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EVENT REPORT



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FOSTERING EU-REGIONAL SYNERGIES DURING THE EUROPEAN YEAR OF SKILLS

From June 20-21 2023, representatives from across the European Association of Regional and Local Authorities for Lifelong Learning (EARLALL) network gathered at the Representation of the State of Baden-Württemberg to the European Union (Brussels, Belgium) in the **network's flagship initiative in the European Year of Skills**. The two-day conference, entitled 'Regional Exchange on Policies and Practices in Lifelong Learning', welcomed more than 50 political and technical representatives from across EARLALL's 12 members and 4 associate members to discuss internally and exchange.

Moreover, during the reception evening proposed by the EARLALL Network on June 20 from 17.30 – 20.00, regional and local authorities, as well as engaged Brussels stakeholders, were able to take stock of the opportunities and challenges of regions during the capacity-building efforts in lifelong learning of the year and beyond. It was opened by a keynote speech on Lifelong learning and upskilling pathways for an adaptable labour market by Mr **Stefan Olsson**, Deputy Director General, Jobs Skills and Social Policies, DG for Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission. Mr Olsson underscored how the European Year of Skills was much less about implementation and more about shifting mindsets and increasing the dialogue on skills and being critical of what has been done to date. **He reminded participants of the large sums of EU funds, 65 Billion Euros, that have been mobilised and that are available for skills development at the EU level.** While he stated this sum may still not be sufficient, regions and local authorities should consider how to use this money innovatively.

The evening then moved on to the panel discussion around the **question of how it is possible to maximise Regional-EU synergies in the context of the Year of Skills**. Throughout the discussion, **Cinzia del Rio**, President of the Section of Employment, Social Affairs and Citizenship (SOC) at the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC), highlighted that we should be considering more the challenges of implementing skills programs in remote regions and one solution is building partnerships at the local level. Mr. **Csaba Borboly**, a Member of the European Committee of the Regions (CoR) and rapporteur of the CoR opinion on the European Skills Agenda spoke about the need to continue political dialogue across regions. Ms **Patricia Couti**, Policy Advisor and Accredited Assistant to Dragoș Pîslaru, Chair of the European Parliament's Committee on Employment and Social Affairs, stressed that the European Year of Skills is a momentum, and it is not about changing the workforce. She emphasized ensuring that sustainable systems are created, in the sense that we should be able to skill and upskill a workforce that can resist the changing labour market. Finally, Ms. **Carina Gullberg**, Member of the Regional Assembly, EARLALL representative, Region Västra Götaland, brought a regional view by stating that validation of knowledge and experiences in other countries is paramount to ensuring the regional development of a skilled workforce.



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NETWORKING AND INTERREGIONAL EXCHANGES

Over the two days, EARLALL members had the opportunity to exchange among one another on issues that their regions face in lifelong learning. Through bilateral meetings and the conference setting, the delegations counting **50** representatives from EARLALL's network of **members and associate members** were able to benefit from the opportunity for exchange among the network. During the open reception, EARLALL member regional representatives also had the chance to exchange with **key representatives from across the EU institutions**, to build lasting links and corridors of exchange on the issues related to lifelong learning.



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OPENING AND WELCOME TO THE EVENT

The event began with a welcome to the Representation of the State of Baden-Württemberg to the EU by **Ms Sandra Boser**, State Secretary, Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports Baden-Württemberg. Ms Boser felicitated the ambitious initiatives and goals of the EARLALL network. From the perspective of Baden-Württemberg, Ms. Boser also highlighted the need to keep in mind basic skills provisions, among the upcoming conversations on the green and digital transition, to ensure that no one is left behind in the skills transition.



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Sports Baden-Württemberg

On the second day, representatives at the EARLALL Regional Exchange were welcomed by **Mr Jokin Bildarratz Sorron**, EARLALL President and Regional Minister of the Department of Education of the Basque Government. Speaking in Spanish and Basque, Mr Sorron thanked all colleagues in the EARLALL network for taking the time to contribute to the conference as **"a shared reflection is much more valuable than any monologue."** He spoke about how the uncertainty of the future of education mainly arises due to climate issues, but that education and training are well-positioned to provide the solutions to these challenges.



