FLASH REPORT

Event name
ETF and WB6CIF joint online event on ‘How public-private partnerships support skills development in South-East Europe and Turkey?’, 14 October 2021.

Main objective/s
To create an opportunity for discussion on:

- Types of public-private partnerships (PPPs) in the field of skills development and supportive conditions;
- The application of PPPs in context of national and EU policies and programmes.

Background
The ETF’s publication ‘Public-private partnerships (PPPs) for skills development: A governance perspective’ offered the evidence to kick-off the discussion. The event went beyond the study and discussed suitability of the PPP instrument and its applicability in context of South-East Europe and Turkey. The recent national, EU and international policy frameworks and programmes, in fact, all emphasise the crucial importance of building alliances between the state and non-state stakeholders.

SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE EVENT
The webinar was attended by approximately 90 participants. A joint ETF and WB6 CIF press release including description of the event can be found here.

KEY OUTCOMES/CONCLUSIONS
Presentations of the speakers and background documents are available on the dedicated ETF website event page. A dedicated post with further materials and reflecting the event discussions and outcomes on Public Private Partnerships evolving to provide a range of flexible solutions to skills training demands, has been posted in the ETF Open Space platform: How public-private partnerships support skills development in South Eastern Europe and Turkey | Open Space (europa.eu)

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