Project no. 2-1.2-2 "European-Jobguide Romania-Bulgaria"

## **EXPECTED RESULTS**

## INITIATION OF CROSS-BORDER NETWORKS AND EXCHANGE OF PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE

With the aid of thematic workshops and symposia under participation of experts in social policy and education on both sides of the border a close cooperation of regional (educational) institutions on the cross-border labour market is attained. Moreover interactive networks will tend to develop face-to-face contacts and a better understanding for the function of labour market institutions in the neighboring country. Thus, the development of concerted cross-border labour market strategies e.g. further trainings for unskilled workers or the necessity for new kinds of vocational trainings according to economical needs.

## TRANSPARENCY OF INFORMATION ONE-STOP, WELL DIRECTED CANALISATION OF REQUESTS AND THUS RELIEF OF AUTHORITIES.

Availability and detailed processing of approximately 100 occupations/ trainings inquired most at the cross-border labour market (agriculture, metal-electronics industry, social and public health, tourism etc.) ensure practical relevance of information for all user groups. Multilingual contents (Bulgarian, Romanian, German and English) enable users to access information individually and in case of resuming questions contact suitable institutions. Thus, authorities within the common border area are relieved and receive even concrete assistance in cross-border placement.

The project is not in competition with national and regional information portals. Those are even to be integrated (by links), e.g. regional apprenticeships, job engines and business portals.

## ▶ REDUCTION OF UNEMPLOYMENT RATES AND INCREASE OF CROSS-BORDER WORKERS MOBILITY

The project contributes to an ease of cross-border workers mobility offering cross-border comparability of job profiles/trainings and conditions amended by appropriate information on recognition of foreign diplomas and trainings. Due to the possibility information can be used by several target groups e.g. mobile school leavers and apprentices, employers, labour market authorities the project contributes to a better matching of labour demand and supply and thus also fighting unemployment.