

Upskilling Pathways as an opportunity to improve outreach and access

From EU policies to learners

20 November, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm CET

10:00 AM

Welcome from **Gina Ebner**, EAEA

10:10 AM

Presentation of the policy context. **Martina Ní Cheallaigh**, European Commission

10:25 AM

State of the art of the Upskilling Pathways initiative in Portugal. **Alexandra Teixeira**, ANQEP

10:40 - 11:25 AM

Parallel sessions

1. Gallery walk on the advocacy toolkit
 - Benefits of UP, policy messages from the Nordic countries. **Antra Carlsen**, NVL
 - Bringing trainers' perspectives forward. **Camilla Post**, UP-AEPRO course participant
 - Using the power of learners' voices. **Alex Stevenson**, L&W
2. Upskilling Pathways in Portugal: challenges and opportunities for the sector. *(in Portuguese)*



11:25 – 11:40 AM

Away from the screen!

1:40 AM – 12:20 PM

Group discussions on the steps and principles of the UP initiative.

- Skills assessment. With **Fjóla María Lárusdóttir**, ETSC
- Learning offer. With **August Nilsson**, GLOKALA
- Validation and recognition. With **Francisca Borges**, EPATV
- UP principles (outreach, guidance, cooperation). With **Aleksandra Kozyra**, EAEA

12:20 – 12:45 PM

Reporting on the group discussions and debate on what is missing.

Moderated by **Gina Ebner**, EAEA

12:45 – 12:55 PM

How can we promote and strengthen the UP initiative in our countries? **Eyrún Valsdóttir** from the Icelandic Confederation of Labour (ASÍ)

12:55 – 1:00 PM

Closing remarks



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