

## FLASH REPORT

### Event name

Skills Lab Network of Experts - The role of education and employment policies for the green transition – online event, 22 February 2022

### Main objective/s

1. To present ETF position on the subject of skills for the green transition in the neighbourhood region as well as to explain its current research challenge in order to hear your views.
2. Participants to present their work/experience on the subject
3. To discuss collaborative opportunities and share country assessments

### Background

Last year's climate events, the recent launch of the Green Deal and the COP26 have all helped the issue of climate change gain political traction. This is also the case for the Neighbourhood region, where we observe clear shifts away from the linear economy and education and training systems are taking steps to ensure sustainability is at the heart of learning programmes. ETF will continue to research the links between education, work and the green transition in this region.

### SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE EVENT

The event was held online from 10:00 to 12:30 CET. 40 individual researchers and representatives from research institutes participated, from EU and ETF Partner Countries.

### KEY OUTCOMES/CONCLUSIONS

ETF announced the continuation of the monitoring of green skills in its partner countries, the exploration of the changing skills demand (including new occupations and new skills), its work on modernisation of qualifications (e.g. via micro-credentials), the support of the ETF Network for Excellence to adapt their existing educational programs, and the strengthening of career guidance support systems as its priority areas for 2022.

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