



# Recent developments in work-based learning in Armenian VET sector

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# CONCEPT PAPER AND ROAD MAP FOR DEVELOPMENT OF THE WORK-BASED LEARNING IN ARMENIA FOR 2019-2025

The adopted Concept paper is a policy framework necessary for the development of work-based learning in the field of vocational education and training (VET) of the of Armenia.

The road map includes activities with the aim of effective implementation of WBL new forms for 2019-2025.

# IMPROVING THE STUDENT INTERNSHIP IN VET SYSTEM

Definition of the current challenges of the internship organization, assessment and financing as well as improvement opportunities at a generic level.

Internship Organization and Assessment Guide for the internship improvement and modernization is introduced on the specific example of “Milk and Dairy Products Technology” specialty.

# FOCUS GROUP ON WBL INCENTIVES IN ARMENIA

The objectives of the Focus Group are as follows:

- To discuss the current forms of WBL and situation with regard to the financial and non-financial incentives for WBL in Armenian VET system,
- To tackle the employers motivation regarding the financial and non-financial incentives for encouraging the employers' involvement of WBL,
- To reach a consensus on recommendations for the policy makers for further development of the financial and non-financial incentives towards WBL expansion in Armenia.

# PROMOTING PARTNERSHIPS FOR EFFECTIVE WORK-BASED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES IN VET PROJECT

1. Developed capacities of VET providers and employers in Syunik and Lori marzes (regions) to establish effective partnership, design and pilot the WBL element in VET for two agricultural occupations: Veterinarian and Milk Technologist.
2. The short-term courses in the field of Cheese and Dairy production technology with a strong work-based learning element designed, piloted and provided to youth and adults in target marzes.
3. The accepted pilot model of WBL for further replication in other VET institutions and regions of RA by Ministry of Education, Science, Culture and Sport.

Thank you for your attention!

Any questions?

