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# International Cooperation and Mobility

## The Swedish Council for Higher Education (UHR)



# **Education, Exchange, Enrichment – helping you take the next step**

## International cooperation and mobility

UHR facilitates international exchanges, training and placement abroad for the entire education sector, including:

- Erasmus+,
- Nordplus
- National programmes.



## What is Erasmus+?

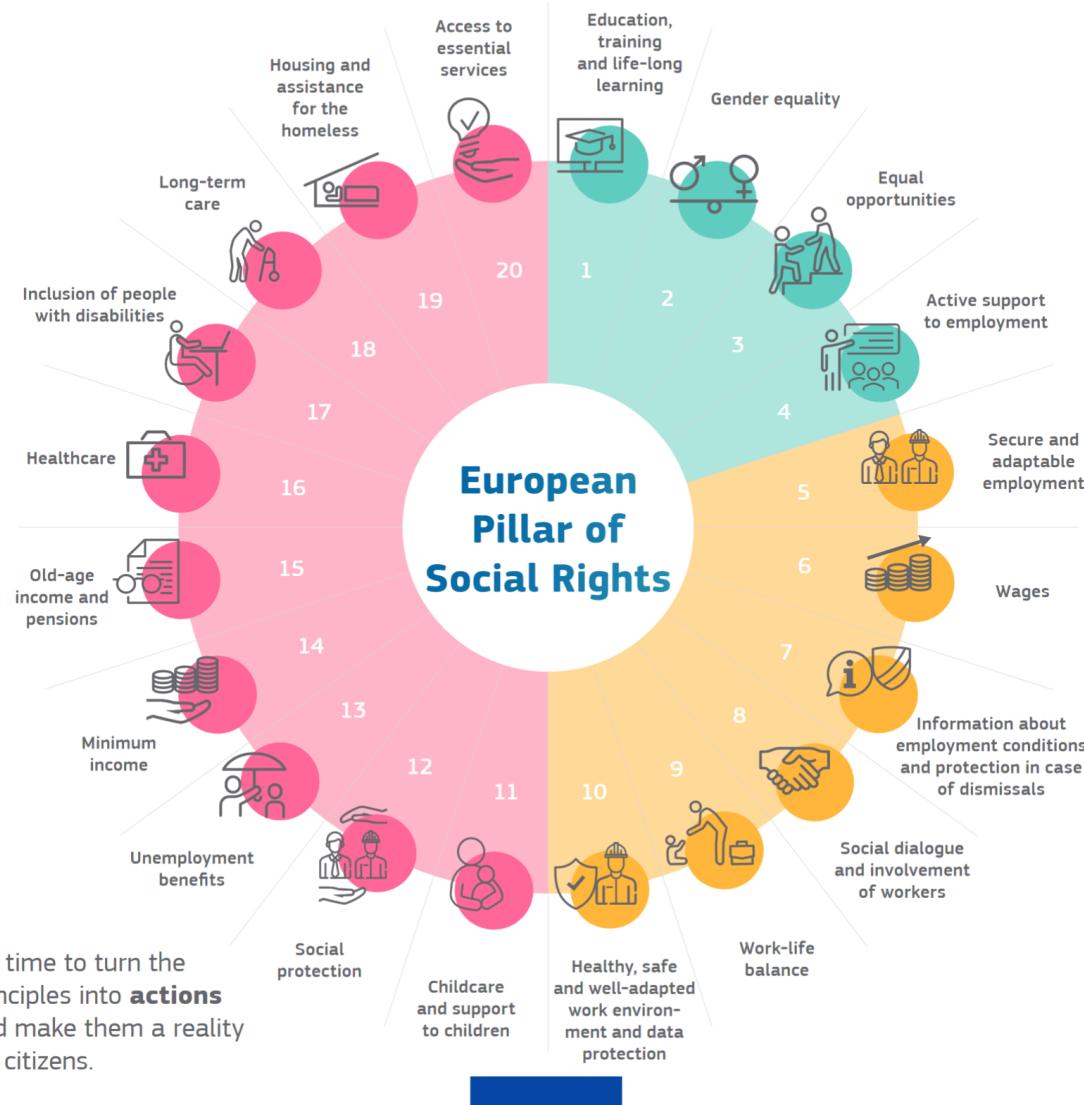
- Erasmus+ is the EU's programme to support education, training, youth and sport in Europe.
- It has an estimated budget of €26.2 billion. This is nearly double the funding compared to its predecessor programme (2014-2020).
- The 2021-2027 programme places a strong focus on social inclusion, the green and digital transitions, and promoting young people's participation in democratic life.
- It supports priorities and activities set out in the European Education Area, Digital Education Action Plan and the European Skills Agenda. The programme also
- supports the European Pillar of Social Rights

## The European Pillar of Social Rights

The 20 principles of the European Pillar of Social Rights are the beacon guiding us towards a strong social Europe that is fair, inclusive and full of opportunity.

[The European Pillar of Social Rights in 20 principles \(europa.eu\)](#)

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# European Education Area 2025

Removing barriers to learning and improving access to quality education for all.



