

Template for Transnational Cooperation Activities**Type of event:**

Transnational thematic activities linked to the objectives, priority target groups and themes of the programme

For which sector(s): School Education Vocational Education and Training Higher Education Adult Education Youth**Key action(s) targeted:** KA1 KA2 KA3**Budgetary year:** 2019**Hosting country:** LV**Coordinating National Agency** VALSTS IZGLĪTĪBAS ATTĪSTĪBAS AĢENTŪRA, LV01**Partner National Agency(s)** n/a**Title of event:** cross-sectoral thematic seminar "Erasmus+ boosting employability and promoting cooperation with the world of work"

Event organiser			
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Starting date of the event: 09/09/2019**Ending date of the event:** 10/09/2019**Event venue (city, country):** Riga, Latvia**Working language:** English**Number of places in total:** 100 participants (50 local + 50 foreign)

Profile of participants:

Representatives of ongoing projects on the relevant topic, stakeholders, social partners and policy makers who are interested in the related theme and in sharing their expertise, as well as networking that could lead to new projects in the field.

Themes and goals of the event:

- Strengthen the quality of activities carried out in the projects and increase their added value and impact in the promotion of employability and cooperation with the world of work;
- Highlight good practice projects and initiatives on the relevant topic;
- Facilitate the exchange of experience at the international level between the beneficiaries working in the same field as well as contribute to the promotion of cross-sectoral cooperation in the future projects;
- Facilitate the discussion on the impact of education and training system on the employability and the role of Erasmus+ projects in enhancing skills and competences necessary for the labour market as well as identifying and connecting the needs of current beneficiaries to the future format of the Erasmus+ Program.

Expected results:

The participants will:

- Get insight from policy makers and social partners on the impact of education and training system on the employability of the learners (future workforce) and what are/could be the mechanisms for its facilitation;
- Take active part in sectoral (AE, SE, VET, HE) working groups and cross-sectoral discussions on the labour-market relevance of education, facilitation of learners' employability within the framework of Erasmus+ programme offered opportunities;
- get to know good practice-projects and share experience in sectoral groups on the enhancing of the quality and added value of the project activities concerning employability and cooperation with the world of work;

Programme of event: to come

Indicative timetable:

Sunday 08th September 2019

Arrival of participants

Monday 09th September 2019

Full day working programme followed by a cultural event and dinner

Tuesday 10th, September 2019

Half day working programme/departure

Event's webpage (if applicable): later



Travel information: later

Event fee: n/a

Travel costs: to be covered by the sending NA

Accommodation and individual support costs: accommodation in a single room for 2 nights (or 3 nights if necessary), all meals and participation in the events will be covered by the Latvian NA

Number of participants per country: up to 3-4 per country

Deadline to which NAs inform organizer about number of participants, they will send:

24/06/2019

Deadline to which organizer confirms number of places reserved: 01/07/2019

Deadline for sending details of participants to hosting NA: 12/08/2019

Types of participant's data sending to the organizer: name, organisation, position, email address

Registration (if applicable): on-line registration form will be sent to the selected participants via e-mail

Is National Agencies staff welcome? yes

If yes, what is role and rules of participation of NA staff in event: facilitation of discussion on the topic.

Additional information (if applicable): Further information will be sent to the participating NAs via e-mail.