shared results and solutions

Contribute to policy development in the area of quality assurance in VET through concrete proposals and initiatives

Promote European collaboration in the area of quality assurance in VET in order to develop national implementation actions/plans in the use and adaptation of the Reference Framework

Develop a culture of continuous quality improvement both within national VET provision and at a European level

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- EQAVET is a set of European requirements – expectations – with the primary aim of promoting and supporting the continuous quality improvement in VET.
- It is a reference tool which can help clarify the degree and extent of compliance between national quality assurance systems (frameworks) in VET and the European Framework based on a common set of reference criteria agreed on European level thereby helping Member States, VET providers and other organisations set up, further develop and renew their own systems.

THE EQAVET FRAMEWORK – PART 1

QUALITY ASSURANCE AND IMPROVEMENT CYCLE

- The EQAVET quality assurance and quality improvement cycle is made up of and follows the four steps of the PDCA logic of continuous quality improvement – Step 1 Planning, Step 2 Implementation, Step 3 Evaluation, Step 4 Review

THE EQAVET FRAMEWORK – PART 2

MONITORING TOOL

- **Monitoring** refers to the combination of internal and external evaluation procedures which should be established by the Member States in order to receive continuous, factual, credible feedback on the progress they have made in achieving their goals.

THE EQAVET FRAMEWORK – PART 3 – MEASUREMENT TOOL

- The measurement tool offers 10 system-level indicators to assess, evaluate and confirm the quality, effectiveness and efficiency of VET which are key instruments for VET governance and for improving the quality of VET. The aim is to help Member States ensure the adequate and consistent monitoring and evaluation of quality improvement of their own systems based on a common set of quantitative and qualitative reference indicators, as well as the evidence-/fact-based decision-making about improvements.



INDUSTRY AND EDUCATION:

Partners in setting standards, identifying skills and monitoring quality assurance

Quality
in
VET



Higher esteem
of VET and
better salary
and working
conditions



Quality in VET is the platform for a better quality of life to all skilled workers (and their families).

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