

The Project

The current refugee problem poses a challenge for the EU countries. One goal of European refugee policy is the integration of the refugees with prospects of remaining in the country permanently. In this context vocational education has a key role. At the practice level there are therefore numerous integration measures through vocational training. By this project these experiences should be made accessible. For this purpose the project analyzes and aggregates gained experiences at the practical level in the four European countries Denmark, Italy, Austria and Germany.

On the basis of this analysis the project members create quality indicators for successful vocational training offers for refugees, which are characterized by a mix of hard and soft factors. These indicators will be transferred into a web-based analysis tool. This tool will be provided in national and international project homepages to support institutions in the quality analysis of their vocational integration measures. Furthermore, an application-oriented handout for designing high quality vocational training will be developed for refugees and will also be provided online.

First project meeting

The first "Transnational Project Meeting" already took place in December 2017 in Innsbruck and was an elementary point, both and especially for the project, but also for the common future work. The time could be used intensively to bring all partners of the four countries to the same level. Starting from this point then the further procedure could be developed and decided. Therefore a final master plan was designed for the following months. This plan allows each participant to work out their assigned topics of the quality indicators in the professional education for refugees.



Project team during the first project meeting in at the University of Innsbruck



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Homepage

The project homepage went online shortly after the first project meeting in Innsbruck, it is available under the following link:

<http://www.goodvet.uni-koeln.de/>

There, the project "GoodVET" will also be presented in German and in English and will always be held up to date. In addition, our project partners are linked to this page so it is possible to get more in-depth information about them and their research.

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Indicators of Good VET practice for refugees

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