

The Project

The project RecoVET - Recognition of Good VET practice for refugees has been launched in February 2022. The University of Cologne, the University of Bergamo, the University of Innsbruck and the University of Valencia are involved in the project.

The aim of RecoVET is to apply good practices in the context of vocational integration of refugees. The project develops a concept for the external assessment and recognition of specific quality in refugee integration. It consists, on the one hand, of an online training for quality assessors such as accreditation agencies to prepare them for the specific challenges of refugee integration in the VET sector. The second objective is a complementary manual and literature to accompany the online training. In addition, the development of a practice-oriented toolbox for the implementation of assessment is planned.

In this process, the researchers can build on the results of a previous Erasmus+ project called GoodVET (<https://goodvet.uni-koeln.de/en/>) where quality indicators for successful VET programs for refugees had been developed. Due to the EU-wide applicability of the project results, a positive impact on the integration of refugees throughout Europe is expected.

RecoVET project meeting digital

On March 25, 2022, the kick-off meeting of the project partners took place, which was held digitally due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The kick-off meeting was a good joint start to the RecoVET research project. During the meeting, a first presentation of the project and its structure took place.

Reference was made to the predecessor project GoodVET and the general objectives and intended results were presented. Furthermore, the time schedule and the general conditions regarding administration and funding were presented. The relevant quality indicators of the project were discussed.

First Project Meeting in Cologne



Project Team by the first Transnational Meeting in Cologne

On May 02-04 2022 the first "Transnational Project Meeting" took place in Cologne which was attended by all project partners. The time was intensively used to bring all project partners from all partner countries to the same level of knowledge through presentations and plenary discussions. A common understanding for the core terms in the project content could be discussed and settled. On this stage the focus has been set on the development of the online training tool. To facilitate the creation of the online content a master plan for the next months was designed and the working packages were assigned to partners.

Further information about the RecoVET project

<https://recovet.uni-koeln.de/en/>



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