# Digital Education Action Plan



## European Skills Agenda

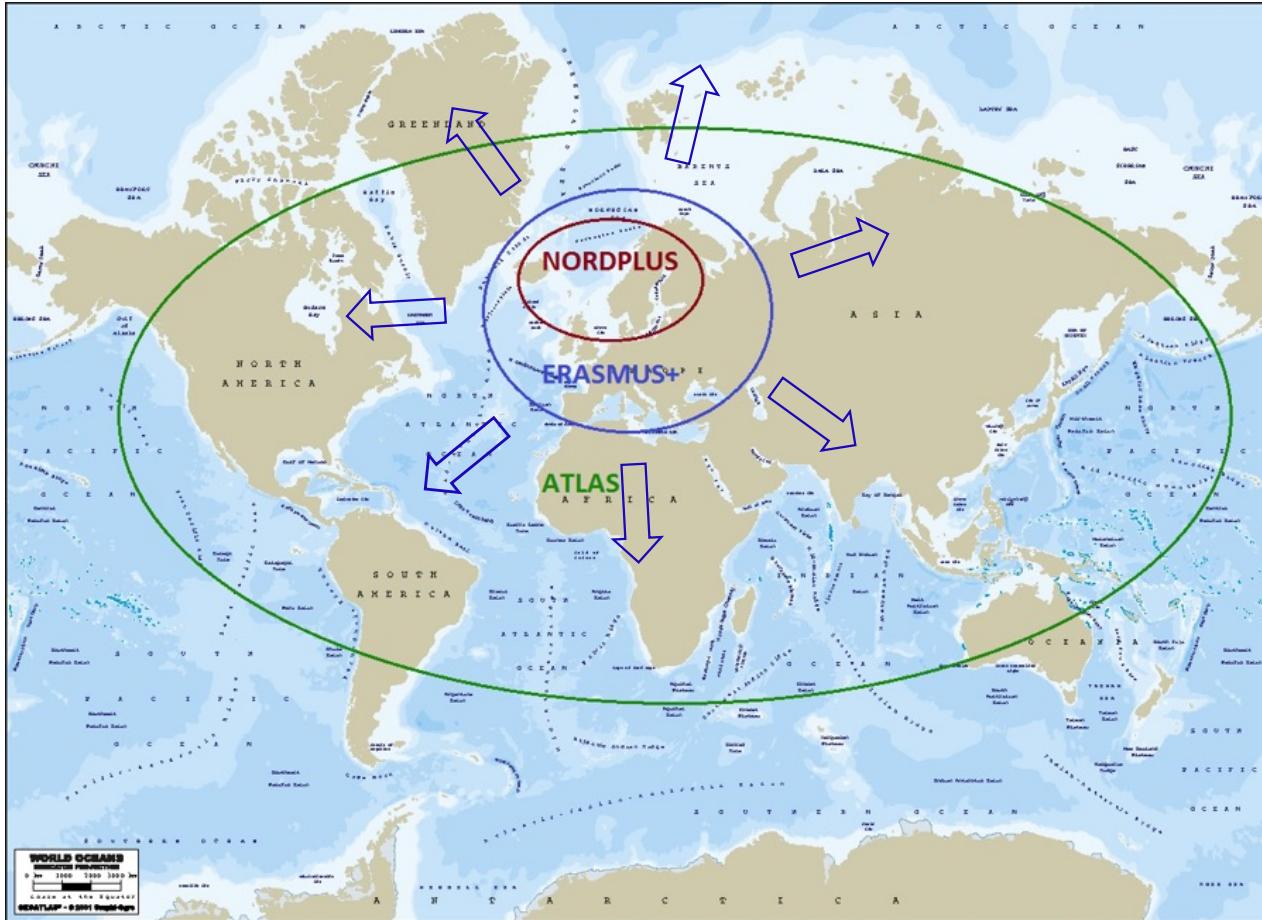
The European Skills Agenda is a five-year plan to help individuals and businesses develop more and better skills and to put them to use, by:

- strengthening sustainable competitiveness, as set out in the European Green Deal
- ensuring social fairness, putting into practice the first principle of the European Pillar of Social Rights: access to education, training and lifelong learning for everybody, everywhere in the EU
- building resilience to react to crises, based on the lessons learnt during the COVID-19 pandemic



## Where to start?

UHR offers several programs for vocational education and training (VET)



# Atlas

A national program for mobility and cooperation beyond Europe.

# Atlas

**Finansiär:** Regeringen

**Målgrupp/område:** Lärare, skolledare, elever inom skola, vuxenutbildning och yrkesutbildning

**Typ av aktiviteter:**

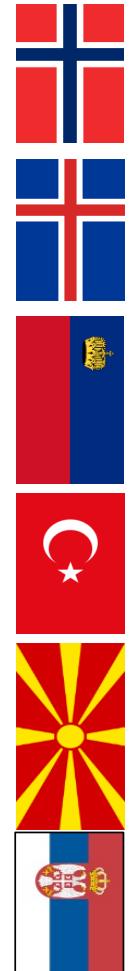
- ✓ *Atlas konferens* - nya kontakter och kunskaper.
- ✓ *Atlas partnerskap* - skolsamarbeten.
- ✓ *Atlas planering* - förberedande besök.
- ✓ ***Atlas praktik* - arbetsplatsförlagt lärande utomlands.**



# Erasmus+

## Partner countries

- EU member states
- Liechtenstein
- Norway
- Island
- North Macedonia
- Turkey
- Serbia
- **And other countries too!**



