Work-related language learning in Kosovo

Language provision for people who intend to emigrate

DVV International\(^1\) in Prishtina provides German language learning for adults planning to migrate to Germany for work.

Further information

- Council of Europe surveys on member state policy and practice relating to the linguistic integration of adult migrants
- European Web Site on Integration country information sheets
- German government information service (Bundeszentrale für politischen Bildung/bpb) country profiles on migration in Europe and beyond
- CEDEFOP VET in Europe project country reports
- European Migration Network country fact sheets
- Migration Policy Institute
- Global Forum on Migration and Development Migration Profiles Repository

Kosovo profile acknowledgement: Mentor Sahiti (LfW Workshop participant, 2015)

Participants at the Language for Work Workshop held at the ECML in Graz on 24-25 June 2015 were asked to prepare a brief review of policies and practice in their own country/region relevant to work-related language learning for migrant/ethnic minority workers and/or low-literate majority-language speaking workers. Reviews were completed for Cyprus, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Italy (Emilia-Romagna), Kosovo, Macedonia, Malta, Norway, Romania (Bucharest), Sweden.

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\(^1\) DVV International is the Institute for International Cooperation of the German Adult Education Association (Deutscher Volkshochschul-Verband e.V), which is the federal umbrella association for the 16 Länder associations of Germany’s community adult education centres (Volkshochschulen, VHS). DVV and its Institute represent the interests of adult education at the national, European, and international level.

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