REPORT ON EVENT ON 28TH SEPTEMBER 2022

ETF is working with international representatives, actors and stakeholders from vocational education to develop an international self-assessment tool for Centres of Vocational Excellence (ISATCOV) and create proposals for a label or award for CoVEs. The tool will encourage flexible and collaborative approaches to self-assessment and will facilitate greater organisational self-knowledge and easier access to support, good practices and partnership. The label/award will provide recognition to skills providers at different stages of their journey towards excellence.

The approach is based on a concept of vocational excellence that frames and supports improvement - at the level of teaching and learning but also in terms of the provider organisation, its partnerships and networks, and the educational and wider ecosystem in which it operates. The work is particularly concerned to empower CoVEs to model, transmit and coordinate improvements internationally.

In **June 2022** the concept for the self-assessment framework was reviewed by the Consultative Panel which resulted in some revisions in the criteria for excellence. On **September 28th** the Panel met for a second time to scrutinise the draft indicators for the first 10 criteria. The presentations from this meeting can be viewed here. The Consultative Panel includes representatives from EfVET, EVTA, EVBB, EQAVET, EURASHE, Humana, Enabel, ENAIP, TKNIKA, CoVEs in Helsinki, Bizerte, Nova Gorica, Cometa, BIBB, Unesco, and PEEP.

Further consultations will take place on **October 13th and November 23 2022.** A survey will be conducted to give teachers, trainers, school managers and stakeholders the opportunity to review and comment in detail upon the criteria and the indicators. You can express interest to participated in this activities here.

It is envisaged that developed self-assessment framework will be tested in two pilots.