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Apprenticeship for the Development of Problem Solving and Design Thinking mindset

About the Project

Goal

The project will develop an apprenticeship model for students in upper secondary and higher VET schools, with the aim to develop their employability and problem solving skills and competences.

Design thinking

Design Thinking makes it possible to overcome traditional and outdated models of thinking, learning and working and to creatively solve complex problems.

Target groups

Trainers in VET schools and companies involved in apprenticeship programs and Students in upper secondary and higher VET schools and centres

Partners:

- ➢ AINTEK SYMVOULOI EPICHEIRISEON EFARMOGES YPSILIS TECHNOLOGIAS EKPAIDEFSI ANONYMI ETAIREIA (E10199796, GR)
- ➢ COLEGIUL ECONOMIC "ION GHICA" (E 10053563)-COORDINATOR
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- ➢ KLUB PO UPRAVLENIE NA ZNANIYA, INOVACII I STRATEGII (E10061894, BG)
- ➢ Antalya Il Milli Egitim Mudurlugu (E10063635, TR)
- ➢ CESIE (E10109434, IT)
- ➢ MAGENTA CONSULTORIA PROJECTS SL (E10179034, ES)

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DESIGN THINKING & APPRENTICESHIP: A WIN-WIN SITUATION FOR LEARNERS & SMEs

For SME who want to better understand and apply problem solving skills through design thinking methodology and apprenticeship in the business. DESIGN THINKING & APPRENTICESHIP, can help do it efficiently and effectively. The project partners have developed an information package. You can find more information under the topic: projects and results

ADDET aims

The idea of Apprenticeship for the Development of Design Thinking (ADDET) project is to increase the employability and problem-solving competences of VET students. Nowadays, problem solving is one of the most vital competences since it copes with the changes in our society. In addition, it enables students to face complex life, academic, professional and interpersonal matters as they grow up.

Students develop problem solving skills at different levels, however it's crucial that students know how to tackle problems with courage and creativity, in particular as they learn to deal with setbacks or the resolution of conflicts.

The ADDET project aims at developing an apprenticeship model for upper secondary and higher VET students for the development of their problem solving skills through the application of design thinking methodology. In addition, ADDET aims to support trainers in VET schools and companies that will implement the apprenticeship model and will design, support and asses the apprenticeship programme. Through the ADDET project, VET-company partnerships will be established for the validation of the apprenticeship model and a set of seminars for trainers will be organised.

The project intends to develop three core intellectual outputs (IO). The first IO consists in developing an apprenticeship model for the acquisition of problem-solving competences and design thinking mindset. This model is about developing a sustainable business solution, based on real problems of the company that host the apprenticeships. The second IO that will be produced by the project is a trainers' guide in VET organizations and companies aiming to support the design, implementation, management, evaluation and validation of the apprenticeship model. The third IO of the ADDET is about creating partnerships between VET providers and companies for the successful implementation of the apprenticeship model.

The partnership includes 7 partners from 7 different countries: CEIG from Romania, zbb from Germany, KISMC from Bulgaria, APDNE from Turkey, IDEC from Greece, CESIE from Italy and Magenta from Spain.

Moreover, the project is expected to produce an impact at local/regional/national and European levels. In effect, ADDET will contribute to the promotion of apprenticeships and the development of networks and partnerships between VET organizations and companies. Additionally, the project will contribute to the promotion of apprenticeship at EU level.

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