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FOCUS ON: DIGITALISATION AND SKILLS

This session was facilitated by **Ms Sandra Boser**, State Secretary, Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports Baden-Württemberg, with an introduction from Ms Chrystalla Petridou, Policy Officer Digital Education, DG EAC, European Commission. Ms Petridou introduced the Digital Education Action Plan, the SELFIE tool and Next Generation EU. She also particularly underlined the European Commission's emphasis on **increasing the number of women occupying positions which require further digital upskilling**



Moreover, best practices from across the EARLALL network were presented by Ms Francesca D'Angelo (Tuscany Region), Ms Louise Åsenfors (Västra Götaland Region) and Dr Julia Gassner (Adult Education Association Baden-Württemberg). In the case of **Baden-Württemberg**, Dr Gassner shared the example of digital pilot groups in the adult education services in the region, which provide step-by-step guides on how to take part in online courses.

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Good practice: Digital pilot group
Hybrid Courses for Senior Citizens in Rural Areas

New learning chances for new target groups

- technical equipment for hybrid courses
- training and supporting the teachers
- training and supporting the participants
- sharing the courses with other adult education centres in the region
- working together with local partners & volunteers

Strategy for digital skills and culture
2021-2025 – Tuscany region

TOSCANA DIGITALE
STRATEGIA PER IL CUSO

The Regional strategy on digital skills (December 2022)

A new & coherent framework to support regional policies & strategies towards digital transformation, a key enabling factor for innovation and territorial development.

- In synergy with **EU DESI** & the **National Strategy for Digital Competences**
- Implementing the **Regional Digital Agenda & DEFR 2022 - The Regional Economic and Financial Document 2022 - Area 1: Digitalization, innovation and competitiveness of the Tuscan system**
- Supporting **other regional policies**: education and training, employment, social inclusion, research & innovation, agriculture, etc.
- In parallel to the **S3 Strategy**: digital skills as enabling factor to innovation and competitiveness to overcome the skills mismatch

Five strategic focus areas for digitalisation in Region Västra Götaland

				
Digital transformation of business Area SME and owner specialization	Digital skills and life long learning Area Acquiring and upskilling of the workforce, leadership and strategy	Secure and green digital infrastructure Area Joint digital administration, broadband, AI and IoT	Digital transformation of public sector Area Open and shared data, digital service innovation and development	Digital inclusion and trust Area Media and information literacy and digital inclusion

For **Tuscany**, Ms D'Angelo shared the Digitalisation strategy of the region, which is in line with the Smart Specialisation strategy of Tuscany. Finally, for the Västra Götaland Region, Ms Louise Åsenfors indicated that while the region has a strong digitalisation strategy, as many of the regions present do, it is important to know why each region wants a digitalisation strategy and to not leave those without basic (digital) literacy skills behind.

Finally, for the **Västra Götaland Region**, Ms Louise Åsenfors indicated that while the region has a strong digitalisation strategy, as many of the regions present do, it is important to know why each region wants a digitalisation strategy and to not leave those without basic (digital) literacy skills behind.

The discussion in the room then opened, leading to interesting questions and reflections on monitoring and evaluation of digital upskilling strategies in the regions, **ensuring adequate infrastructure for digital transformation and bridging the gap between building basic and digital skills.**



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FOCUS ON: INNOVATION

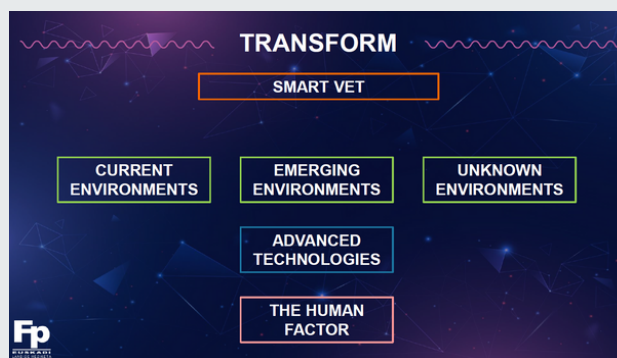
This session was facilitated by **Mr Rikardo Lamadrid Intxaurreaga**, Director of Technology and Advanced Learning at the Department of Education of the Basque Government, with input from **Mr Kenny Muscat**, UNESCO-UNEVOC International Centre for TVET and **Ms Solange Mifsud**, Economic and Policy Analyst, Innovation Policies and Impact, Joint Research Centre. Mr Kenny Muscat opened by describing the work of UNESCO-UNEVOC as an organisation that seeks to bridge innovation and learning TVET. Ms Solange Mifsud discussed the work of the Joint Research Centre, particularly in coordination with the Committee of Regions, on the Regional Partnerships for Innovation playbook.

