PROFESSIONALISATION OF CAREER GUIDANCE PRACTITIONERS
EASTERN EUROPE AND CENTRAL ASIA REGIONAL EVENT

15 NOVEMBER 2022, 11:00–13:10 CET

The Global Careers Month
The Inter-Agency Career Guidance Working Group (IAG CGWG), composed of Cedefop, the European Commission, ETF, ILO, OECD, UNESCO and the World Bank have organised a Global Careers Month from 8 November to 12 December 2022. During this period a series of global and regional level events will be held in partnership with national and regional associations operating in the area of career development. The regional event for Eastern Europe and Central Asia is led by the regional focal points CareerLab Armenia, and the Ukrainian Association of Career Guidance and Educational Advising.

Target audience
Career guidance practitioners, researchers, NGOs, social partners, donors, development cooperation partners, technical experts from relevant ministries.
**AGENDA**

Moderator: Manuela Prina, ETF

11:00 – 11:10

Introduction

12:10 – 12:35

Wider socioeconomic challenges and how career guidance can be part of the solution

Facilitation: Christine Hemschemeier, ETF

Interviewees:
- Tibor Bors Borbély-Pecze, International Expert, author ETF review report Eastern Europe
- Liana Amiraghyan, Career Specialist, Yerevan Regional State College N2, Armenia

11:30 – 12:15

Inspiring cases from the region

Facilitation: Simona Rinaldi, ETF

Career Guidance in VET institutions in Armenia: from quantity to quality of the services
- Haykuhi Gevorgyan, CareerLab, Armenia

Training of career guidance practitioners in Ukraine
- Oleksandr Burov, Adviser-coordinator, Ukrainian Association for Career Guidance and Educational Advising, Ukraine

Role of Youth Resource Centres in career guidance and counselling provision and in outreach to youth to increase access to career guidance in Kazakhstan
- Iskakova Aida Saiynova Director of the youth resource center of Karaganda oblast, Kazakhstan

Increasing access to career guidance in rural areas using short videos for youth and adults in Azerbaijan
- Saida Mammadova, career guidance specialist at the Baku State Vocational Education Center for Tourism and Social Service, Azerbaijan

State standards for effective professional consultation and career planning services and authorisation standards for educational institutions in Georgia
- Thea Siprashvili, Expert, Georgia

Career Counselling for refugees in Moldova
- Valerii Voleanschi, Center for Policies, Initiatives and Research “Platforma”, Moldova
12:15 – 12:20  Rest & revitalize break

12:20 – 12:40  Panel discussion: Professionalisation of Career Guidance practitioners
Facilitation: Florian Kadletz, ETF
Speakers:
• Beena Kuttiparambil, Chief, Adolescent Development, UNICEF Tajikistan
• Gundula Gwenn Hiller, University of Applied Labour Studies of the German PES (HdBA) & NICE Foundation

12:40 – 12:50  Quiz Session

12:50 – 13:00  EU4Youth – overview of activities and plans
• Jochen Schmidt, European Commission, EU4Youth
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• Christine Hemschemeier, ETF

13:00 – 13:10  Summing up - The way forward