

HARNESSING THE POWER OF EUROPASS FOR CAREER COUNSELORS

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THE EUROPASS PLATFORM PLAYS A CRUCIAL ROLE IN CAREER COUNSELING BY PROVIDING CAREER COUNSELORS WITH VALUABLE RESOURCES AND TOOLS TO SUPPORT INDIVIDUALS IN THEIR CAREER DEVELOPMENT JOURNEY.

Standardized Framework ■

Identification ■

Credential Transparency ■



Recognition of International Experiences

Lifelong Learning Support



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STANDARDIZED FRAMEWORK

The standardized framework provided by Europass for career counselors revolves around guiding individuals in creating their Europass CVs.

Europass offers specific templates and structures that career counselors can use as a foundation for assisting their clients/students in preparing their CVs.

- ◆ Structured Sections
- ◆ Clear Guidelines
- ◆ Standardized Categories
- ◆ Personalization and Customization
- ◆ Emphasis on Skills



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Europass offers specific templates

Structured Sections

Personal information, education and training, work experience, skills, and other relevant information.

Clear Guidelines

Clear guidelines and instructions for each section of the CV, helping career counselors explain the purpose and content required for effective self-presentation.

Standardized Categories

Capture essential information, making it easier to quickly locate and evaluate specific aspects of an individual's profile.

Emphasis on Skills

Can help individuals identify their relevant skills, choose appropriate skill descriptors, and effectively present their competencies.

Personalization and Customization

Can guide individuals in tailoring their Europass CVs to highlight their unique strengths, experiences, and qualifications.



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IDENTIFICATION

Career counselors can use Europass to help clients/students to identify their strengths, pinpoint areas for improvement, and align their skills with specific career paths or job requirements.

Europass Library

A valuable resource for career counselors in their counseling practices where they can give advice according to the clients/students needs.

Highlight areas for improvement

Through discussions and self-reflection, career counselors can guide clients in assessing their current skill set and competencies.

Align Skills with Career Paths

Career counselors can guide clients in analyzing the skills and competencies demanded by their desired careers.



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CREDENTIAL TRANSPARENCY

◆ Europass provides clear and easily understandable information about an individual's qualifications, skills, and credentials.

◆ Europass Certificate Supplements provide detailed information about vocational qualifications and training courses.



Europass & Credentials in the Republic of North Macedonia



Question:

How Poland uses
Europass for
credential
transparency?



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RECOGNITION OF INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCES

Increased Visibility and Legitimacy

Career counselors can guide clients in creating Europass documents that showcase their international experiences in a clear and professional manner.

Global Career Opportunities

Career counselors can help clients articulate the value of their international experiences, highlighting the skills, adaptability, cultural awareness, and global perspectives gained during their time abroad.



EURES helps and supports jobseekers to find jobs and employers to find suitable candidates across Europe.

- Matching job vacancies and CVs on the EURES portal
- Information, guidance and other support services for workers and employers;
- Information about living and working conditions in EURES countries;
- Specific support services for frontier workers and employers in cross-border regions;



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**GOOD
PRACTICES**

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**INTEGRATION INTO
EDUCATION SYSTEM**

EVENTS

**AWARENESS
CAMPAIGNS**

**EUROPASS/EUROGUIDANCE
AMBASSADORS**

**NATIONAL
EP/EG WEBSITES & NETWORKS**



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Центар за стручно
образование и обука



COOPERATION AGREEMENT WITH THE VET CENTER

EUROPASS CERTIFICATE SUPPLEMENT IN VET SCHOOLS



Phase 1 Official state
qualifications
from VET skills.

Activity plan
with the VET
center.

Phase 2 Print-ready
documents with
all qualifications
in word
document in
English,
Macedonian
and Albanian.

Phase 3 Promotion
throughout VET
schools in North
Macedonia.



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NA MOBILITY ACCREDITATION

SKILLS
ACCREDITED!

1

Erasmus+ project mobility

2

Request for a Europass
Mobility Document

3

Issuing codes according to the
project reference number

Logo of the National Agency for European Educational Programmes and Mobility (NA) and the Europass logo.