## **Strengthening the European dimension of teaching and learning by:**

- promoting values of inclusion and diversity, tolerance, and democratic participation
- promoting knowledge about shared European heritage and diversity
- supporting development of professional networks across Europe

## Priorities of the Erasmus+ Programme

- inclusion and diversity, digital transformation, environment and fight against climate change and participation in democratic life, common values and civic engagement



[Inkludering och mångfald | Erasmus+ | Utbyten.se](#)

[Grön hållbarhet | Erasmus+ | Utbyten.se](#)

[Digital omställning | Erasmus+ | Utbyten.se](#)

## Increasing the quality of initial and continuing vocational education and training in Europe by:

- strengthening **key competences** and transversal skills, in particular language learning and digital skills
- supporting the development of **job specific skills** needed in the current and future labour market
- sharing **best practices** and promoting the use of new and innovative pedagogical methods and technologies, and supporting the professional development of teachers, trainers, mentors and other staff in VET
- building the capacity of VET providers to carry out high quality mobility projects, and their ability to form quality partnerships while developing their **internationalisation strategy**
- making **mobility a realistic possibility** for any learner, and increasing the average duration of mobility for VET learners to increase its quality and impact
- fostering the quality, transparency **and recognition of learning outcomes** of mobility periods abroad, especially by using European tools and instruments

## Erasmus+ Programme Guide – everything you need to know!

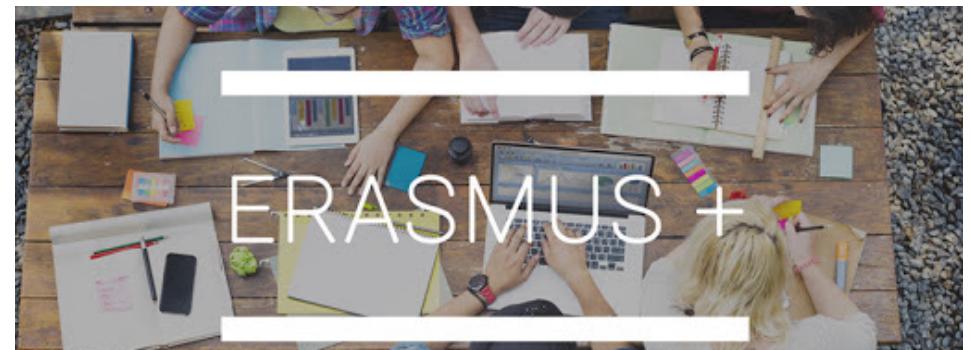
- <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-programme-guide>



## Erasmus+ Mobility KA1



## Erasmus+ Cooperation KA2



# Erasmus+ mobility (KA1)

# Mobility (KA1)

One organisation

- Sends learners and staff out to other organisations

Staff acquires competences and methods

- Strengthens the organisation and skills and competences of staff

Learners acquire new knowledge, skills and competences

- Professional and key competences



## Two ways to participate – short term projects and accreditation



**Long term**

**Accreditation**

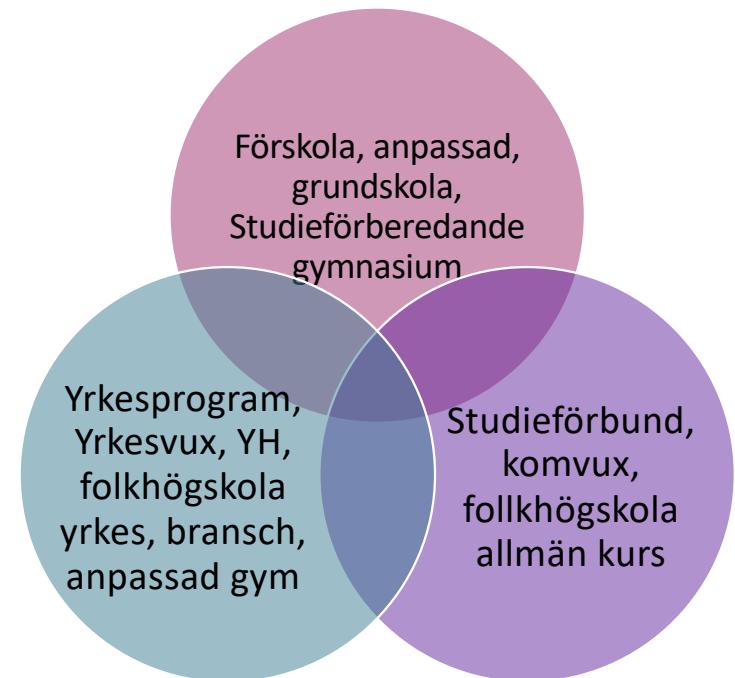
Guaranteed  
funds for  
mobilities

Assessed for  
quality once

International strategy

## Who can apply?

- Organisations in sectors school, VET and adult education
- Important to know what sector is appropriate



