European Sector Skills Council for the Audiovisual and Live Performance Sectors

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- Work plan developed on the basis of the conclusions of the feasibility study (2012)
- Phase 1: November 2014 May 2016 (18 months)
- Piloted by European social partners
- 8 national sector skills councils from 4 countries invited to steering committee (France, United Kingdom, the Netherlands and Belgium)
- Co-financed by EC (PROGRESS programme, DG Employment)
- 2 existing EU councils (textile/clothing/leather, commerce), 2 new ones (shipbuilding, automotive)

Objectives and governance

- Collecting available information at EU and national levels on employment in the audiovisual and live performance sectors and the evolution of skills needs
- Developing the awareness as well as local/national/European initiatives for vocational education/continuous training in the audiovisual and live performance sectors
- During phase 1: informal initiative piloted by a steering committee composed of EU social partners and national skills organisations
- Key outputs (reports and recommendations) adopted during Council meetings to be attended by representatives from at least 13 EU countries

Key Council's activities

- 3 Council meetings in Tallinn, Estonia (April 2015), Prague, Czech Republic (September 2015) and Madrid, Spain (December 2015)
- 2 Capacity-building workshops in Prague and Madrid following the respective Council meetings
- 1 European conference to present the results of phase 1 (Brussels, Spring 2016)
- Communication activities: website, newsletters, leaflet, etc.
- At least 5 steering committee meetings to prepare the key events and outputs

Key Council's outputs

• 3 thematic reports:

- 1) on the employment situation in the sectors including forecasts and trends;
- 2) on the qualitative evolution of skills and focusing on the evolution of occupations;
- 3) on innovative tools, strategies, and methods put in place at national level to monitor skills needs
- Conclusions of the 2 capacity-building workshops
- Recommendations to the different stakeholders at national and EU levels
- Proposal of a work plan 2016-2018 for the European Sector Skills Council (phase 2)

Inception phase (Nov 2014 – March 2015)

- Update information of feasibility study
- Consultation meetings in FR, UK, BE, NL in preparation to first steering committee (14 January)
- Preparations for report 1 (employment situation)
- Contacts with existing EU skills councils in other sectors
- Contacts with European education/training organisations

Question

 Any organisation/initiative in your country that should be involved? Any developments at national level we should be aware of?

Thank you!

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