Invitation to the conference of the SKILLCO project on 10/4/2019

Location : "Confédération Construction", 34-45 Rue du Lombard – 1000 Brussels

Time schedule : 9h30 – 13h00

Working language : English

Dear Madam, dear Sir,

In many Member States, construction companies are facing difficulties in finding workers with the right skills. The stakeholders of the construction sector, in cooperation with training centres, are therefore putting a lot of efforts in identifying the skills needs and in adapting the training schemes accordingly, taking into account, amongst others, the structure of the sector which is mainly composed by SMEs.

Within this framework the project SKILLCO (*"Skills sector alliances for transfer of knowledge and skills of VET workforce in construction"*), co-funded by the ERASMUS+ programme, was launched in 2016 and will run until the end of 2019. The project, covering Germany, Hungary and Slovenia, is led by the employers' organisation GZS (SI) and FIEC (European Construction Industry Federation) is one of the participating partners. Further information about the project can be found on the dedicated website : www.skillco.eu

Several outcomes of the project (learning units, learning materials, mobile app for teachers, pupils, company mentors and workers) related to sectoral literacy and numeracy, occupational safety and health (OSH) and "green" skills are almost finalised and they will be presented and discussed during a conference that will take place on 10th April 2019 in Brussels, to which you are hereby kindly invited. You will find attached herewith the draft agenda of the seminar.

Should you or someone else within your organisation be willing to attend this conference, please fill-in the attached reply form and return it to FIEC (info@fiec.eu) **by Friday 29th March at the latest**. Do not hesitate to forward this invitation to other possible concerned stakeholders.

Best regards,

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