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PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS

- Kick-off meeting held online on 29 January 2021.
- First transnational face-to-face meeting organised by EDITC in Nicosia (Cyprus) on 28-29 March 2022.
- Upcoming events:
 - 3rd transnational face-to-face meeting in Valencia (Spain) organised by FEH;
 - 4th transnational face-to-face meeting in Antalya (Turkiye) organised by Akdeniz University;
 - Scientific Final Conference in Krakow in March 2023.
- Multiplier events in each country with different stakeholders

WHY HORECA4VET PROJECT?

The main goal of the HoReCa4VET project is to increase access to lifelong learning of formal, informal, and non-formal nature in the HoReCa industry by developing and implementing validation and certification models by European Qualifications Framework.

The HoReCa4VET project will contribute to the identification of learning outcomes in the framework of identified learning outcomes by employers based on current market demand, as additional professional skills in the European dimension can be acquired in three qualifications as part of the project.

PROJECT RESULTS: VALIDATION AND CERTIFICATION

Validation and certification of non-formal and informal learning is a crucial challenge of lifelong learning and a priority for national and European vocational education and training policies in all sectors, including the HoReCa industry.

Within the project implementation, the partnership is working on developing the models/systems of validation and certification of requirements in the HoReCa sector.

A set of research tools and methods will be prepared, which will include requirements for trainers and staff to carry out validation, as well as the definition of necessary equipment, cost estimation, etc.

Certification is the process whereby a learner receives from an authorised institution a formal document stating that he/she has achieved a certain qualification. The award of qualifications will be understood as the result of validation and certification.

The developed **Validation and Certification Model** responds to the need to provide the opportunity to confirm the professional competence of a significant number of people working for many years in the HoReCa industry.

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TRANSNATIONAL MEETING IN SKOPJE

On **6-7 July 2022**, the **second face-to-face transnational meeting** took place in **Skopje** (North Macedonia), hosted by the partner organisation **Samerimpex Impulsi**.

During the meeting, the partners **reviewed the validation and certification process** in their countries.

Models of validation were discussed:

- Validation methods used to verify learning outcomes required for qualifications and human resources, i.e. competence requirements for persons carrying out validation;
- The manner of conducting validation, as well as organisational and material conditions necessary for proper validation.

Particular attention was set on the system of online certification and the criteria for certification of the candidates.



UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- 2 Transnational meetings, one in Valencia (Spain) on 1-2 September, and the second in Antalya (Turkey) on 3-4 November 2022.
- Continue with the development of the validation and certification models.
- Proceed with the development of the activities (exercises, quizzes, additional test questions) for the e-learning platform.
- Plan and organise the topics for the Publication that will be presented at the project's Final Conference, which will take place in Krakow (Poland) in 2023.

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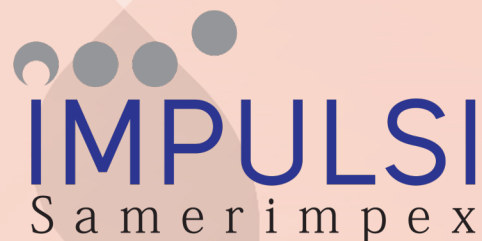
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