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Types of PPPs for skills development and supportive conditions

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PPPs IN SKILLS DEVELOPMENT ARE:

Mechanisms where public and private stakeholders act jointly to formulate, design, finance, manage and sustain engagements (projects) of common interest

Extended notion of PPP

VS.

Definition of PPP that prevails in legislation

FORMING AND IMPLEMENTING PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS: WHAT CONDITIONS ARE NEEDED?



Legal
framework for
public-private
cooperation



Fiscal
arrangements
for public-
private
cooperation



Tradition of
social dialogue
and social
partnership in
VET and skills



Actors capacity
to engage in
dialogue and
partnership

PPPs TYPES – 1) FUNCTIONAL FAMILIES



Knowledge-oriented
(strategy, development
and governance of
VET)

Skills needs forecasting

Policy evaluation and
review (public-private
consultations)

Quality assurance and
qualifications
frameworks



VET provision-
oriented

Curriculum
development

Training provision

School or training
centre management

Guidance and career
counselling



Resource-oriented

Provision of
specialised training
equipment

Investment into
training infrastructure

PPP_s TYPES – 2) SCOPE, OR INTEGRATION IN THE SYSTEM

Permeating the system

The PPP is fully embedded in the skills system, it is a recognised model, it is replicated across regions or nationally

Elements that are permeating the system

The PPP contains elements that are recognised across the system. Potential for further growth and duplication

Ad-hoc PPP

The PPP has its own specificity, it closely depends on the initiating partners and local context. It may have an experimental nature

PPPs TYPES – 3) MEMBERSHIP

PPPs open to new members

New members can join an existing partnership
This differs from a classical PPP, where membership is set in a contract

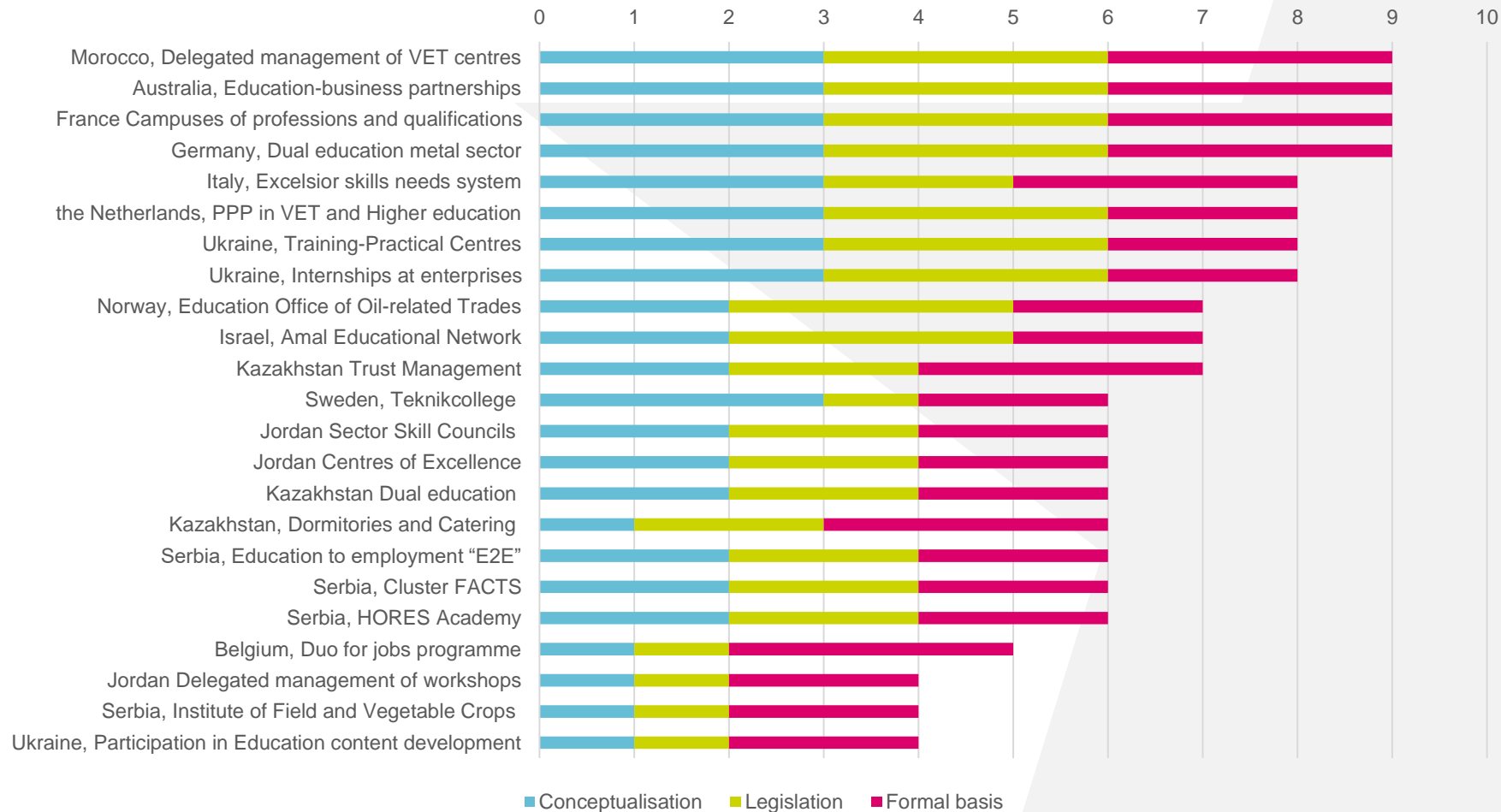
Semi-open PPPs

New members are eligible based on given criteria, for example belonging to the same sector

Closed PPPs

No new members are eligible to join, for example due to the specific content of the provided service

PPP INSTITUTIONALISATION LEVEL



COUNTRY GROUP DIFFERENCES