# Staff mobility

Job shadowing

Courses

Teaching

Skills competitions



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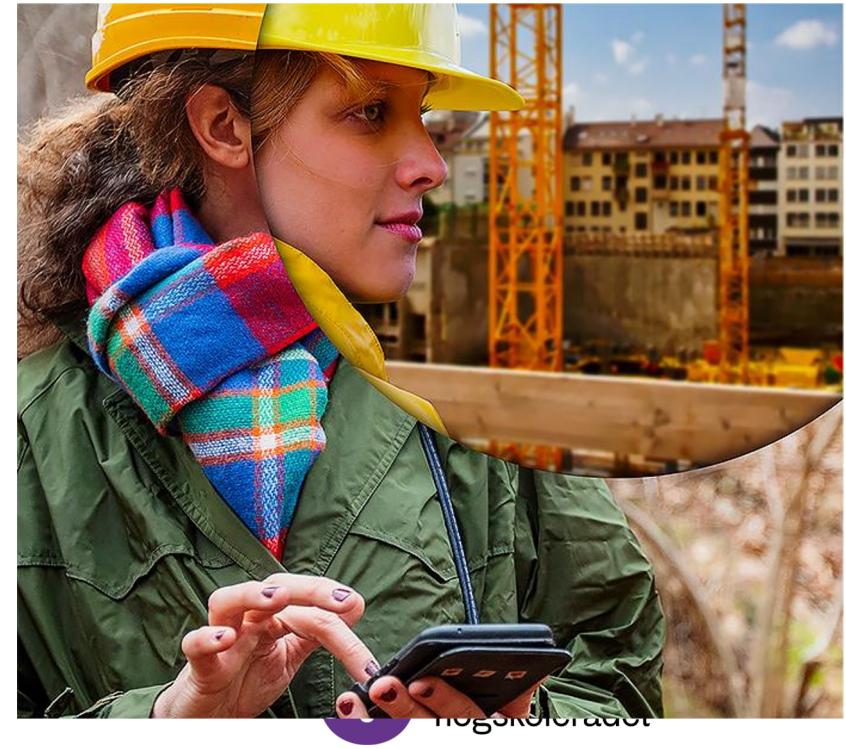


# Mobility of learners

Work  
placements

Skills  
competitions

VET studies

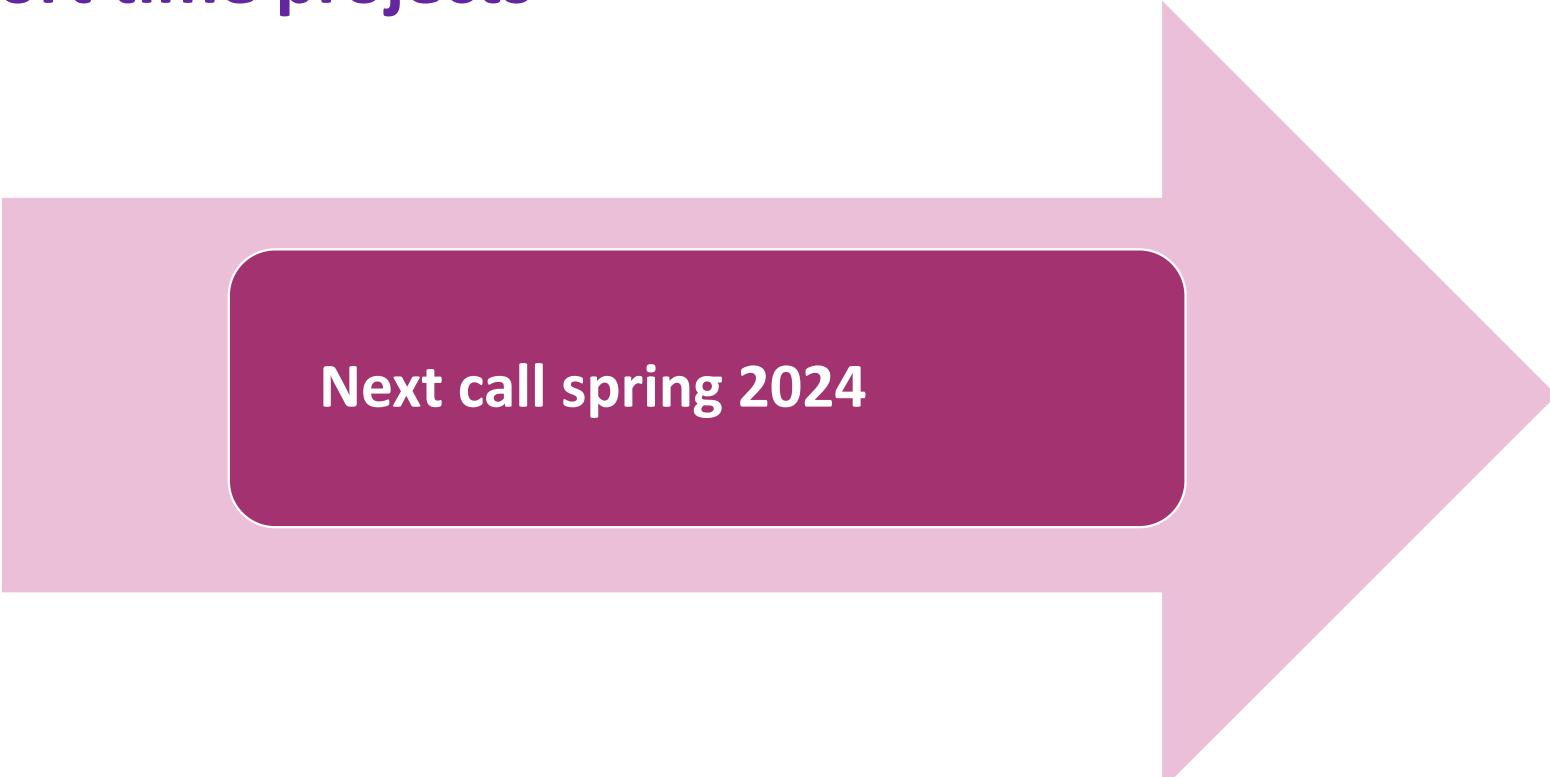


## Personal and professional development



- [Utlandspraktiken ledde till mitt drömjobb | Utbyten.se](#)

