



Apprenticeship for the Development of Problem Solving and Design Thinking mindset



## About

ADDET is a new approach to support the development of necessary skills and competences for students in vocational education, to promote trainers and to encourage learning cooperations between companies and VET schools in seven countries.

### Goal

The project will develop an apprenticeship model for students in upper secondary and higher VET schools, with the aim to develop their employability and problem solving skills

### DT

Design Thinking makes it possible to overcome traditional and outdated models of thinking, learning and working and to creatively solve complex problems..

### Target

Trainers in VET schools and companies involved in apprenticeship programs and Students in upper secondary and higher VET schools and centres.

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# Tasks and results

The result of the project is an apprenticeship model in which VET students successfully master work processes in the company by using problem-solving skills. They are supported by trainers and teachers. To apply the model sustainably, a partnership between companies and VET schools is necessary.

In order to achieve the desired results we must accomplish the following tasks:

- to implement and to adapt the Design Thinking method for VET students
- to develop a guide for trainers in VET organisations and companies
- to test the overall concept and use the evaluation results for improvements
- to prepare guidelines promoting the formation of partnerships between companies and VET schools

## Partners

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