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The ATTRACT-VET Symposium took place on May 30th 2017 in Eurotraining facilities, located in the center of Athens & promoted a wide-public presentation of the project outputs to the national stakeholders, including VET providers, decision & policy-makers, public authorities, as well as obtain legitimacy & acceptance. ATTRACT-VET SYMPOSIUM was a 1-day event, organised by Eurotraining, involving more than 25 local participants. All partners' organisations participated with one key-note speaker. The event succeeded to involve relevant key-note speakers with expertise on ECVET-EQF-EQAVET, both at national & European level. The topics of the presentations & the key note speakers were:



“Becoming an Adult Trainer in Greece”, Christos Fois, former advisor to the board of directors of the National Organization for the Certification of Qualifications & Vocational Guidance (EOPPEP), **EL**

“Learning outcomes approach in WBL”, *Inta Baranovska, Partnership Projects & Programme Unit of National Centre for Education (NCE), LV*

“Quality Management in Practice in the Austrian labour market related VET context”, *Helmut Kronika, Managing Director, BEST, AT*

“Quality Assurance in e-learning. Policies & Practices. Charalambos Vrasidas, *Ph.D., Executive Director, CARDET, CY*

“European mobility: Presentation of the different documents & the Europeans Associations/Centers for Mobility.”, *César Silva, training specialist. CITEVE, PT*

“Transfer of experiences from Sweden”, *Klas Tallvid, Project coordinator, Halsingland education association, SE*

“Transfer of experience from Ireland”, *Robert McCulloch, Head of Training & Development, Meath Partnership, IE*



Furthermore, via the Symposium, ATTRACT-VET team ensured understanding & transfer of know-how & collected recommendations for the final stage of the project. The event itself worked as a “showroom” of project outputs, encouraged discussion & sharing of perspectives & experiences, boosted further networking activities, based on these results, in order to guarantee for sustainable use of the project outputs & linked to related initiatives on local, regional, national & European wide level. At this symposium researchers, VET managers, as well as individuals from VET business organizations & the general public, who were interested in

Vocational Education, discussed topics which were highly significant for VET European transparency tools. As a satellite session, a workshop with 11 participants took place where some parts of the toolkit that was developed were presented, aiming that ATTRACT-VET training program will gain future users.

For more information, please visit the ATTRACT-VET project website at: www.attract-vet.eu