GOOD PRACTICES- THE NETHERLANDS

• Case: Regional Training Center ROC Ter AA / Helmond- the Netherlands

Leonardo da Vinci Learning Partnership "From VET to WOW" no. 2013-1-PL1-LEO04-38669



About ROC Ter AA

3000 students in Regular Vocational Education 1100 students in Company Training Courses, supported by 400 employees

7 Colleges:

- -Business
- -Services
- -Education & Childcare
- -Healthcare
- -Build & Design
- -ICT-Technics & Technology

ICT (the winner college)

- 530 students
- connected to a network of 280 companies
- Several big international companies like Philips and Daf.

Recalibrating the Lessons Constantly

• 4 times a year inviting the companies for a platform meeting, and adjusting the lessons to the (future) needs of the WOW

Preparing the students for the WOW

- Simulation Projects are preparing the students for the real working environment.
- Stage Possibilities in abroad like Spain, Germany, England, France and Poland.
- For example: Maarten van den Heuvel had an internship as a teacher in Tomaszow Maszowiecki (Poland).

Bringing the students in contact with the WOW

• 5 times a year companies gather at a marketplace (school yard) where the students can shop for information and possibilities.

Student monitoring

• Student monitoring system by mentor and study career coach





Preparing students to internship period

- 8 weeks before practice lessons.
- learning to write CV & motivation letter

Guidance of students in internship period

- Teacher/ mentor for internship period
- Every 4 weeks internships





Low percentage of early school leaving

- Good guidence
- 80% goes to hbo (higher level of education)
- Job warranty



The school has the criteria for internship/work place?

- •Internship place is chosen by a school according to certain national criteria
- Accreditation for BPV (beroepspraktijkorming)

Thank you



This project has been funded with support from the European Commission.

This publication [communication] reflects the views only of the author, and the Commission cannot be held responsible for any use which may be made of the information contained therein.