Best practices from EARLALL were shared, with the first from **Mr Rikardo Lamadrid Intxaurreaga**, Director of Technology and Advanced Learning at the Department of Education of the Basque Government. He discussed how the goal of the Basque government was not only to build a smart and green society but an inclusive society too. He showcased some innovative learning spaces, with open rooms, hybrid and virtual collaboration and new technological advancements.



Next, Mr. Juan José Torres, Director of the Public Employment Service of Catalonia (SOC), Ministry of Business and Labour of the Government of Catalonia, explained the Dual VET system of Catalonia as an example of policy innovation in VET. He placed a strong emphasis on the role of companies in the region, as they need to be able to prepare, and be prepared for, the income of students and workers. Finally, Mr Knut Becker, State Office for Basic Education and Literacy of Baden-Württemberg, discussed the issue of digital literacy. The State Office pays particular attention to ensuring that the services are inclusive as possible and address all learners.

During the conversation, the moderator highlighted the important role of entrepreneurship in innovation, as students should be able to generate sources to employ themselves sustainably.



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FOCUS ON: LEARNING MOBILITIES AND INTERNATIONALISATION STRATEGIES

This session was moderated by **M. Mercedes Chacón Delgado**, Director General for Vocational Education and Training at the Ministry of Education of the Government of Catalonia and **Susana Díaz**, Deputy Director of Active Employment Policies of the Public Employment Service of Catalonia (SOC), Ministry of Business and Labour of the Government of Catalonia.



It was opened with context-setting speeches from Mr **Georgios Zisimos**, Head of Policy advice and EU programming unit at the European Training Foundation (ETF) and Ms **Kozak Malgorzata**, Erasmus+: Schools, vocational education and training, skills and Adult education, DG EAC, European Commission. Mr Zisimos introduced the European Training Foundation as the only EU agency that works exclusively with countries outside of the EU and highlighted how they use examples from the regions to areas outside the EU's borders. He discussed the importance of qualification recognition, stating that it must have a human-centric element as "recognition is based on trust". Moreover, Ms Malgorzata offered a perspective of mobility options using the Erasmus+ scheme, which has been modified to ensure greater participation of adults and all individuals.

Next, **M. Mercedes Chacón Delgado**, Director General for Vocational Education and Training at the Ministry of Education of the Government of Catalonia and **Ms Susana Díaz**, Deputy Director of Active Employment Policies of the Public Employment Service of Catalonia (SOC), Ministry of Business and Labour of the Government of Catalonia discussed Catalonia's internationalisation strategies. Catalonia has a developed internationalisation strategy as they see that mobilities improve the possibilities of those who have benefited from them, to seek employment and bring skills back to the region. **Mr. Rikardo Lamadrid Intxaurreaga**, Director of Technology and Advanced Learning at the Department of Education of the Basque Government then presented the Basque example, with internationalisation based on the Basque VET law of 2018. **Yvonne Jänchen**, Program Coordinator, MOVETIA, National Agency for Exchange and Mobility, Switzerland, discussed the case of Movetia, as the only Swiss Centre of Vocational Excellence. She stressed how the issues faced in Switzerland were not unique, and that joining together was an important way for all CoVEs to face these common issues. Finally, **Ms Claire Richardson**, Project Officer Taith, Wales – adult education and school sector, described Wales' flagship mobility scheme. She underscored the new green and inclusive elements of the funding program and encouraged partners to consider registering as possible international partners.



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FOCUS ON: INTERNATIONALISATION AND ATTRACTIVENESS

The session was facilitated by Ms **Francesca D'Angelo**, Policy Advisor - Research, Innovation, Digitalization, Skills, EU Liaison Office, Tuscany region, with introductory speeches from Ms **Anna Barbieri**, Vocational Education and Training, CEDEFOP (EMPL.B.3) Unit, European Commission, DG and Ms **Anne Hewitt**, Associate Professor, Adelaide Law School, The University of Adelaide.



