

# Romanian National VET Team: challenges, accomplishments and future plans

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# More than 10 years of National VET Team in Romania

2012-2013

## **Preparatory phase (LLP):**

- Organising the ECVET experts team
- Establishing the long-term specific objectives

2014-2020

## **ECVET phase (Erasmus+):**

Main objective: promotion of the ECVET system and implementation of activities indicated in the ECVET Recommendation of 2009

2021-2027

## **VET for sustainable competitiveness, social fairness and resilience phase (Erasmus++):**

Main objective: supporting national authorities in the further development of the VET system (Recommendation of 2020) and the Erasmus+ beneficiaries to use the European tools for recognition and transparency.

## Who are we at the moment?

- 3 members – CNDIPT (**Dana, Camelia and Dalia**)
  - 1 representative of EQAVET Steering Committee
- 2 members – NAQ (including Europass responsible)
- 1 independent VET expert, former member of ECVET Team, former director of CNDIPT (**Zoica**)
- Former coordinator of ECVET Team (Olivia) – VET expert in SEE grants
- 1 former member of NAQ (**Margareta**) – studies&statistics officer within NA

and myself, **Daniela**

## Challenges:

- 1) to put together the right people and to keep them committed and results-oriented
- 2) to identify the appropriate activities for the VET system needs while staying focused on the main objectives
- 3) to anticipate the change (e.g. dual VET implementation, green transition etc.)



# Accomplishments (outputs, outcomes) from 2014-2020:

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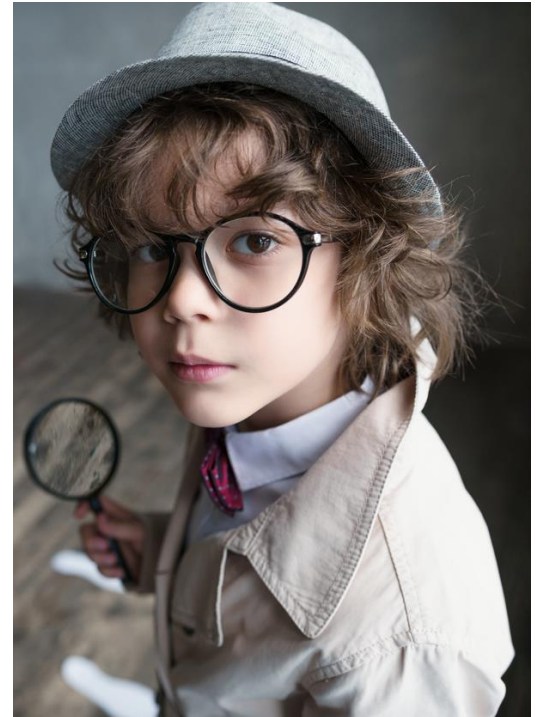
- The activities within the Working Plan were predefined and two folded:

## National Tasks

- Training and advice
- Assist in policy making
- Promotion and awareness raising
- ECVET community of practice

## International Tasks

- Participation in European meetings and events



What did  
we do on  
the way?

## PLA activities on several subjects:

- Understanding the design of the LOs;
- Better evaluation & certification of LOs in the dual system;
- Recognition and transfer of LOs in work-based learning projects;
- Proper understanding of ECVET and its tools (e.g. MoU, LA);
- IVET curricula development;
- Understanding how to use the European tools (ECVET, EQF, Europass, EQAVET).

## Surveys on:

- Barriers for recognition and transfer of LOs achieved during E+ mobilities;
- What students do not learn at school, but do learn in European projects?

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the way?

## Promotion materials

- Brochures (e.g. the ECVET “suitcase”);
- ECVET corner on the website: <https://www.anpcdefp.ro/ecvet>
- Short movies with best practices VET projects:

**Lots of personalised gifts**  
(e.g. pens, backpacks,  
notebooks – including stone  
paper made ones, clothes  
bags)



Learning from  
previous  
experiences...

