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A new impetus for VET

Last week, while the European Commission was presenting its new vision for the future of VET, Mr Hess from the DG Education and Culture was presenting it at our General Assembly in Valencia.

We had the great privilege to have all the details on this text.

The Commission wants to encourage more people to take up vocational education, to improve the quality of the training on offer and to make it easier to move between jobs and countries. EU ministers are expected to discuss and adopt the plan in the second half of this year.

A new impetus for European co-operation

Ensuring access to training and qualifications is flexible and open at all stages of life

Promoting mobility to make it easier to gain experience abroad, or in a different sector of the economy

Ensuring the highest possible quality of education and training

Providing more opportunities for disadvantaged groups such as school drop-outs, the low-skilled and unemployed, people with migrant backgrounds and the disabled

Nurturing creative, innovative and entrepreneurial thinking in students.

For the full press release in all languages, please click here:

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