## Short time projects



Next call spring 2024

# Accreditation



Next call- fall 2023

## **Erasmus+ cooperation (KA2)**

## Sector specific priorities

- Adapting vocational education and training to labour market needs
- Increasing the flexibility of opportunities in vocational education and training
- Contributing to innovation in vocational education and training
- Increasing attractiveness of VET
- Improving quality assurance in vocational education and training
- Creation and implementation of internationalisation strategies for VET providers
- Supporting response of European education and training systems to the war in Ukraine



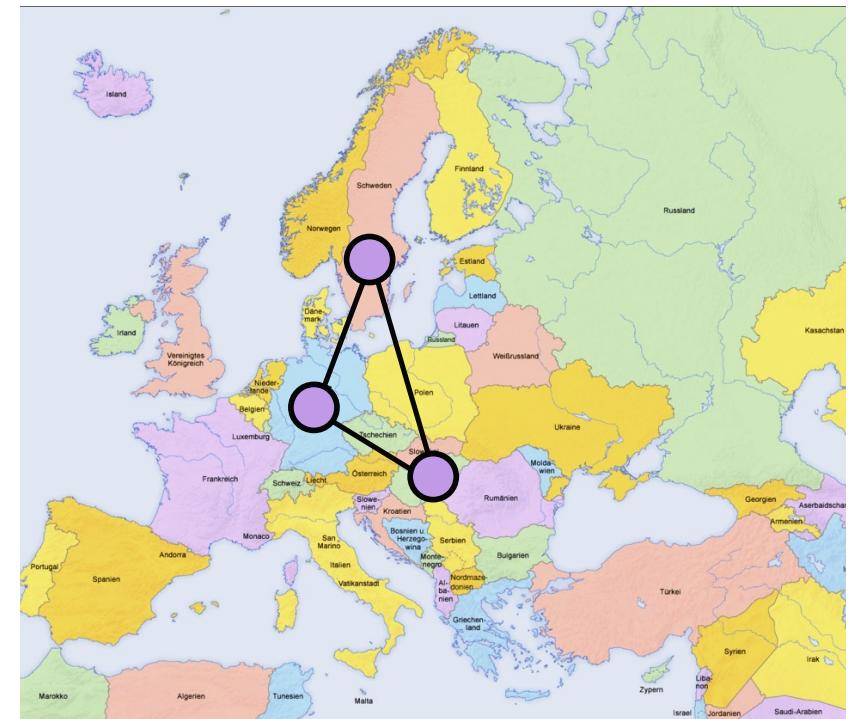
[Partnerships for cooperation | Erasmus+ \(europa.eu\)](http://Partnerships for cooperation | Erasmus+ (europa.eu))

## Partnerships for cooperation( KA2)

Two types of partnerships:

