



PI-VET: Powering the Innovation of VET (PI-VET)

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Project Progress

To date the PI-VET Consortium completed Result 1: Methodology for Sustainable Learning Programs which was led by the Technological University of the Shannon: Midlands Midwest (partners from Ireland), and Result 2: Sustainable Learning Canvases which was led by Institute Perspectives (project coordinators from Bulgaria).

The PI-VET Consortium are now working on Result 3: PI-VET Platform which is led by Lascò (partners from Italy).

Result 3: PI-VET Platform

The purpose of the PI-VET.eu platform is to support VET providers in designing their sustainable learning programs through the Canvases (Result 2) and the embedded Methodology (Result 1). So far each project partner implemented a *Requirement Gathering Workshop* in their respective country to engage VET teachers/trainers in supporting the definition of the functional and non-functional requirements for the platform. The insights gathered from these workshops assisted Lascò in the development of the platform's wireframe and overall infrastructure. The platform infrastructure has now been completed, and Lascò successfully developed the algorithm that uses web scraping to collect relevant online resources from the Erasmus+ Projects Results Platform. The partners have tested and reviewed the platform's contents, and are now working collaboratively to translate the platform's content into five languages. The development of a User Manual and of video tutorials for VET providers to navigate the platform and familiarize themselves with its sections is also underway.

What's Next?

The platform will be deployed and subject to validation cycles with VET providers where each partner will re-invite the teachers/trainers that previously participated in the *Requirement Gathering Workshops* to test and validate the platform's usability and functions. During these validation cycles, VET teachers/trainers will have the opportunity to provide final remarks or any recommendations for improvement before the platform is officially launched and made public.

Transnational Project Meeting in Caserta, Italy

On the 12th and 13th of April, the PI-VET Consortium held their 3rd transnational project meeting in Caserta, Italy, which was hosted by Lascò. During the meeting the partners discussed the progress pertaining to the third result: the PI-VET Platform and began discussions on the fourth result: the Public Ranking Tool. Project dissemination (sharing and promotion), and risk identification and assessment were also addressed. The partners have also taken the time to review the lessons learned so far, identifying opportunities and threats in moving forward using a SWOT Analysis. Over all there is a lot to look forward to with the PI-VET project over the coming months!



Consortium

The Consortium consists of five partner organisations from: Bulgaria (Institute Perspectives), Ireland (Technological University of the Shannon), Italy (Lascò), Spain (Femxa) and Cyprus (CSI CENTER FOR SOCIAL INNOVATION). The partnership covers a wide range of expertise in the fields of diversity, promotion and protection of human rights and equal opportunities, training and professional development, sustainable and green practices and many more.

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