

# Task Force Education And Youth

Enhanced Graz Process

Working Table 1, Stability Pact for South Eastern Europe

## TOWARDS A EUROPEAN QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK FOR LIFELONG LEARNING Relevance, Feasibility and Implications for SEE

*Expert Workshop, 21 and 22 October 2005  
Vienna, Hotel Bellevue (Althanstr. 5, 1091 Vienna)*

### AGENDA

#### 21 OCTOBER

Moderation: Mihaylo Milovanovitch, Task Force Education and Youth

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| <b>9.00 – 9.15</b>   | <b>Welcome Addresses</b><br>Anton Dobart, Chair of the Task Force Education and Youth<br>Marijana Grandits, Director of the Working Table I |
| <b>9.15 – 9.30</b>   | <b>Priorities of the Upcoming Austrian Presidency of the European Council</b><br>Anton Dobart   |
| <b>9.30 – 10.00</b>  | <b>The European Qualifications Framework for Lifelong Learning</b><br>Michael Teutsch, European Commission                                  |
| <b>10.00 – 10.30</b> | <b>Implications for the National Context – a View of a Member State</b><br>Éva Gönczi, Ministry of Education of Hungary                     |
|                      | <b>National Qualifications Systems and Their Impact on Lifelong Learning - Activities of the OECD</b><br>Gerhard Kowar, OECD                |
| <b>10.30 – 11.00</b> | <i>Questions and Discussion</i>   |
| <b>11.00 – 11.30</b> | Coffee Break  |
| <b>11.30 – 12.00</b> | <b>National Qualifications Framework Project in SEE</b><br>Vincent McBride, European Training Foundation                                    |
| <b>12.00 – 13.00</b> | <b>Case Study Romania</b><br>Lucian Ciolan, Ministry of Education and Research of Romania   |
|                      | <b>Case Study Serbia</b><br>Jelena Jakovljevic, Institute for Improvement of Education - Center for Vocational and Art Education            |

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**13.00 – 14.30**      **LUNCH**

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- 14.30 – 15.00**      **Case Study The Netherlands**  
Ben Hövels, Knowledge Centre for Vocational Training &  
Labour Market (KBA)
- 15.00 – 15.30**      **Case Study Estonia**  
Tiia Randma, Estonian Chamber of Commerce and Industry
- 15.30 – 16.00**      *Discussion, Introduction to the Working Groups*
- 16.00 – 16.30**      Coffee Break
- 16.30 – 18.00**      Working Groups Sessions
- Working Group 1:** The Implications of EQF and NQFs for  
Higher Education  
*Moderator: Barbara Weitgruber, Task Force Education and  
Youth*  
*Rapporteur: Ivana Puljiz, Ministry of Science, Education and  
Sports of Croatia*
- Working Group 2:** The Implications of EQF and NQF for VET  
*Moderator: Arjen Vos, European Training Foundation*  
*Rapporteur: Alqi Mustafaj, Institute of Curricula and Standards,  
Albania*
- 20.00**                      **DINNER** (*Gösser Bierklinik, Steindlgasse 4, 1010 Vienna*)

22 OCTOBER

Moderation: Anton Dobart

- 9.00 – 9.30**              Feedback from Working Groups
- 9.30 – 9.50**              **Regional Cooperation and the Consultation Process**  
Luminita Matei, ERI SEE
- 9.50 – 10.10**          **Employability and Social Cohesion – Education Reforms  
for Sustainable Development: Implications of QFs for  
Education Reforms**  
Michael Daxner, Expert for the TFEY
- 10.10 – 10.30**          **EQF and the Bologna Process**

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Barbara Weitgruber, Vice-Chair of the Task Force Education and Youth

10.30 – 11.00	<i>Discussion, Introduction to Working Groups</i>
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee Break
11.30 – 13.00	<b>Working Groups Sessions: QFs - Feasibility and Implementation Scenarios</b>  <b>Working Group 1</b> <i>Moderator: Lucian Ciolan, Ministry of Education and Research of Romania</i> <i>Rapporteur: Éva Gönczi, Ministry of Education of Hungary</i>  <b>Working Group 2</b> <i>Moderator: Vincent McBride, European Training Foundation</i> <i>Rapporteur: Ben Hövels, Knowledge Centre for Vocational Training &amp; Labour Market (KBA) tbc</i>
13.00 – 14.30	<b>LUNCH</b>
14.30 – 15.00	Report from Working Groups
15.00 – 15.30	<i>Discussion</i>
15.30 – 16.00	Closing Remarks Anton Dobart, Task Force Education and Youth