

LETTER OF INTENT

The participants in the international conference organised by BLBS in Bamberg in November 2009 support the idea of the necessity of teacher mobility, also in the Vocational Education and Training Sector. We wish to be an active part of the process by sharing our experience, our expertise and knowledge to enforce the participation of teachers.

We believe that European mobility is a necessity in order to develop the skills and key competencies of teachers in the VET sector. Mobility will improve understanding between people, international friendship and solidarity. We believe that sharing experiences in a European context will improve the personal and professional development of teachers and teaching and contribute to the development of VET standards..

We intent to:

- provide assistance to teachers wishing to take part in mobility programmes,
- make information about the various possibilities of mobility accessible to the teachers of our countries through all our communication means (Internet homepages, publications...),
- facilitate links between schools wishing to set up a partnership,
- create a database of all the participating unions of this network,
- to write a manual with the procedure to follow to take part in a mobility programme, connected with the demand that there will be no negative effect to the career of the participants.

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