Република Северна Македонија

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Список на учесници за проектот со референтен број:
Институција/ организација:]
Дата: НЕ ПОПОЛНУВАТЕ ВИЕ

Реден број	Име и презиме на учесник	Број за „EUROPASS MOBILITY CERTIFICATE“ <u>НЕ ПОПОЛНУВАТЕ ВИЕ</u>
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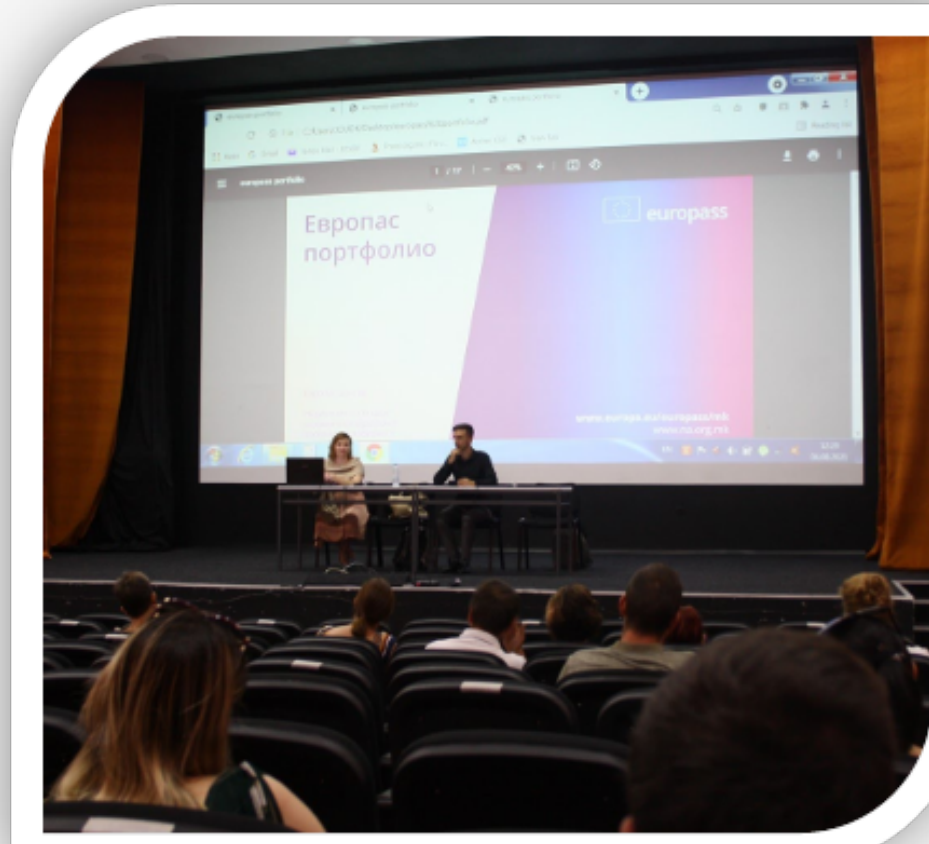
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EVENTS



Zoom Webinar - 13.10.2022 - 11:00 (Skopje time)

Career guidance/counseling for people with disabilities

Good practices

LINK IN DESCRIPTION

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ЗАПОЧНУВАМЕ НАСКОРО!
ПРИЈАВУВАЊЕТО Е ОТВОРЕНО ДО 12:00

ZOOM Работилница
Претставете ги вашите вештини со Европас
14.10.2022 - 14:00

ПРИЈАВИ СЕ
ЛИНК ВО ТЕКСТОТ



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AWARENESS CAMPAIGNS

EUROPEAN YEAR OF SKILLS

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING FIRST CHOICE

ACTIVITY MAP

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North Macedonia

NATIONAL VET TEAM

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Европас ми помогна при вработување и при аплицирање за проекти во и надвор од Македонија.

Вероника Жековска

МАРТИНА ДИМОСКА
ПРВАТА МАКЕДОНСКА АНАЛОГНА АСТРОНАУТКА

11.02.2023
МЕЃУНАРОДЕН ДЕН НА ЖЕНИТЕ И ДЕВОЈКИТЕ ВО НАУКАТА.

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Вие рековте.....

НАСКОРО!

„Темплејтите“ за Европас не се многу

Ние реагиравме.....

Повеќе „темплејти“ и структури на документите.