## The overall aim of the VET national team for 2022-2027 - to enhance the quality and attractiveness of VET mobility projects

- to support VET capacity to adapt to labour market and green transition needs;
- to increase the average duration of student mobility to at least 3 weeks;
- to increase the number and the competences level of staff participants in VET mobility;
- to stimulate VET mobility participation through networking

# Learning from previous experiences...

How the NA support and monitor VET team activities:

- regular meetings
- reports on the activities progress

# Learning from previous experiences...

The main activities of the team:

- *regional seminars – analysis, performed at regional and county level, of the IVET offer in relation to the qualifications with high demand in the labour market and green transition;*
- *national workshops - analysis of VET qualifications levels 3 and 4 NQF / EQF, in correlation with the updated list of occupations offered by the labour market*

# Learning from previous experiences...

The main activities of the team:

- *national workshops - Develop new qualifications addressing green technologies and innovation, in energy efficiency / circular economy / environmental awareness*
- *1 national contest – I GO VET! during the European Skills Week - Short video contest for VET students participating in mobility projects*

# Learning from previous experiences...

The main activities of the team:

- *Counselling and advice sessions for project beneficiaries*  
- *Kick of meetings*
- national workshop for VET inspectors

Solutions to increase VET staff and students' participation to VET mobility projects, support quality

<https://padlet.com/suntsolidareu/ynr55u9h6z8du4df>

2023 – teams

- *Participation in European meetings & events*

# Plans for 2024



Activity Type	Short description
8 online regional seminars for Regional Consortia	<p><b>Title:</b> <i>Dual VET and labour market needs</i></p> <p><b>Topic:</b> <i>analysis, performed at regional and county level, of the IVET offer in relation to the qualifications with high demand in the labour market</i></p>
1 national workshop	<p><b>Title:</b> <i>Supporting the green transition and digitalisation in Initial VET</i></p> <p><b>Topic:</b> <i>Green technologies and innovation, in energy efficiency/circular economy/environmental awareness</i></p>
1 national workshop of the IVET inspectors' network	<p><b>Topic:</b> <i>National workshop to analyse and improve the network activity</i></p>
1 national conference for 100 participants from projects implemented by VET accredited organisations	<p><b>Title:</b> <i>Skills for Work &amp; Life</i></p> <p><b>Topic:</b> <i>Meeting of VET KA1&amp;KA2 beneficiaries to share experiences and to mark the European Skills Year</i></p>
1 national contest	<p><b>Title:</b> <i>I Go VET!</i></p> <p><b>Topic:</b> <i>Short video contest made by VET students participating in mobility projects in dialogue with a staying home colleague during the European Skills Week</i></p>
2 national meetings of the VET Team & VET policy stakeholders	<p><b>Title:</b> <i>Harmonization of VET professional and ISCED domains</i></p> <p><b>Topic:</b> <i>VET Team to discuss solution to integrate within the national register of qualifications both ISCED and VET professional domains</i></p>
Counselling and advice session – Beneficiaries Kick of meeting	<p>150 participants to kick of meetings of newly VET mobility beneficiaries</p>





**Workshop & Green activity (Erasmus Forest) in Bihor county, March 2024**





# European Year of Skills closing event



# VET CORNER

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DESPRE PROIECTE RESURSE Candidatură Rezultate Evenimente Știri Video

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### Resurse

- Candidez
- Implementez
- Resurse IT
- Verde
- Includere și diversitate
- Experiențe de învățare
- VET Corner
- EITA

### Resurse și informații utile VET

2023 - European Year of Skills mai multe informații AICI

## 2023 European Year of Skills

In condițiile în care, în prezent, sunt 267 milioane de tineri care nu au un loc de muncă sau nu sunt cuprinși în vreo formă de educație și formare (sursa: UNESCO), dezvoltarea și îmbunătățirea educației și formării profesionale pot constitui o reală oportunitate pentru aceștia!  
In această secțiune pot fi accesate resurse utile pentru instituții VET și beneficiari (studenți, salariați și cadrele didactice)

### ULTIMELE EVENIMENTE

Conferința "Beyond Borders" - Crearea unui impact pozitiv prin cooperare

PERIODA:  
16 Septembrie 2024 - 20 Septembrie 2024  
LOC DESFAȘURARE  
Germania

Târgul Internațional de Instrumente "TECH-TONIC MOTIONS IN LEARNING"

