

Upskilling Higher Education Graduates for the new EU labour-market

THE WORK 4.0 CHALLENGE

The world of work undergoes structural changes, often associated with the concept of Work 4.0. meaning Globalisation, Digitalisation and Relationships between human and machine labour.

These new forms of work, under the umbrella term Work 4.0, profoundly affect present and future workforce.

The employability of Higher Education (HE) graduates seems to be affected by

this, negatively, as HE curricula do not catch up with the rapid changes in the labour market.

The number of unemployed and underemployed graduates (not using their full skills range) in EU steadily increased during the past decade, as employers, companies, enterprises across various economic sectors face difficulties in finding the employees with the right combination of hard and soft skills, who are and will be needed in the new labour-market environment.

The European Commission support for the production of this publication does not constitute an endorsement of the contents which reflects the views only of the authors, and the Commission cannot be held responsible for any use which may be made of the information contained therein. The Finnish National Agency for Education is hosting the national agency for the European Union's education and youth programmes.

REBOOT YOUR SKILLS AND TAKE THE 4.0 CHALLENGE

Rebooting, Re-rooting and Re-skilling Unemployed and Underemployed Higher Education Graduates for Work 4.0 is a project co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Commission, that increases the employability potential of the unemployed and underemployed Higher Education graduates by upskilling and developing relevant and high-quality skills and competencies for Work 4.0, as well as their ability to recognise and demonstrate these skills.

To this end, the Reboot online training programme goes beyond discipline-based knowledge and skills, into the acquisition and further development of the so-called non-cognitive skills and competencies such as problem solving, creativity, readiness for and adaptation to change, team-work etc.

GET TRAINED ONLINE!

Innovative, attractive, easy to follow online training programme for Work 4.0 skills and competences

FREE ACCESS in English, Finnish, French and Greek

The programme includes a Competence self-testing tool and a Handbook with guidelines on how to implement the Reboot training.

WHO BENEFITS THE MOST?

- Unemployed and underemployed Higher Education graduates with a focus on young graduates, women, +45 employees who have been made redundant, and young migrants
- Higher Education Institutions
- Career counsellors
- Continuous VET and employment training organisations
- Public/private manpower and employment bodies
- Human Resources actors

MEET OUR TEAM

The Reboot project brings together partners from Finland, Belgium, Greece, and the UK, mixing knowledge and expertise in the fields of education, labour-market needs, and skills development at professional level.

The project is coordinated by Vaasa University of Applied Sciences (VAMK) in Finland.