- Cooperation partnerships  
Small-scale partnerships

You apply together with organisations from different countries



## Different budgets (KA2)

**Small scale partnerships**

30.000€

60.000€

**Cooperation partnerships**

120.000€

250.000€

400.000€

## Small-scale partnerships

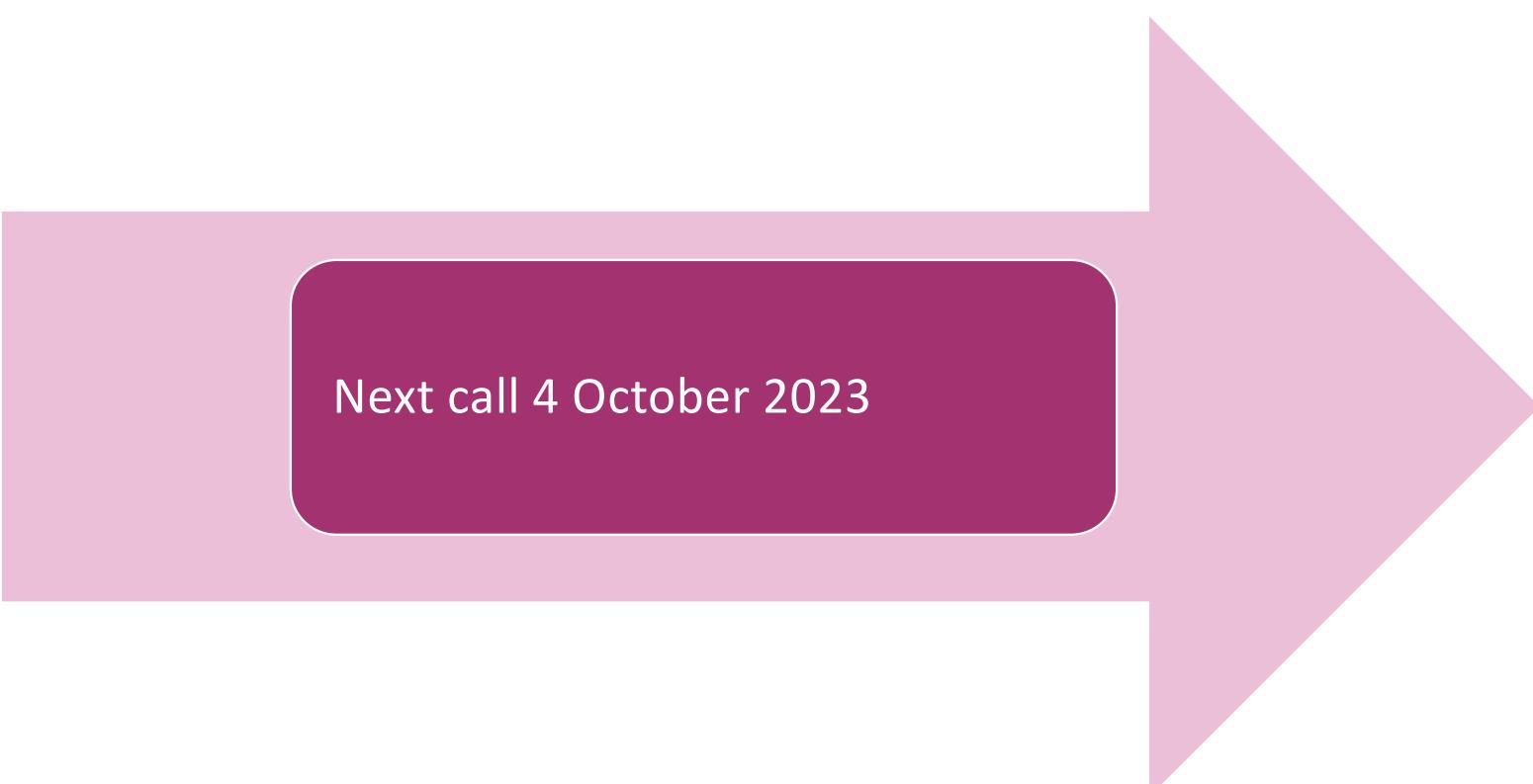


Simplified application , lower requirements on results

Project 6 – 24 mo

Minimum 2 partners from 2 countries

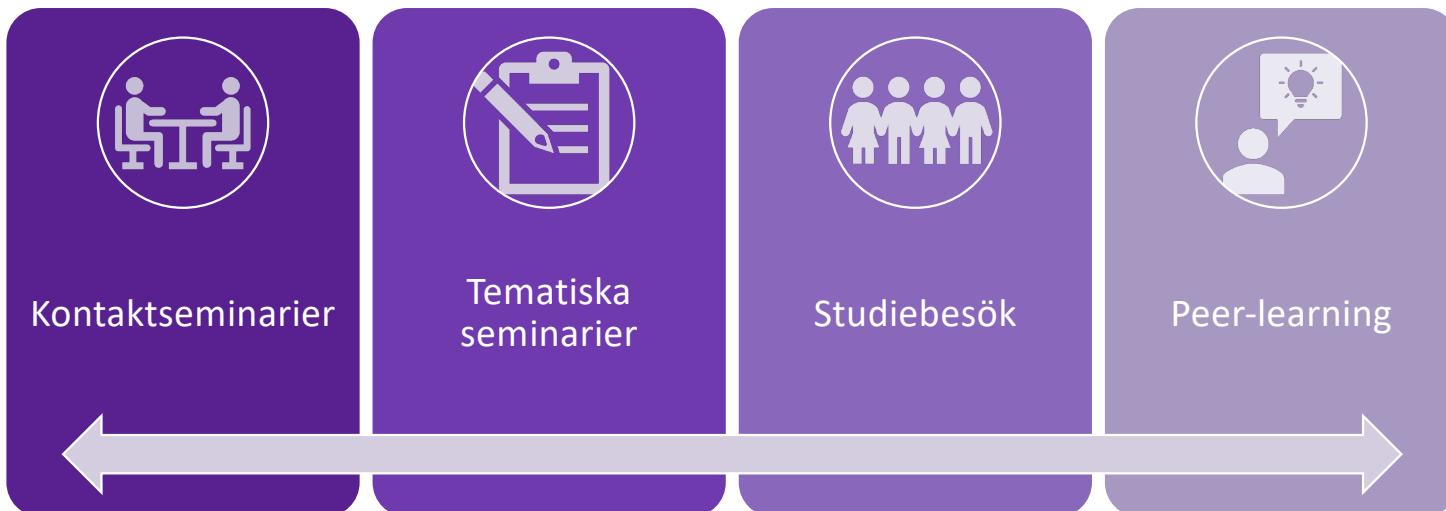
## Small Scale Partnerships



Next call 4 October 2023

## Other opportunities

# TCA – Transnational training and cooperative activities



[tca@uhr.se](mailto:tca@uhr.se)

[Erasmus+ kontaktseminarier | Utbyten.se](http://Erasmus+ kontaktseminarier | Utbyten.se)

# Aktuella seminarier Utbyten/Startsida / Program / Erasmus+ kontaktseminarier

## **Green Erasmus: Pathways to Sustainable Projects and Institutions**

**Yrkesutbildning**

Kontaktseminariet erbjuder både erfarna och presumtiva projektägare inom yrkesutbildning en yta för nätverkande och kontaktskapande på temat hållbarhet. Plats för seminariet är München, Tyskland den 14–16 juni 2023. Ansök om en plats senast 22 mars.

