



IQ-DigitS - Interoperability of qualifications by building sustainable Digital credentials Infrastructure

Project Result 2

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Project Result 2 - Development of a common methodology for the adaptation of existing curricula towards modular learning, based on learning outcomes and micro-credentials

As a prerequisite for finding a common methodology another **desk research** has been conducted to analyse existing European Union (EU)-strategies and requirements for micro-credentials and quality assurance in non-formal education and VET. After **proposing a methodology** based on this analysis and the existing European Digital Credentials Infrastructure (EDCI) it was discussed among educational experts in structured workshops at a training activity.

The **main findings** were that a common methodology shows opportunities such as the promotion of internationalisation and interoperability of course programs, but is challenged e.g., by the high regulation of national VET systems and thus the lack of compatibility when developing curricula. Also, quality assurance measures vary in different countries. As a next step of this project the methodology will be further tested and refined to serve specific needs.

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Mapping of applied methodologies in developing existing curricula of accredited training at vocational education and adult education providers

With a Benchmarking report with recommendations for development of common methodology

PR1 Report published

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Please find the report here:

<https://public.3.basecamp.com/p/45ovyaGbwUToPuxsLBZw6H4c>



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Learning Teaching Training Activity in Graz, Austria

The 1st Learning Teaching Training Activity of the IQ-DigitS-project took place from 28 November - 2 December 2022 in Graz, Austria.



At the premises of the bit schulungcenter the participants discussed about the main question *“How to implement a joint methodology for curricula development, based on learning outcomes and micro-credentials”*.

The main objectives were to:

- discuss existing EU-strategies/standards of curricula development in VET and adult education;
- contribute to the development of a methodology for micro-credentials and quality assurance in curriculum development;
- develop curricula based on learning outcomes and modular learning.

