

CIVIC EDUCATION FOR FUTURE SKILLS Parcours for the Future - Conference on Future European labour market and VET challenges

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Hubs in Bonn, Sofia & Zagreb



Enhancing skills & competences of citizens & civic educators to deal with global challenges, such as the security architecture, resource scarcity, climate change, disinformation, threats to democracy, political polarization and social divides.





Defining civic education

We apply a definition of civic education following the wording and recommendation of the Council of Europe.

"Civic education equips citizens with the competences that enable them to actively participate in society. These civic competences are:

- knowledge (i.e., concepts of democracy, institutions, identity, politics) • skills (i.e., communication, discussion culture, thinking critically, problem solving, (self-)
- reflection, awareness of bias and blind-spots)
- democratic values (i.e., valuing human dignity and human rights, equality, transparency, cultural diversity, participation)
- attitudes (i.e., openness to otherness, trust, respect, tolerance, responsibility towards the common good, self-efficacy)."

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media literacy

information literacy

problem-solving

pattern recognition

CIVIC COMPETENCES

digital safety remote collaboration digital content creation information and data literacy

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advocacy and activism leadership and collaboration problem-solving political agency

acting for sustainability envisioning sustainable futures embracing complexity in sustainability embodying sustainability values





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Mapping civic education in Europe

MAP OF CIVIC EDUCATION IN EUROPE



https://mapping.thecivics.eu



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Louisa Slavkova Maja Kurilić

Great expectations

Demands and realities of civic education in Europe



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Key topics

What is your main field of work?

AL	AT	BE	BG	HR	CZ	FI	FR	GR	IT	LT	LU	MT	NL	MK	PL	PT	RO	SK	SI	ES	AVG	Answer
79%	75%	86%	78%	76%	60%	71%	63%	53%	43%	92%	100%		71%	76%	58%	64%	63%	79%	68%	50%	67%	Civic engagement and participation
72%	42%	57%	31%	39%	35%	50%	63%	47%	33%	62%	40%	100%	57%	56%	33%	45%	44%	26%	59%	56%	50%	Social inclusion
26%	39%	57%	19%	17%	60%	57%	25%	47%	43%	8%	80%	100%	57%	64%	33%	27%	31%	42%	18%	25%	42%	Others
56%	33%	57%	31%	37%	35%	43%	25%	40%	23%	31%	40%		43%	40%	25%	18%	25%	42%	55%	44%	35%	Community building
54%	42%	36%	31%	37%	15%	36%	25%	27%	20%	38%	60%		14%	56%	42%	9%	56%	21%	41%	31%	33%	Civil rights
26%	33%	36%	25%	33%	15%	14%	38%	27%	13%	8%	60%		29%	20%	13%	36%	44%	5%	32%	31%	26%	Culture and Arts
33%	28%	7%	17%	28%	25%	43%		20%	17%	23%	40%			24%	25%	64%	31%	5%	32%	25%	23%	Environment and sustainability
41%	25%	21%	31%	13%	5%	14%		33%	17%	46%	20%			44%	13%	36%	19%	11%	23%	25%	21%	Research
23%	6%	7%	19%	17%		7%	38%	27%	3%	15%	40%		29%	12%	8%	45%	19%	11%	32%	19%	18%	(Social) Entrepreneurship
15%	11%	7%	17%	13%	20%	21%	63%	13%	17%	15%	20%		14%	12%	8%	18%	31%	16%	23%	19%	18%	International development cooperation
33%	3%	21%	6%	11%	5%		63%	27%		15%				28%	4%	18%	19%	11%	32%	44%	16%	Employability
21%	22%	14%	25%	4%	20%	7%		7%	3%	15%	40%		29%		13%	18%	13%	16%	9%	19%	14%	History and remembrance
21%	28%	7%	11%	15%	5%	14%	13%	7%	10%	8%	20%		14%	16%	8%	9%	19%	21%	27%	13%	14%	Media
13%	8%		3%	4%		7%		20%	7%					12%	4%	27%	6%		14%	19%	7%	Health care
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Q10 - What is your main field of work?

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Gap between education and the world of work

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Preparation for the labour market

three-way process

Developing Specific vocational competences and expertise

Developing transversal competences

Career guidance activities



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