**Tid:** 14–16 juni 2022.

**Plats:** München, Tyskland.

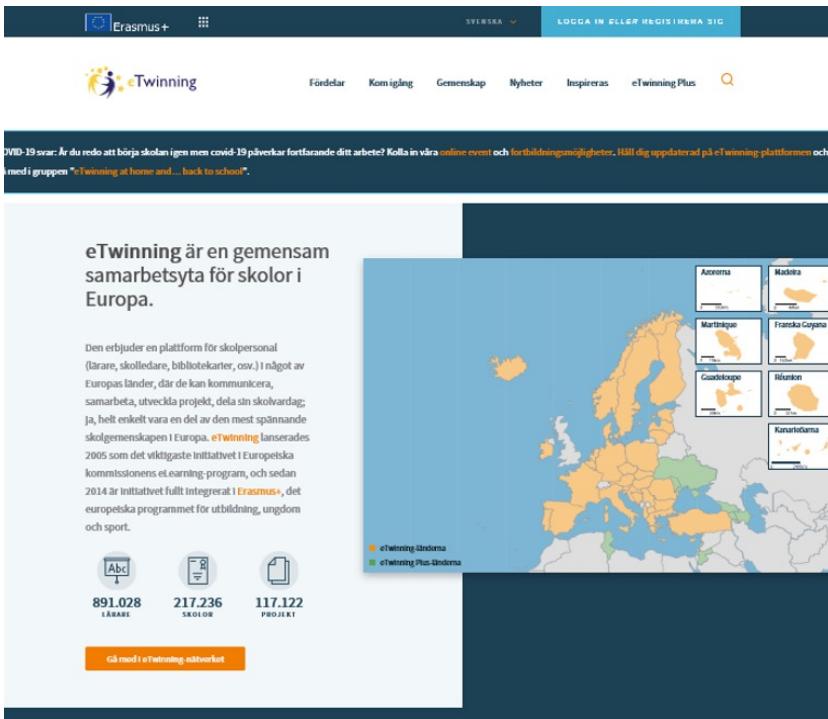
**Målgrupp:** Projektägare och andra organisationer med intresse att söka projekt inom yrkesutbildningssektorn (KA2 VET). Särskilt nykomlingar är välkomna.

## Förberedande besök

- Finansiering för resa och uppehälle
  - Max. två personer
  - Min. två arbetsdagar (exklusive restid)
  - Löpande ansökan (ej under juni och juli)
- 
- Kontakt:  
[erasmusplus@ehr.se](mailto:erasmusplus@ehr.se)
- [Erasmus+ förberedande besök | Utbyten.se](http://Erasmus+ förberedande besök | Utbyten.se)



# Digital platforms and networks



The screenshot shows the eTwinning homepage. At the top, there's a navigation bar with links for Erasmus+, Svenska, Logga in eller registrera sig, Fördelar, Kom igång, Gemenskap, Nyheter, Inspireras, eTwinning Plus, and a search icon. Below the navigation is a banner with text about COVID-19 and a call to action. The main content area features a large map of Europe with colored regions representing different countries. Overlaid on the map are several small boxes showing specific regions: Azorens, Madeira, Martinique, Franska Guyana, Guadeloupe, Réunion, and Kanarieöarna. Below the map, there are three icons with counts: 891.028 LÄRARE, 217.236 SKOLOR, and 117.122 PROJEKT. At the bottom, there's a button labeled "Gå med i eTwinning nätverket".

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## EPALE

**Verksamhetsområde:** Vuxnas lärande, Yrkesutbildning, Övriga organisationer

**Aktivitet:** För personal: Kurs, fortbildning, Konferens med mera  
För verksamheten: Hitta samarbetspartner

**Var i världen:** Norden och Baltikum, Inom EU/ESS

Ingen ansökan behövs

Du kan kostnadsfritt registrera dig för att samverka med andra användare.

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EPALE är en digital mötesplats för alla som arbetar med vuxnas lärande inom Europa. Du som är vuxenutbildare inom formellt, icke-formellt och informellt lärande kan delta. Här hittar du fortbildningskurser och samarbetspartners, du kan nätverka med kollegor i Europa liksom dela goda exempel, nyheter, länkar och rapporter. Som EPALE-medlem får du tillgång till tusentals resurser relaterade till vuxenutbildning. Du kan också hålla dig uppdaterad kring de senaste nyheterna och utvecklingen inom vuxenutbildningssektorn i Europa. Den omfattande databasen växer ständigt.

 Medfinansieras av  
Europiska unionen



[eTwinning](#)

[EPALE](#)

## More information in Sweden

- Gå in på vår hemsida [utbyten.se](http://utbyten.se)
- Följ oss på [facebook](#)
- Prenumerera på vårt [nyhetsbrev](#)
- Kontakta oss via e-post: [erasmus+@uhr.se](mailto:erasmus+@uhr.se)



The screenshot shows the header of the Utbyten.se website. On the left is the logo of Universitets- och högskolerådet. To its right is the main title "Utbyten.se". Below the title is a horizontal navigation bar with four items: "Möjligheter" (highlighted in blue), "Program" (highlighted in red), "Inspiration", and "Evenemang". Underneath the navigation bar, there is a breadcrumb trail: "Startsida / Program / Erasmus+". At the bottom of the header, the Erasmus+ logo is displayed along with social media icons for email, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Facebook.

