

# Newsletter 2

## Overview

CoPE ( Communities of Practice in Education) is an Erasmus + project, funded by the EU, which aims at developing, testing and implementing a free sources software, called PraxManager, destined to facilitate the monitoring and evaluation of the students' practical training in VET. The project will be implemented from September 2014 till August 2016.

## Partners

The partners in the project are 6 VET colleges from Romania, Turkey, Denmark, Spain and The Czech Republic, providing education in various fields, including healthcare and 1 silent partner from Switzerland.

These institutions are: FEG Iasi, Izmit Kanuni Anadolu ve Mezleki Lisesi, Aarhus Social and Healthcare College, IES Majada Marcial -Fuerteventura, Joan Marragal Institute- Badalona and Stredni Zdravotnicka Skola A Vyssi Odborna Skola Zdravotnicka Ceske Budejovice and Seed- Lugano.

## Activities

During the project lifetime, the activities to be performed consist of: developing the Prax Manager software, testing it in real contexts, both nationally and transnationally- in blended mobilities, implementing it in daily activities of the partner schools, sharing good practices on the organization of the educational process and especially on the evaluation tools and methods during short staff training events.

## Events

Between September 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> 2015, the project managers, the IT responsables and teachers from the partner institutions met in a transnational event, in Fuerteventura, Spain, to discuss the status of the project and its development.

Between October 19<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>, teachers from the partner schools took part in the second joint short staff training event organised in Ceske Budejovice. Its main objective was to develop the personal and professional skills of the participants, as regards the work with Prax Manager software, to test it and adapt it to national versions. The teachers and the IT responsible from the 5 countries also developed the first guide on how to use PraxManager by the students.



## Coming this autumn:

- 6 Blended mobilities for students from all partner countries



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