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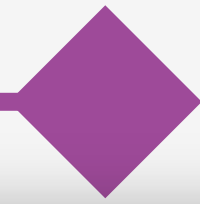
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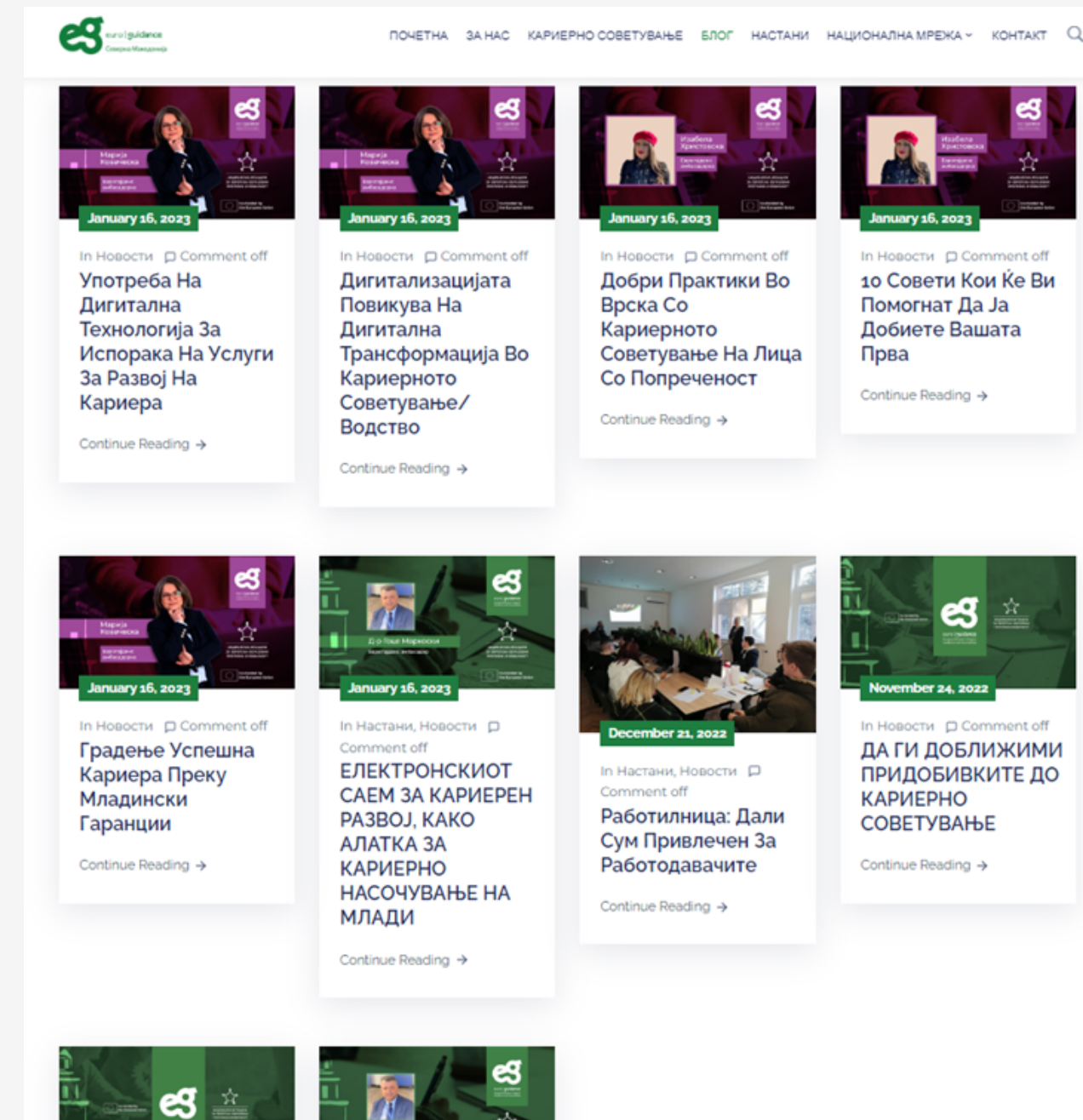
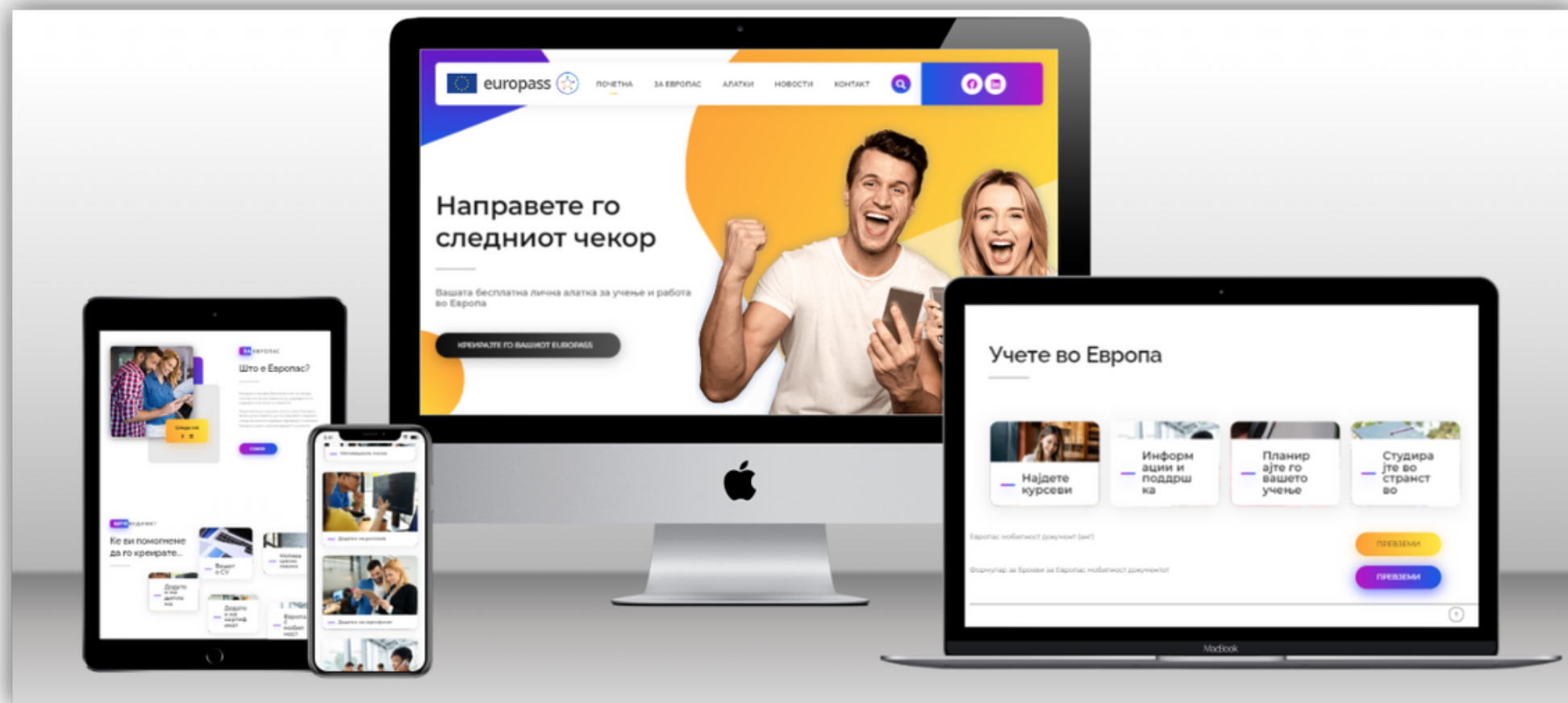


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NATIONAL IMPACT



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More than 500 new profiles per month.

Part of the educational reforms in the country.

The gained skills from Erasmus+ are certified.

75
CAREER CENTERS

52
in high schools (mostly VET),
financed by USAID project in 2015

23
in higher education institutions /
universities since 2017



**COOPERATION
ABOUT SUPPORT
FOR MORE CC
AND TRAININGS**

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**NORTH MACEDONIA IN THE
FIRST 8 PLACES IN TRAFFIC**



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CONCLUSION

With Europass,
Career counselors can guide individuals in:

- **Career Exploration and Goal Setting**
- **Educational and Training Pathways**
- **Documenting their lifelong learning achievements**
- **Validating their skills and competencies**
- **Continuous personal and professional development.**
- **Job Search and Application Strategies**



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THANK YOU!

QUESTIONS?



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