



Regulations of the VETWORc Network

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CHAPTER I: NAME, NATURE, AND PURPOSE

Article 1. Definition and Nature

The VETWORc Network is a European educational cooperation network in the field of Vocational Education and Training (VET). Its members share Remote Control Workshops (RC-Workshop) with the aim of raising the quality of VET e-learning and blended learning, promoting access to quality equipment, especially for youth and individuals at risk of social exclusion.

The Network is founded on the principles of reciprocity, trust, and solidarity, where each member contributes one Remote Control Workshop and, in return, gains access to all Workshops within the Network.

Article 2. Scope of Application

The Network is open to educational organizations, companies, research institutions, chambers of commerce, and entrepreneurial associations legally recognized and operating in the field of VET.

Article 3. Objectives

The main objectives of the Network are:

1. To improve the quality, efficiency, and accessibility of Vocational Education and Training.
2. To share high-cost technical equipment and resources (RC-Workshops), enabling centers to gain access to more technology than is available in their own facilities.
3. To boost digital and technical competencies among VET students.
4. To foster educational innovation and the development of projects financed by regional, national, or European bodies.
5. To develop and apply the common didactic methodology for the use of remote workshops.



CHAPTER II: THE REMOTE CONTROL WORKSHOP (RC-WORKSHOP)

Article 4. Commitment to Reciprocity

Adherence to the Network implies the irrevocable commitment of each member to actively provide, maintain, and share at least one operational Remote Control Workshop (RC-Workshop) with the other members of the Network.

Article 5. Technical and Operational Standards

All RC-Workshops and their associated infrastructure must comply with the minimum standards defined in the documents generated by the VETWORc project:

1. Manual for the Design of Remote Workshops: Defines the technical requirements, physical location conditions, and minimum equipment.
2. Manual of Requirements for ICT Managers: Defines security protocols, connectivity (VPN, firewalls), and practical guidelines for remote access. Non-compliance with these standards will affect the rights of use within the Network.

Article 6. Intellectual Property and Licensing

Methodology and Didactic Content: The Network's didactic methodology, training materials, and any jointly developed educational resources shall be the shared intellectual property of the founding partners. These materials shall be released under a license requiring Attribution, Non-Commercial Use, and No Derivative Works (CC BY-NC-ND), permitting their use and distribution for exclusively educational purposes.

Technical Platform: The web application and computer infrastructure developed for the management and control of the workshops shall maintain a licensing model that guarantees long-term access and operability for all Network members.

CHAPTER III: NETWORK MEMBERS

Article 7. Types of Members

The following types of members are established:

1. Founding Members: Those participating in the act of the Network's constitution.
2. Adhering Members: Organizations that join after the Network's constitution, meeting the admission criteria.

Article 8. Admitting Adhering Members

The adherence of new members shall require:

1. A formal written application addressed to the Coordinating Body.
2. Review and approval by the Coordinating Body.
3. A written commitment to install and maintain an operational RC-Workshop that complies with the Technical and Operational Standards (Article 5).
4. The signing of an Adhesion Agreement that endorses and obligates the fulfillment of the general provisions, duties, and aims of the Network.

Article 9 . Rights of Members

Members have the right to:

1. Use the Network's Remote Control Workshops for educational purposes.
2. Participate in the Network's activities.
3. Be informed about the composition of the Coordinating Body and the development of the Network's activities.
4. Be heard by the Coordinating Body before decisions affecting them are made.

Article 10. Duties of Members

Members are obliged to:





1. Maintain their Remote Control Workshop active, operational, and ready for use by the other Network members.
2. Designate an RC-Workshop Manager and an ICT Manager for coordination with the Coordinating Body.
3. Collaborate actively in achieving the Network's objectives.
4. Comply with the established sustainability fee (if applicable).
5. Abide by the rules of use, including the equipment and practice reservation system.
6. Maintain civil liability and/or accident insurance covering risks derived from the use of their RC-Workshop by third parties (including other Network members and their students).



CHAPTER IV: GOVERNING AND REPRESENTATION BODY

Article 11. The Coordinating Body

The Coordinating Body is the sole governing, administration, and representation body of the Network. This authority rests with the figure of the VETWORc Project Coordinator.

Article 12. Functions of the Coordinating Body

The exclusive functions of the Coordinating Body are:

1. To represent the Network before third parties and funding bodies (Erasmus+).
2. To approve the annual plan of activities and the annual report.
3. To appoint and revoke operational or technical managers.
4. To approve the admission of new members and apply potential disciplinary sanctions.
5. To define the sustainability fees (Article 9) and the Network's annual budget.
6. To execute and ensure the fulfillment of the Network's agreements and objectives.
7. To propose amendments to these regulations