EGREEN+

European Green Mastery

An important international project for European partners in the green sectors
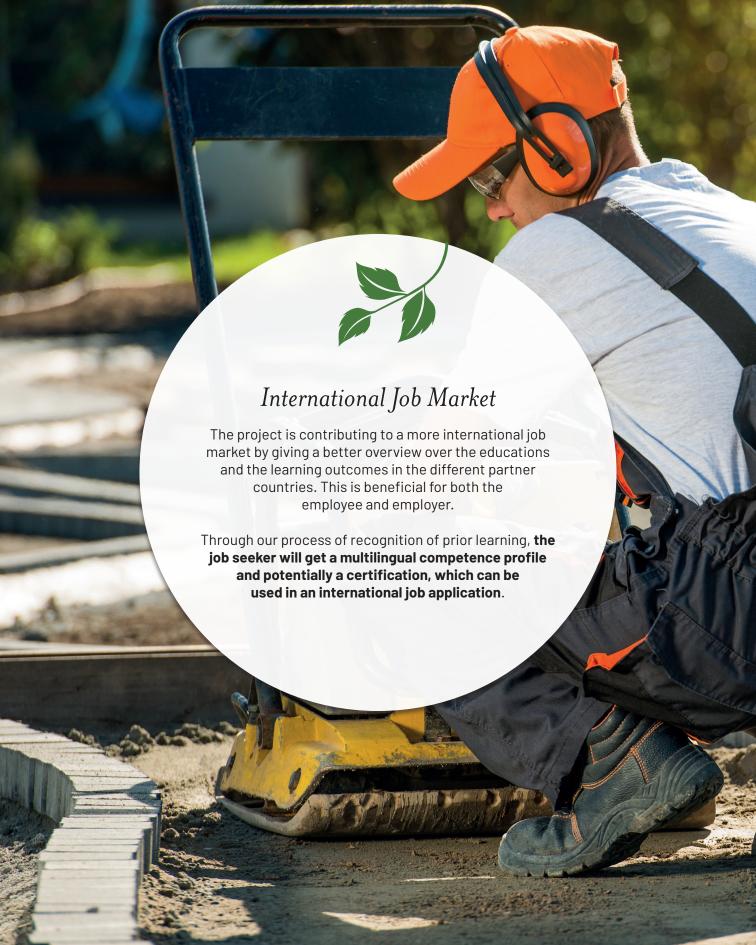
Our focus areas

...Future-oriented sustainable competence in landscaping, gardening and floristry

...Harmonizing European competence certificates

...Developing a digital assessment and competence building system

...The use of digital tools like VR-technology in digital course modules

...Preparation for an international job market

...Upskilling in the green sector in a joint European further education

Project background

Increasingly, skilled people are moving across countries for new jobs as well as further education and training. Questions are raised about the **value and relevance of former experiences and comptences**, and people might experience different assessment and accreditation processes across European countries.

In addition, there are more pressure on competences related to sustainability and technology/digitalization. In EGREEN+ we are working to **harmonize sustainable European competence certificates for landscaping, gardening and floristry**. This will include recognition of prior learning and development of online training modules.

Competence building

The green sector needs a future-oriented competence building. The elaboration of a **digital assessment and competence building system** is central to the project. avocational college level and university college level in the partner countries will be analysed to create a base for comparison. **New qualifications will be added and included in the course modules especially concerning sustainability.**

Upskilling in the green sector

The practitioner can **move from skilled worker to master of skilled crafts** or higher vocational education and training. The project will present an overview over the educations and learning outcomes on the different educational levels for landscapers, gardeners and florists.

Furthermore, it is **our ambition to develop joint European further education** and training units and thereby contribute to **upskilling in the green sector**, increase the attractiveness and international recruitment.

Digital Tools

Through digital tools, **(Skillsbank, MOOC, VR and AR)** people who have extensive experience in the professions, but lack parts of the required qualifications for future work in the green sector, will get the opportunity to have their competence **assessed and further developed** in real and constructed situations.

This includes recognition of prior learning and access to **digital course modules**.

International Job Market

The project is contributing to a more international job market by giving a better overview over the educations and the learning outcomes in the different partner countries. This is beneficial for both the employee and employer.

Through our process of recognition of prior learning, **the job seeker will get a multilingual competence profile and potentially a certification, which can be used in an international job application**.

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Estonia, Netherlands, Spain and Norway. NTI-MMM is the project coordinator.
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