

# VET Connected – GET Connected

Dublin, Ireland | 23-25 November 2016

Are you interested in taking steps towards Erasmus+ VET Key Action 1 Mobility?  
Do you want to meet others from across Europe who are on the same journey?



**Host:** Léargas, the Irish National Agency for Erasmus+, is delighted to invite you to Dublin to a contact seminar. Dublin, the capital of Ireland, is a modern yet historic city with a medieval history and a vibrant cultural quarter. The seminar will bring together organisations working in the field of Vocational Education and Training (VET) from participating European countries who wish to explore opportunities for mobility of learners and staff, and want to learn from current good practice under Erasmus+ VET Key Action 1 Mobility.

**Aims:** The seminar is for participants to explore opportunities available under Erasmus+, to learn from current good practices in VET mobilities and to gain an understanding of what works well in project partnerships. In particular, the seminar will facilitate participants to meet potential new partners.

**Who:** “VET Connected” is targeted at VET organisations that want to expand their activities to include European mobility. Participants must be interested in exchanging and developing good practice, and be committed to plan Erasmus+ VET KA1 Mobility projects.

**When:** The seminar starts at 4pm on Wednesday 23 November and finishes at 2pm on Friday 25 November.

**Where:** Clontarf Castle Hotel [www.clontarfcastle.ie](http://www.clontarfcastle.ie)  
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Clontarf Castle Hotel is a unique 12th century castle hotel, offering a rich history and sense of Irish heritage. It is approximately 20 minutes from Dublin Airport and ten minutes from Dublin city centre. The hotel has free WiFi throughout. You will be asked to provide a credit card on check-in, for use against any extra expenses such as food/drinks ordered to your room.



VET Trainees from Galway Technical Institute, Ireland, on placement in Finland

**Programme:** The seminar programme will consist of information sharing from experts in the field of VET Mobility; experiences from current and past project beneficiaries; workshops; and networking opportunities. Activities can be supplemented by participants attending information or application workshops in their own countries.

**Language:** The working language will be English.

**Cost:** €550 covering two nights' accommodation, meals and full programme including cultural activities.  
Léargas will charge the fee to the sending National Agency (NA).  
Travel costs will be covered by participant and/or their sending NA.

**Further Info:** Places in total: 50  
Participants per country: 1-3 (depending on number of interested countries)  
Deadline for reserving places by NAs: 15 September  
Notification to NAs of number of places allocated: 23 September  
Deadline for NAs to submit participants' contact information: 12 October

A link to the registration form will be sent to the selected participants.  
The full programme and practical information will be published on our website in the coming weeks.

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