

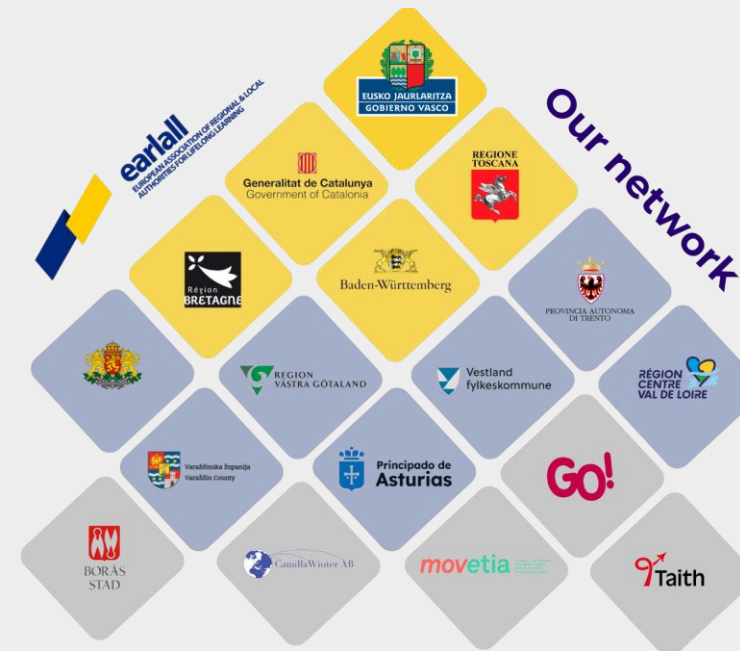
City of Borås and EARLALL

The municipality of Borås's Working Life Department, Department for Adult Education are an associate member at EARLALL.

The City of Borås has a special interest in upskilling and reskilling pathways for employees and the unemployed and supports the collaboration between VET providers and companies.



EARLALL is a non-profit association of regional governments and local authorities willing to build concrete cooperation in the field of lifelong learning.



Cooperation between the municipal Adult Education and the Labour market in the City of Borås, Sweden

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Adult Education in Sweden

- Komvux, Municipal formal Adult Education at
 - Compulsory level
 - Upper secondary school level
 - Special Education
 - Swedish for Immigrants
 - Vocational Education and Training
- Non-formal Adult Education at Folk High School (Liberal Arts/ Vocational Education and Training))
- Higher Vocational Education and Training
- College and University



Educational programs with focus on cooperation with the labour market

- Vocational Education and Training (VET) (EQF 4)
- Higher Vocational Education and Training (HVET) (EQF 5)



Some examples of collaboration between VET-providers and labour market

- Interviews, surveys and need analysis on national, regional and local level.
- Competence councils
- Fairs serving as a meeting point between Vocational/Adult learning and Training providers and the labour market
- Management team responsible for Higher vocational training (HVET) with more than half representatives from labour market



More examples of collaboration between VET-providers and labour market

- Active professionals are engaged as lectures and teachers
- Work-place provide staff-training for interested employees who would like to become a tutor form students
- Study visits for students and apprentices
- Worked-based learning (WBL) with special assignments for students and apprentices



Results

- Within six months 80-100 percent of the students are employed in the relevant sector



Funding

- **Municipal responsibility**
- **Government budget allocations**
- **Calls for government grants applications**
- **Student loans and grants for studies**
- **The Industry and Labour market contribute through their engagement, to needs assessments and supervision of students and apprentices.**



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Challenges and advices

- The Adult Education provider and the labour market have to find common needs and goals .
- Focus on communicating, exchanging, listening to each other.
- A common curriculum and grading system.
- Recognition of knowledge and skills regardless how they are acquired, e.g. validation, provisions for Lifelong Learning.



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Thank you!
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