Survey results

TWG2: Mutual recognition of skills and qualifications across EU Member States

Participation

- 26 participants from 13 EU Member States and 1 Associated Country:
  - Austria (AT), Bulgaria (BG), Croatia (HR), Czech Republic (CZ), FYROM Macedonia (MK), Germany (DE), Greece (GR), Ireland (IE), Italy (IT), Latvia (LV), Luxembourg (LU), Netherlands (NL), Portugal (PT), Slovakia (SK);
- 11 want to participate in TWG2, 14 want to contribute via e-mails.

Representation of stakeholders

Employers, incl. organisations of employers: 21%
Education and training providers: 31%
Certification bodies: 41%
Competent authorities: 7%

Regulated professions

Crafts and blue collar (apart installers required by EU law):
- HR, LV
- BG, CZ, SK
- AT, DE, GR, IE (electricians), IT, LU

White collar (apart architects):
- AT, DE, GR, IE, IT, PT
- NL

No regulated:
- MK

**Scope of mutual recognition - level of professionals**

- Crafts, blue collar: 47%
- Middle level professions: 53%
- Senior level professions: 21%
- Other: 23%

**Scope - regulated vs. not regulated**

- European level of regulation - blue collar: 47%
- European level of regulation - white collar: 53%
- National level of regulation - blue collar: 23%
- National level of regulation - white collar: 16%
- No regulation: 16%

**Scope - type of qualification**

- Apprenticeships (secondary level): 35%
- Tertiary qualification: 65%
- Further education and training: 10.5%

**Scope - focus on EE&RES?**

- EE and RES: 35%
- Wider focus: 65%
### Scope - type of recognition

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### Scope - validity

- Public recognition: 44%
- Private recognition: 56%