

Looking for European partners (from primary school to VET schools to higher education) for an Erasmus + /KA2 partnership project/Leonardo on entrepreneurship education.

The Educational Centre Ringkøbing Skjern UCRS (UddannelsesCenter Ringkøbing Skjern) is situated on the west coast of Jutland in Denmark. It is a merger of several public organisations: 3 VET-schools, 2 upper secondary schools (technical and commercial), 1 adult learning centre and 1 consultant department. The educational centre is well known for its ability of collaborating with very different partners and across very different sectors (education, public body, enterprises, trade unions, career guidance and research institutes). Because of our geographical location we are obliged to think in innovative and collaborative directions.

We are planning to submit a KA 2 strategic partnership project/Leonardo on entrepreneurship education. How can we ensure that our entrepreneurship education is coherent, adapted to the needs and challenges of our globalised society and helps our students to become European entrepreneurs? How can we ensure that it motivates both girls and boys and prevents them from dropping out of education? How can we ensure the involvement of our local and regional authorities in entrepreneurship education at local level?

Project activities could be:

- Mapping of teaching approaches in entrepreneurship education in involved schools/institutes in the project
- Needs analysis: how is entrepreneurship education at local level linked to national and European level?
- Development of teaching methods and practices which can meet these needs
- Training activities for pupils and students
- Training activities for teachers
- Recognition of the learning outcomes by implementing European tools

We are looking for highly motivated European partners to join us in this project. It can be public schools at primary school level or VET or HE, research institutes, business centres having an established local network between public institutions, public body and private enterprises. One of these partners can be from peripheral areas.

If you are interested, please contact us at be@ucrs.dk and send us a short presentation of your organization as well as two or three references on your activities.

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