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## ISO CONSTRUCT meeting in Kerpen

Within the European construction sector, which is playing an important role in the EU economy and is defined by mainly low skilled and unskilled workers, the project ISO CONSTRUCT is aiming at providing low skilled or unskilled workers in the construction sector with an approach for certification of their personal professional skills and competences (mainly acquired through on the job training and other non-formal or informal ways) on the basis of the worldwide recognised approach of the norm

ISO 17024:2003.

The May 29th and 30th all partners met in Kerpen (Germany) to monitor the project advances.

The host partner was the Training Institute of the Federation of Construction Industry in North Rhine-Westphalia (BFW-NRW), organization that supports construction firms regarding vocational and advanced education. The federation maintains three vocational training centers in Kerpen, Essen and Hamm. The employees of these three centers are responsible to manage

and organize advanced and vocational trainings, and occupational health workshops.

The management of dual studies and the application and execution of European as well as national projects are also parts of the Training Institute.

The key activities developed in VET-Center Kerpen are also pipeline and sewer constructions, road works, bricklayer trainings, concrete worker trainings as well as intercultural trainings.



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### 1st national project Round Table in Slovenia

On April 2nd, the first ISO CONSTRUCT round table was organized in Slovenia as an expert briefing before the meeting of the negotiators for a new collective agreement for the construction industry.

On the event stakeholders presented an overview of the situation in secondary vocational and technical schools (enrollment, curriculum reform, review of educational programs and NVQ's, trends...). This was followed by a detailed view statistics from the

labour market (employed, unemployed employees, trends, expectations, forecasts, labour demand). On the event also international sectoral activities GZS ZGIGM were presented, which are through this European project.

The round table event continued with discussion of presented topics.

Stakeholder promised to take into consideration ISO CONSTRUCT activities and results and promised to promote this project form their side.

### Upcoming Events

The next Project Meeting will be held in Bilbao (Spain), the 20th – 21st January 2015. By that time, the certification scheme will be developed and the pilot experience will be planned in the different participant countries.

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