

MOBILITY OF APPRENTICES IN EUROPE

A CONTRIBUTION TOYOUTH EMPLOYMENT AND COMPETITIVENESS OF BUSINESSES

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APPRENTICESHIP IN ITALY (I)

- a long tradition connected with the ancient craft shops
- In 2015 high rate of youth's unemployment has brought a period of reforms (Law 107 called Buona Scuola/ Law 81 Jobs Act)
- Reforms were connected with the «learning» dimension of apprenticeship and made stronger the relationship between the labour market and the VET providers
- In 2015/2016 was launched the experimentation of Italian Dual System (50% training at VET school / 50% in the company)
- Scuola Centrale Formazione coordinated the research activity «La nostra via Duale» within a network of 10 national VET associations

THE RESEARCH ACTIVITY COMPARE THE RESULTS OF THE EXPERIMENTATION IN THE YEARS 2016/2017 AND 2017/2018 (1)

Significative compared results:

- I) INCREASE in number of VET providers involved (+21%)
- 2) INCREASE in number of VET learners involved (+77%)
- 3) INCREASE in number of Companies involved (+97%)

Within the specific experience of Scuola Centrale Formazione the most important grow was registered in number apprenticeships:

From 9% (2017) to 19% (2018)

APPRENTICESHIP AND MOBILITY (2)

- Almost 4% of the total number of VET learners who benefit from the mobility projects of SCF are apprentices
- These apprentices come from the regions Lombardia and Veneto (North Italy)
- These apprentices with the support of the VET school have found compromises with the company to participate in the mobility Erasmus (re-organization of the work timesheet, using of holidays, etc...)
- For the future:
- I) working better with the companies to promote a sensibility towards the mobility
- 2) working better with the companies and with the regional authorities for the recognition of Learning Outcomes acquired in mobility

MOBILITY AND BEYOND... (3)

The point of view of the organizations (promoter/sending school):

Pedagogical responsibility of all involved actors as challenge

The point of view of the learners:

Mobility as opportunity to «CHANGE» attitudes, way of thinking, approaching reality.

ERASMUS MOBILITY CHARTER (4)

- Since 2015
- 250 VET learners every year
- 50 VET staff every year

Added values:

- Possibility to consolidate a mobility plan integrated with the VET programmes of the VET Centre;
- Possibility to facilitate the modalities for the recognition of LO
- Possibility to diversify targets of mobility (for ex. involvement of apprentices)

The Charter is a sort of guarantee of continuity and stability in mobility projects and these facilitate the communication and the relationships with all actors involved.

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