



# From VET to WOW 3

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#### Newsletter 3 - Gran Canaria - Spain partnership meeting

**Welcome to the third newsletter from VET to WOW.**

This project aims to improve and develop the cooperation between VET (Vocational Education and Training organisations) and the WOW (world of Work).

The partners objectives are: to know new models of cooperation, new method for a more efficient transition from VET to WOW, to share good practices and promote collaboration between schools, employers and local authorities.

These aims will be reach through:

- Exchange the experiences about new models of cooperation.
- Share examples of competitions between schools good practices.
- Develop a plan for cooperation between VET to WOW.

If you are interested check this link <http://vet-wow.inncrea.eu/>



## CONFERENCES. GOOD PRACTICES

During the "From VET to WOW" meeting in Gran Canaria - Spain, we organised some conferences with invited speakers related to Spanish Education and we visited different schools.

They showed us different ways of doing things. Some good examples of good practices.

All these activities took place in different places: Teror Culture House, IES Teror, IES Bañaderos Cipriano Acosta and Santa Brígida Hotel School.

After each presentation there were interesting discussions and all participants shared inspiring ideas. The most important how to motivate students to go on studying and make they get the right vocational skills.

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### Maria Francuz

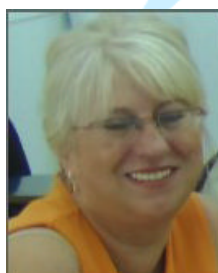
Project coordinator of "From VET to WOW"

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She presented the project objectives

And work done

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### Manuel Pérez Pérez

IES Teror Head Master

Spanish Education System

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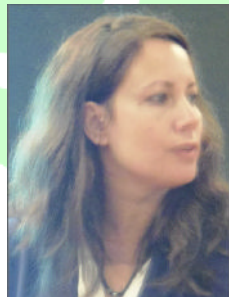




## Mónica Càrdenes

Vocational studies coordinator

On the job learning



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Professor at Gran Canaria University

Dual vocational studies



## Cristina Miranda



## Isabel Gutierrez

IES Teror teacher

Vocational studies: distance learning



After the speakings the partners had a walk around the town. A student from IES Teror explained them some curiosities, historical facts...

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They visited IES Teror. Some students guided them and answered their questions.





After lunch, all partners visited Santa Brigida Hotel School. There, they were showed all the facilities of the hotel and the director explained them how the hotel works.

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As well, some teachers of the I.E.S Politécnico Las Palmas presented a very interesting interdisciplinary project carried out by different schools:

- I.E.S Politécnico Las Palmas.
- EASD Gran Canaria.
- I.E.S Pérez Galdós.
- Conservatory of Music LPGC

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They work together to create an Opera that is performed at the Pérez Galdós theatre once a year.



## THE PARTNERS MEETING

The partners met on 28th and 29th May in Gran Canaria, Spain.

Host of the meeting were the Spanish partner I.E.S Teror ([www.iesteror.com](http://www.iesteror.com)).

The first meeting on the 28th took place in Teror Culture House.



The meeting started talking about the interim report. Maria Francuz remembered all the partners the necessity of beginning working on it .

The second point was the competition progress in each country.





All the competitions have been launched. All partners are waiting for participants and working on different items as evaluating forms, members of the Jury, advertising activities, ceremony award...

The second day meeting was hold at C.E.P (teachers center in Las Palmas).

We have a short chat about the day before and the the next steps we have to take. The next meeting in Poland will be the 20th 21st of November. We have to decided the Closing Conferencies dates.

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Identify new methods and good practices in cooperation between schools and the world of work.

The guide of good practices collected by partners will be useful examples that can help and inspire schools to undertake actions which will improve the cooperation.

We talked about how to develop a plan for cooperation between VET and WOW.

How important networking (Facebook, Twitter, and different webs...) is to disseminate our ideas.

After the meeting we had a very interesting guided tour around the C.E.P.

Finally the partners went to I.E.S Bañaderos Cipriano Acosta where its head master Jose Ramón Bethencourt welcomed and showed them the school and the new restaurant that morning had been opened.





## MEETING IN GRAN CANARIA

Gran Canaria welcomed all partners with a strange and dissapointed weather. It was cold and rainy, something unexpected.

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For lunch the first day we went to San Mateo, one of the most greeny and beautiful villages in Gran Canaria. We had typical food in La Raiz del Verol, a very lovely and nice restaurant.

The dinner in Las Canteras avenue was really pleasant. Here we can find one of the most spectacular city beaches of the archipelago. We tasted different fish from the island and other delicious local food.

## NEXT MEETING

The next meeting in the From VET to WOW project will take place in Poland.

In this meeting we will identify new methods and good practices in cooperation between schools and the world of work.



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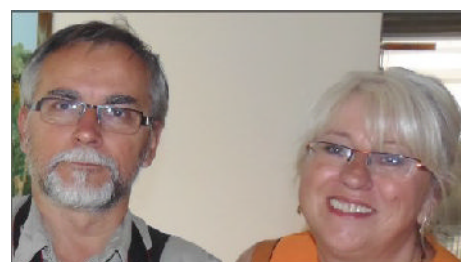
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