# What's going on?

## Use your international contacts!



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[EUROPEA – Bringing Green Schools Together and Green Education Further](#)

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# European Year of Skills

**EUROPEAN  
YEAR OF  
SKILLS**

- [European Year of Skills \(europa.eu\)](http://europa.eu)

# European Vocational Skills Week 2023

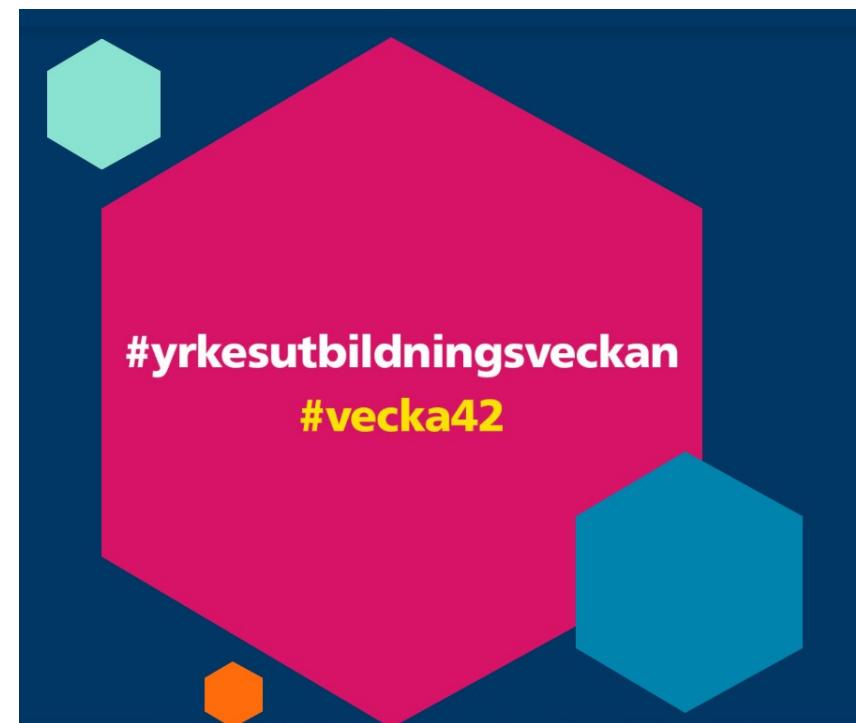
23-27 October



- [Homepage \(europa.eu\)](https://europa.eu)

# Yrkesutbildningsveckan v42 Sverige

Yrkesutbildningsveckan – Worldskills



## Save the date!

Två konferenser:

[Fokus yrkesutbildning – Skolverket](#)

Mötesplats för internationell  
kompetensförsörjning till Arbetslivet/arbetsmarknaden

MIA

**19 oktober** Stockholm konferens



### Konferensen Fokus yrkesutbildning 2023

Skolverket inleder yrkesutbildningsveckan 2023 med den digitala konferensen Fokus yrkesutbildning måndag den 16 oktober.

[Startsida](#) / [Evenemang](#) / Konferens: Kvalitet i APL utomlands 29 mars

## Konferens: Kvalitet i APL utomlands

<b>Målgrupp:</b>	Skolledare och lärare med ansvar för internationaliseringarsarbete eller APL utomlands
<b>Tid:</b>	29 mars kl 09:00 - kl 15:00
<b>Plats:</b>	Scandic Crown, Göteborg
<b>Arrangör:</b>	Universitets- och högskolerådet (UHR) och Nationella yrkesutbildningsteamet för Erasmus+
<b>Kontakt:</b>	Linda Nilsson, <a href="mailto:linda.nilsson@ehr.se">linda.nilsson@ehr.se</a>
<b>Pris:</b>	Ingen kostnad



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## Konferens: Kvalitet i APL utomlands

<b>Målgrupp:</b>	Skolledare och lärare med ansvar för internationaliseringarsarbete eller APL utomlands
<b>Tid:</b>	21 mars kl 09:00 - kl 15:00
<b>Plats:</b>	World trade center, Stockholm
<b>Arrangör:</b>	Universitets- och högskolerådet (UHR) och Nationella yrkesutbildningsteamet för Erasmus+
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## Träffa UHR på Skills Meetup

Tid: 19 april - 21 april

Plats: Quality Hotel View, Hyllie, Malmö

Arrangör: Myndigheten för yrkeshögskolan

[Evenemang](#), [Erasmus+ mobilitet yrkesutbildning](#), [Erasmus+](#), [Yrkesutbildning](#), [För personal](#)

Skills Meetup är en mötesplats för erfarenhetsutbyte, nätverkande och lärande kopplat till aktuella frågor för en effektiv kompetensförsörjning.

Träffa UHR:s handläggare på konferensen för att lära mer om hur UHR:s internationella program kan vara värdefulla verktyg för kompetensutveckling och livslångt lärande.

# Thank you!