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Developing the Employability Skills of Displaced Persons

Meath Partnership is delighted to announce the launch of the ONDGO Project in County Meath. This new Erasmus+ project, funded by the Irish National Agency, Léargas will run from October 2017 until September 2018. Over the next two years we will be working with six organisations across Europe from the UK, Italy, Cyprus, Lithuania, Austria and Switzerland to support the economic integration of migrants through the creation of a tailored migrant entrepreneurship training programme.

The aim of ONDGO is to support the economic integration of migrants through the creation of a tailored migrant entrepreneurship training programme with a suite of flexible and adaptable training resources that will help VET trainers achieve their integration objectives and support learning on the go!

Over the next two years, ONDGO will deliver the following five main outputs:

1. Enterprise Learning Curriculum and Resource Toolbox for migrant entrepreneurs
2. A new in-service CPD training programme for VET trainers in the area of migrant entrepreneurship
3. The ONDGO e-learning portal to support learning on the go for both trainers and migrants
4. ONDGO Policy Paper which will examine the experience of the project partners in 7 Member States
5. Case studies profiling how enterprising learning and skills development has assisted migrants and refugees to effectively integrate into host communities and the labour market



We recognise that migrants are an extremely diverse group and we intend to create learning resources that address different motivations, needs, previous experience, age, and/or gender of this target group. The ONDGO Project will work with migrants and refugees interested in completing the Enterprise Learning and Skills Curriculum.

Over the next three months, project partners will undertake a 'training needs analysis' process with nascent and established migrant entrepreneurs to assess existing competence and future learning needs measured against the EU's EntreComp – The Entrepreneurship Competence Framework.

The project will design and develop an in-service training programme for professional frontline workers supporting migrants and VET tutors to build key skills to support their work with this target group.

All of the learning materials and resources developed as part of the project will be available freely online and produced in English, Italian, German, Greek, Lithuanian and Arabic.

For more information on the project, please visit www.learnonthego.eu

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