

Press release

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RESULTS OF THE EUROPEAN RETROVET PROJECT

RESULT 1: HANDBOOK

The handbook provides a compilation of best practices and case studies on integrating a green strategy within vocational education and training institutions and other education institutions. The handbook provides a catalogue of best practices for education and training staff and practitioners to refer to when considering the implementation of green skills support strategies.

RESULT 2: BENCHMARKING TOOL

The RetroVET Benchmarking Tool aims to help teachers, trainers, professionals and managers of VET institutions identify how "green" their institution already is. By means of an easy-to-address questionnaire related to specific "green areas" that were identified as particularly important, such as accurate and accessible information, education and training, future workforce, human and financial resources, policy and governance, professional development, advocacy and awareness, and sustainability. Behaviorally, the benchmarking tool supports reflection on the green strategies adopted, on the willingness to open up to new ones, and on existing barriers to the implementation of new green strategies.

RESULT 3: MATCHING TOOL

The RetroVET Matching Tool takes the information analysed from the interactive benchmarking tool and match VET centres together based on their strengths and areas for improvement, aiming to match centres who are able to complement each other's strengths and weaknesses so that both parties benefit from the matching and are able to mentor each other on their areas of strength.

RESULT 4: ECOURSE FACILITATOR

The RetroVET Facilitator e-course is an innovative, interactive digital training course aimed at upskilling VET staff who act as green skills and knowledge mentors to VET learners.

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