

Mobility spaces – learning spaces

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DESCRIPTIONS OF THEME TRACKS

Title
Ensuring quality and recognition
Scope, aim and objectives
<p>Quality is an important factor when considering how to tackle, reflect and apply non formal education/learning principles in youth learning mobility schemes and projects. Mainstreaming quality into learning mobility opportunities therefore includes ensuring that the outcome is fit for purpose and quality needs to be an integral part of the design, implementation, execution and monitoring/evaluation of a given learning mobility experience.</p> <p>The aim of this workshop is to explore the issue of recognition of youth work and non formal education/learning and look at how it contributes to quality and especially to the definition of quality standards for learning mobility schemes.</p> <p>The objectives are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - To provide participants with an overview of developments in the field of recognition of youth work and non formal education/learning; - To link non formal education/learning to the question of competences, quality and assessment; - To explore the meaning of quality in youth work and especially where it fits into learning mobility schemes and projects; - To draw the scope for future initiatives not only at organisational and institutional level but also in terms of activities and/or publications and research; - To provide participants with an overview of best practices or examples of recognition and its relation to quality assessment schemes and tools; - To reflect upon the development of quality standards and/or labels.