PERIODA:  
4 Noiembrie 2024 - 8 Noiembrie 2024  
LOC DESFAȘURARE  
Ilanda

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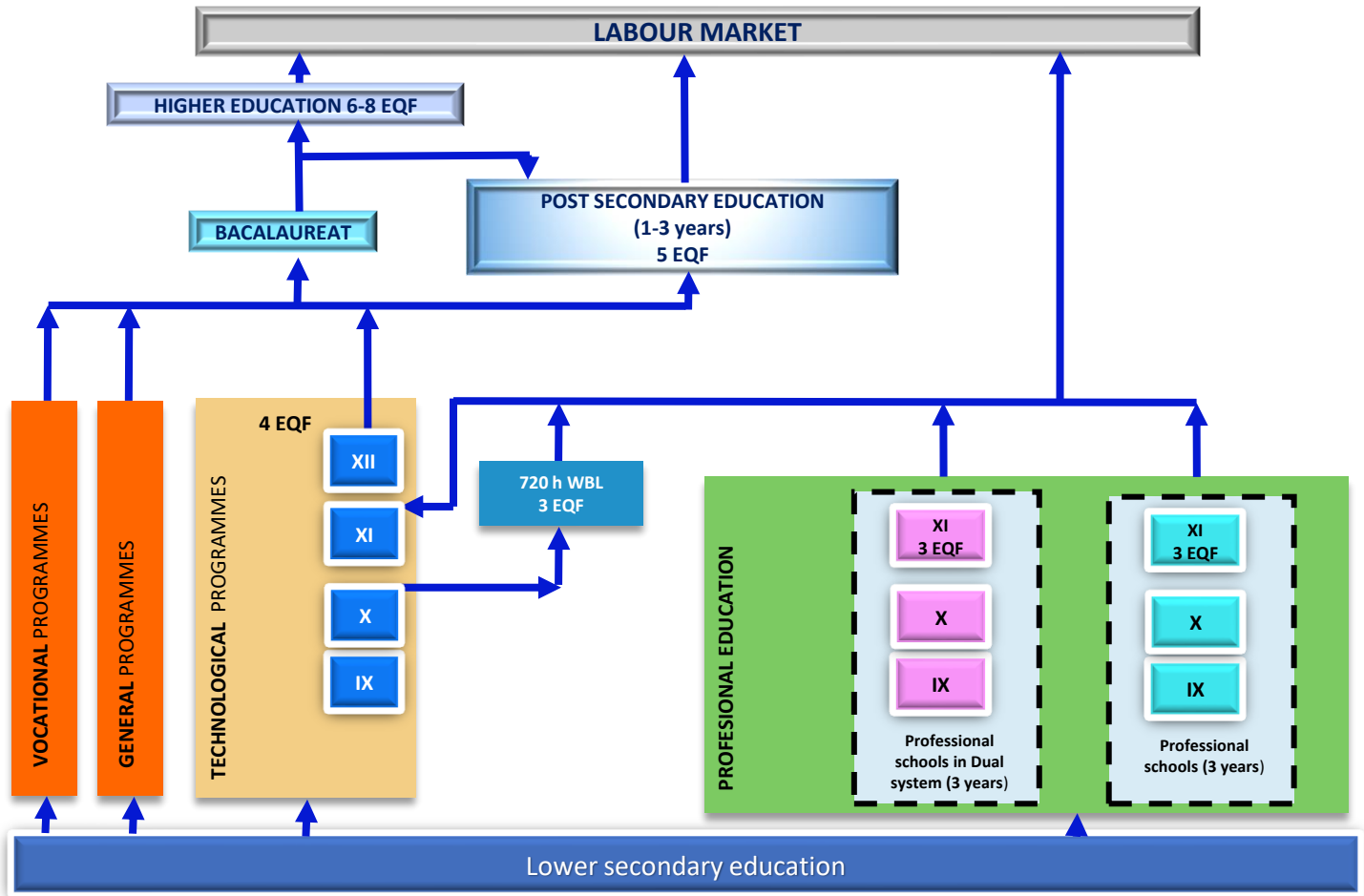
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# Erasmus in VET family

Year	2001	2007	2014	2021	2024
	LdV	LLP	E+	E++	
Number of projects	46	95	102	159	313
Number of participants in mobility activities	462	1261	3492	5215	~11,000
Budget	707,429	2,469,037	9,634,181	15,689,923	26,744,473

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