



ESCO and EUROPASS Conference

26 and 27 June 2019

European University Cyprus – Amphitheatre B

Draft Agenda

1st Day, 26th of June 2019

08:30 – 09:00 Arrivals

09:00 – 09:30 Welcome and Introduction

- *Welcoming speech by the Chair – KEPA*
- *Welcoming speech by the Ministry of Labour Welfare and social Insurance*
- *Welcoming speech by the Ministry of Education and Culture*
- *Welcome speech by the Head of the EU Perm Rep in Cyprus*

09:30 – 10:30 Putting skills to work in the Digital Labour Market: the EU policy goals and frameworks of ESCO and Europass

Dimitrios Pikios, ESCO Project Coordinator at European Commission

Discussion & Questions after each session

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee break

10:45 – 11:30 Technical aspects of ESCO

1. Implementation of ESCO
2. Development of a hierarchy for the ESCO skills pillar
3. Continuous improvement of ESCO for the delivery of ESCO version 1.1 in 2021

Angeliki Dedopoulou, Adviser to the European Commission for the Digital Labour Market

Discussion & Questions after each session

11:30 – 12:30 Policy aspects of the European Qualifications Framework-EQF

- EQF state of play
- Qualifications databases and their connection at European level

Zelda Azzara, Policy Officer of Transparency and Recognition of Skills and Qualifications at European Commission

12:30 – 13:00 National Qualifications Framework (Εθνικό Πλαίσιο Προσόντων)

Εκπρόσωπος Εθνικής Αρχής Προσόντων

13:00 – 14:00 Finger food Lunch

14:00 – 14:30 Professional Qualifications System (Σύστημα Επαγγελματικών Προσόντων ΣΕΠ),

Εκπρόσωπος ΑνΑΔ

Discussion & Questions after each session

14:30 – 15:00 Conclusions of 1st day

2nd Day, 27th of June 2019

08:30 – 09:00 Arrivals

09:00 – 09:45 Introduction to the new Europass

Angeliki Dedopoulou, Adviser to the European Commission for the Digital Labour Market

09:45 – 10:30 Policy aspects of the European Qualifications Framework-EQF

- EQF state of play
- Qualifications databases and their connection at European level

Zelda Azzara, Policy Officer of Transparency and Recognition of Skills and Qualifications at European Commission

10:30 – 11:15 The Digitally Signed Credentials infrastructure of the new Europass

Angeliki Dedopoulou, Adviser to the European Commission for the Digital Labour Market

11:15 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 12:00 Communication strategy of the new Europass

Melina Neophytou, Coordinator of the National EUROPASS Network

12:00 – 12:45 The National EURES Network under the new EURES Regulation

Antonis Kafouros, EURES Cyprus Coordinator

**12:45 – 13:30 Recognition of Formal, Informal and Non Formal Learning
(Αναγνώριση Τυπικής, Μη Τυπικής και Άτυπης Μάθησης)**

Εκπρόσωπος Υπουργείου Παιδείας και Πολιτισμού

Discussion & Questions

13:30 – 14:00 Summary of two days and next steps forward

14:00 – 15:00 Lunch