Ms **Anna Barbieri** stated that **“the Year of Skills is an opportunity to encourage internationalisation and attractiveness of Europe’s regions, with a strong focus on the regional dimension.”** She mentioned EARLALL’s activeness and engagement in the Years’ initiatives and the European Alliance for Apprenticeships. Ms Anne Hewitt discussed the Quality Internships for Quality Work: ILO report 'Internships, Employability and the Search for Decent Work Experience' publication that she was part of editing. **The report highlights the risk of low-paid trainees undermining the graduate market, with the solution being better international regulation for traineeships, apprenticeships, and Work Based Learning.**

On the back of this, **Miriana Bucalossi**, Head of Apprenticeship and Work-Based Learning Activities, EU Projects UNIT, Tuscany Region, presented Tuscany’s strategy and framework for regulating apprenticeships and traineeships. She invited members to contact her for more information on the 2023 Charter for Quality Apprenticeships in Tuscany. Next, **Mr. José A. Andrés Villena**, Deputy Director General for VET Programmes and Projects, Ministry of Education of the Government of Catalonia, underscored how the dual VET system in Catalonia, which was launched in 2012, has ensured much more internationalisation of students. Finally, Ms **Carina Gullberg**, Member of the Regional Assembly in Region Västra Götaland brought up the example of how the region was using training and upskilling to retain and attract the international workforce to the traditional industrial region, by adapting the battery industry to the green transition.



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MS. SANDRA BOSER, MDL
State Secretary of Digital Education, Baden-
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Sandra Boser has been a member of the Greens since 2007 and was managing director and district chairwoman of the district association of Bündnis 90/Die Grünen. She has been a member of the state parliament of Baden-Württemberg since 2011 and directly elected member of parliament for the constituency of Lahr. Since May 12, 2021, Sandra Boser has been State Secretary in the Ministry for Education, Youth and Sport Baden-Württemberg. One of her main areas of work in the ministry is the digitisation of the education system in Baden-Württemberg.



JOKIN BILDARRATZ SORRON
EARLALL President and Regional Minister of the
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Jokin Bildarratz directs education in the Basque Country. From within this Department, he deals with both non-university and university education, including all stages from Infant Education to the Baccalaureate, as well as Vocational Training, Adult Education, language teaching in the Official Language Schools and Special Regime Education. With the support of the four vice-counsellors and the team of professionals that make up the Department of Education, he works with the conviction that education is the most solid basis for building the future of society.



STEFAN OLSSON
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Stefan Olsson is a Swedish lawyer with degrees in international and tax law. Having joined the European Commission in 1996, he dealt with fundamental rights issues as well as social dialogue. He was assistant to the Director General for Employment and Social Affairs (2000-2005) before leading units dealing with social and employment law and policy as well as administrative affairs. As from 1 November 2015, he took up the position of Director in DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion. He was responsible for the management of the European Social Fund in Romania, Bulgaria, Malta and Spain, for the implementation of the Employment Strategy through tools such as the Youth Guarantee, the Long-term Unemployment Recommendation and the network of Public Employment Services, as well as legislative and policy issues relating to working conditions including health and safety at work. From 1 September 2022, he serves as Deputy Director-General responsible for policy issues in DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion.



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Manuela Geleng is Director for Skills at the Directorate-General for Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion, European Commission where she is responsible for implementing its skills agenda. She develops tools, such as the European Qualification Framework, policy processes related to vocational and educational training (VET) and coordinates the Task Force on migrants and refugees. She has worked as a management consultant and for the United Nations Development Programme. She holds an MSc in Financial Economics from the University of London and a Master in Public Administration and Management from the Solvay Business School.



CINZIA DEL RIO

President of the Section of Employment, Social Affairs and Citizenship (SOC) at the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC) and member of Workers' Group (II)



Cinzia Del Rio (Workers' group, Italy) was elected as President of EESC's Section on Employment, Social Affairs and Citizenship (SOC) for 2023-2025 in April 2023. She has been the Director of the international department of UIL (Italian Labour Union) until March 2023. She has also been an active member of the SOC section, having been rapporteur of important opinions addressing among others issues linked to the European Pillar of Social Rights. She became a member of the EESC in 2015 and has also been active in the INT and ECO sections.



