

14 April	Wednesday 15 April	Thursday 16 April	Friday 17 April
	<p><b>09:00 Opening, welcome and course aims</b> Gabriela Portela, ETUI Martin Romer, ETUCE</p> <p><b>09.30 Teachers' unions for VET and Apprenticeship</b> <i>Presentation by Agnes Roman, ETUCE</i> <b>10.00 Questions and debate in plenary</b></p> <p><b>10.15 Coffee break</b></p> <p><b>10.45 Professional development of trainers in VET and Council conclusion on Teacher Education</b> <i>Presentation by Maria Todorova, European Commission</i> <b>11.45 Questions and debate in plenary</b></p>	<p><b>09:00 Introduction of the 2<sup>nd</sup> day</b></p> <p><b>09.10 - European Commission priorities in VET and European Alliance for Apprenticeship – ministries and businesses' involvement</b> <i>Presentation by Sigve Bjorstad, European Commission</i> <b>10.00 Questions and debate in plenary</b></p> <p><b>10.30 Coffee break</b></p> <p><b>11.00 The Spanish VET system – Nestle apprenticeship system</b> <i>Presentation by Luis Miguel García Rodríguez, Nestle HR manager</i> <i>Bart Vandewaetere, Nestle Head of Relations with European Institutions</i> <b>12.00 Questions and debate in plenary</b></p>	<p><b>09:00 Introduction of the 3<sup>rd</sup> day</b></p> <p><b>09:05 Improving Competences of VET Teachers and Trainers by implementing the European Alliance for Apprenticeship</b> <b>Panel debate on trade union actions:</b> - AoB, Netherlands: <i>Jetske van Woerden</i> - SINDEP, Portugal: <i>Conceição Nunes</i> - NASUWT, UK <b>10.10 Questions and debate in plenary</b></p> <p><b>10.30 Coffee break</b></p> <p><b>11.00 Evaluation of the company visit</b> <b>Panel debate:</b> - <b>From food-industry perspective:</b> Estelle Brentnall, EFFAT - <b>From European Commission's perspective:</b> Maria Todorova, European Commission - <b>From Spanish teachers' and trainers' perspective:</b> Sonsoles Rodondo/Patrizio Perez, Feccoo, Spain <b>12.00 Questions and debate in plenary</b></p> <p><b>12.20 Conclusions and closure</b></p>
	<b>12:30</b> Lunch	<b>12:30</b> Lunch	<b>12:30</b> Lunch
A R R I V A L Dinner	<p><b>14.00 Working Group sessions – 1. EN, 2. FR, 3. Mixed</b> - Challenges in the VET sector on apprenticeship for teachers and trainers - Improving teachers, trainers, mentors and coaches' competences – challenges and way forward - Cooperation with national actors: improving social dialogue with ministries, joint actions with companies, schools, parents, other unions <b>16.00 Coffee break</b> <b>16.30 Report from working groups</b> <b>17.30 End of day</b></p>	<p><b>14:00 Departure by bus to visit a company in Girona:</b></p> <p><b>Aim of the visit to get an inside view into:</b> - The role of companies to improve apprenticeship - Preparation of teachers / trainers/mentors to receive increased numbers of apprentices - What is the benefit for the VET-system, schools, companies and apprentices from this company initiative?</p>	D E P A R T U R E
	<b>19:00 Dinner – in the hotel</b>	<b>19:00 Dinner in restaurant – access directly from the company visits by bus</b>	