European Commission
New initiative ALMA (Aim, Learn, Master, Achieve) to help young people find their way to the job market by combining support for education, vocational training or employment in their home country and with a work placement in another EU country

On 25 October European Commissioner for Jobs and Social Rights, Nicolas Schmit launched the European Digital Credentials for learning
https://ec.europa.eu/social/main.jsp?langId=en&catId=1146&furtherNews=yes&newsId=10091

Commission launches structured dialogue (Maßnahme 1) with Member States on digital education and skills

CEDEFOP
Call for tender on “European Training and Learning Survey”

Cedefop Newsletter October 2021
Cedefop newsletter No 114 - October 2021 | CEDEFOP (europa.eu)

European Training Foundation (ETF)
Partnerships and networking: harnessing cooperation for better policy

Unpacking resilience. ETF Director, Cesare Onestini rounds up this month's resilience campaign

Publication: The role of centres of vocational excellence in work-based learning
Eurochambres
https://mailchi.mp/99a8e9cf59c8/eurochambres-news-18102021

Eurydice
Teachers' and School Heads' Salaries and Allowances in Europe – 2019/20
https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/national-policies/eurydice/content/teachers-salaries-2021_en

International organizations

UNESCO-UNEVOC
Adapting and Integrating the ASEAN In-Company Trainer Standard in Thailand
https://unevoc.unesco.org/bilt/Learning+Lab++TPQI

ILO
ILO welcomes G20 endorsement of human-centred approach to COVID-19 recovery

The ILO’s Social Finance Programme has collaborated with the Africa Agriculture and Trade Investment Fund (AATIF) since 2012, developing knowledge to improve the social impact of agricultural investments. This article reflects on the last 12 months of embracing the realities of COVID-19 and our continued work on capacity building, sustainability management and impact measurement.

The International Labour Review and gender equality: The importance of women’s unpaid and paid work

Countries

Austria
Rückblick EuroSkills Graz 2021
https://news.wko.at/news/oesterreich/EuroSkills-Graz-2021--Team-Austria-feierlich-verabschiede.html?_ga=1*dajdgk*_ ga*MTAwOTg1NDkxNi4xNjM1ODU1ODM0*_ ga_4YHGVSNS5S4*M TYzNTg1NTgzMy4xLjEuMzYzNTg1NjA2NC40

Denmark
The Project Pathways to quality of education examines how education can work with the six indicators of a good learning environment, which are represented in the Learning Barometer, the Ministry of Education and Research's large survey, which is conducted every two years and measures the quality of education in higher education.
The catalogue delves into learning barometer – UFM's large survey measuring educational quality in higher education by examine how educational institutions can work with their learning environment based on the quality parameters represented in the Learning Barometer.

Reform initiative "Denmark can do more", the government will, in a 10-year perspective, make Denmark "richer, safer and greener". Among other things, EUR 2.5 billion is allocated to quality education, three new vocational climate schools are created, and a strengthening of the adult and continuing education system and ensure lifelong learning also for unskilled and short-term graduates.

DREAM's education projection assesses the number of students in different types of education in the future. In addition, the model provides a projection of the level of education in the Danish population. The model is used for analyzes of changes in educational behavior.

France

Publikation: Der öffentliche Dienst zu Beginn des Arbeitslebens, abwechslungsreiche Wege zur Stabilisierung

Publication: Young people in NEET: the role of basic skills

Seit dem 1. September führt Céreq eine Umfrage zur Ausbildungspolitik von Unternehmen oder Verbänden des privaten Sektors durch.

Germany

German Research Center for Comparative Vocational Education and Training (G.R.E.A.T.) is concerned with international and comparative research in vocational education and training. Ms Thomann is Board member.

Vergabe: "Organisation, implementation, transcription and translation of Polish-language interviews for the construction and implementation of ESCO" Deadline: 15.11.2021 10:00

ESCO ist die mehrsprachige europäische Klassifikation für Fähigkeiten, Kompetenzen, Qualifikationen und Berufe.ESCO ist Teil der Strategie Europa 2020.
Nordics
Neuer Bericht des NVL Nordisk-Netzwerks zur Orientierung
https://nvl.org/Content/Samordning-af-vejledning-i-de-nordiske-lande

The Nordic Quality Compass is a toolbox for policy makers and developers of validation procedures as well as for practitioners (assessors, supervisors and coordinators) who work with real competence assessment.
https://nvl.org/vuxnas-larande/resurser

Norway

Romania
The "Choose your path!" platform is the information portal for all students, teachers and company representatives who are interested in pursuing a vocational and technical education pathway and in developing an education and training option aimed at making it easier for future graduates to integrate into a constantly changing labour market.
https://www.alegetidrumul.ro/despre

THE OCCUPANCY OF PLACES IN THE EDUCATIONAL OFFER FOR CLASS IX, VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND DUAL EDUCATION, MAINSTREAM AND SPECIAL, STATE AND PRIVATE, FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2021 - 2022, ON 01.09.2021

Sweden
New initiatives in Sweden are bringing practice-oriented research into adult education.

United Kingdom
Adult Learning and Education after Brexit: Plus ça Change? Speakers’ Corner. How different will things really be for Adult Learning and Education in the UK after Brexit?

Events

https://www.dihk.de/de/aktuelles-und-presse/aktuelle-informationen/dihk-laedt-am-4-november-zum-world-economic-day-digital--60022

08. November 2021: Skills governance in Slovenia
https://www.cedefop.europa.eu/en/events/skills-governance-slovenia-0
10. November 2021: 7th Forum for the development of Entrepreneurial learning
Entrepreneurial centres of Vocational training: birth of the national Tunisian network.
learning

15. November 2021: Cedefop and Slovenian Presidency of the Council of the EU is continuing its
Cedefop-Brussels seminars with the 11th (virtual) event and present research activities related to
the overarching theme of inclusive governance in skills development with a special focus on
continuing VET (CVET).

15. November 2021: Mit Erasmus+ als Azubi Europa entdecken (online). Auf der gemeinsamen
Online-Informationsveranstaltung der IHK Nord Westfalen und Education Berlin werden mögliche
Zielländer und die Vielfältigkeit des Programms vorgestellt.
https://www.ihk-nordwestfalen.de/system/vst/3498908?id=369343&terminId=632525

https://www.wko.at/site/skillsaustria/austrianskills-2021.html


1. – 3. December 2021: EVBB International Annual Conference 2021 hosted by AKMI International in
Athens, Greece
https://evbb.eu/conferences/2021/10/04/athens-2021-vet-in-the-post-covid-era-challenges-and-
opportunities/

19. - 20. May 2022: 4th Validation of prior learning Biennale, hosted by the World’s Training Centres
in Reykjavik/Iceland. The Biennale is aimed at policy makers, researchers, users, practitioners and
others involved in the development and implementation of validation of previous learning.
https://vplbiennale.org/

Miscellaneous

Für den Nachwuchs in der Berufsbildung:
Pumuckl und der Lehrling
https://www.ardaudiothek.de/episode/pumuckl-der-hoerspiel-klassiker/pumuckl-und-der-lehrling-
oder-eine-geschichte-von-meister-eder-und-seinem-kobold/bayern-2/93352070/

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