CSABA BORBOLY

Member of the European Committee of the Regions (CoR) and rapporteur of the CoR opinion on the European Skills Agenda



Csaba is president of Harghita County (RO) and member of the Committee of the Regions since 2012, the European institution with a mission to best represent the interests of regional and local institutions and communities. He is a member of the Commission for Environment, Climate change and Energy (ENVE) and the Social Policy, Education, Employment, Research and Culture Commission (SEDEC) and the rapporteur of the CoR on the opinion on Skills Agenda for sustainable competitiveness, social fairness and resilience. The aim of this report is to formulate proposals in the field of adult education, training and retraining, to promote the employment of young people and their place in the labor market.



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Previously she worked as policy adviser at EUROCITIES, the network of large cities from Europe. She was working with cities from Europe to design innovative responses to raising inequalities and address the challenges of urban poverty. Previously, Patricia was director of public policy at the European Youth Capital - Cluj-Napoca 2015.

She has studied law and economics at Babeș-Bolyai University. She has also graduated with a master's degree in community development and urban planning from the same university, focusing on strategic planning at local level.

With over 16 years of civic engagement, she has represented young people in structures such as the National High School Students' Council, the National Alliance of Student Organizations in Romania and the Romanian Youth Council.



GEORGIOS ZISIMOS

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Georgios Zisimos is currently the Head of Policy Advice and EU programming Unit in ETF (European Training Foundation). He is a senior expert on EU Education Training Policies with a long international experience. He was appointed member of the Cabinet of the EU Commissioner for Education and Culture in the European Commission. He has been member in scientific committees on curriculum reform and literacy. He has taught Technology in public schools in England and Cyprus. He was elected Secretary General of the Cypriot Secondary Teacher's Union. He is the author of various publications in education and training. He is often a speaker in international conferences. @GZisimos



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Malgorzata Kozak is a policy officer in the unit responsible for schools and multilingualism in the Directorate-General for Education, Youth, Sport and Culture of the European Commission. She works on the development and monitoring of European Union policies in the area of adult education, in particular in the implementation of the Erasmus+ programme.



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Solange currently works at the European Commission as an economic & policy analyst at the Joint Research Centre at the Seville site. Previously, she was part of the diplomatic corps of the Government of Malta. She worked at the Permanent Representation of Malta to the EU, in roles focusing on Cohesion Policy, European Funds and relations with the European Parliament. Solange chaired the Council Working Group on Structural Measures & Outermost Regions during the Maltese Presidency of the Council, and negotiated the MFF position of Malta for the 2021 – 2027 package before leaving her role in Brussels. Previously, Solange had worked in a Maltese local banking institution in areas of risk management, credit and investments. Her academic background focuses on economics, finance, public policy and diplomacy.



Anna Barbieri

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Kenny Muscat joined the Innovation and Future of TVET team at UNESCO-UNEVOC in April 2023. He serves as Project Manager in the Bridging Innovation and Learning in TVET (BILT) Project, which is a peer learning platform for TVET providers in Africa, Asia-Pacific and Europe. After graduating from university, Kenny started working as a Process Engineer and eventually moved to the Malta College of Arts, Science (MCAST) as a Lecturer. During the fourteen years at MCAST he held various leadership positions and managed different Erasmus+ projects. Kenny holds a Bachelor's degree in Engineering, Master's degrees in Integrated Product Development and in Business Administration, as well as Postgraduate Certificates in Vocational Education and Training and in Research Methods.



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Chrystalla PETRIDOU, Policy Officer Digital Education, DG EAC, European Commission



Chrystalla Petridou, is currently working as a policy officer for the Digital education Unit, in the Directorate General of Education, Youth, Sport and Culture (DG EAC) of the European Commission. She has a combined expertise on the Digital Education field as well as the implementation of the Erasmus+ programme, as she has also worked as a programme manager for Erasmus+ in DG EAC. She is currently the coordinator of the European Education Area Working group DELTA (Digital Education: Learning, Teaching and Assessment) and she also works on the development and implementation of the digital priorities in Education and training in Erasmus+. In her previous work, she has held the post of the Attachée for Education, Youth, Culture and Sports in Brussels and a Policy officer for the Cyprus Ministry of Education. She has also served as a teacher in Cyprus and the UK. She has conducted her research in the field of ICTs in Education and holds a PhD from the University of Cambridge, UK.



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