Thematic perspectives on mobility in apprenticeships

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Thematic perspectives (2019)

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1. How the articles fit in DLE apprenticeship work

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Country support

7 Thematic Country Reviews (TCRs) on Apprenticeships and 2 flash TCRs

Policy learning among countries (2 policy fora) and extended community of practice

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EU-wide information bases

Cedefop European Database of Apprenticeship Schemes

Cedefop database on financing of apprenticeships

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Knowledge generation (studies, articles, conferences…)

Cross-nation overview of apprenticeship schemes

Financing of apprenticeship schemes

Apprenticeships for adults

Long-term cross-country mobility of apprentices: study and **articles** (2019-2020)

2. Background and the study in 2019

- Policy relevance (see ReferNet work-programme)
- Cedefop intends to identify and formulate the necessary conditions and actions favouring long-term cross-country mobility of apprentices
- New study in 2019
  - Theoretical framework + estimation of policy demand
  - Field work: country level (6 countries) + project level (3 cases)
  - Guiding paper that could be used a) to reform apprenticeship schemes or systems (make them readier for mobility) and b) to design mobility projects for apprentices

3. Details about the articles

- **Aim**: to analyse the level/structural, real or potential enablers and disablers for short-term and long-term mobility in apprenticeships → to complement information of the study's field work → and inform guiding paper
- **Scope**: international mobility of apprentices, preferably long-term mobility and in mainstream apprenticeship schemes (but if information on this is not available, also short-term mobility and pilot projects)
- **Stance**: analytical
- **Coverage**: EU28 + Iceland and Norway
- **Method**: desk research and analysis. Cedefop encourages ReferNet to collaborate with the members of Cedefop network of apprenticeship experts, who have specific, in-depth knowledge of apprenticeships in their country
- **Check and validation**: by the national representative for ReferNet

4. Timing

- Cedefop guidelines to ReferNet, March 2019
- Deadline for articles (validated), July 2019
- First round of clarifications with authors by December 2019
- Publication in Thematic Perspectives in 2020