



VESBE e.V., the Association for European Social Work, Education and Training was founded in 1999 as a private initiative and has many years of experience in both vocational and educational training, as well as in the support and integration of marginalised young people and job-seekers. As a non-profit organisation with seven training locations in Germany, it provides vocational education and training courses to people wishing to improve their opportunities on the labour market. To this end, VESBE develops innovative concepts which deal with the structural conditions of the job and vocational training markets, and with the special conditions individuals, both young and old, bring with them.

## **The European Association for Social Work, Education and Training (VESBE e.V.): Engaged in Vocational Education and Training on European and international level**

### **Tasks of VESBE**

VESBE e.V. provides vocational training and programmes in different areas, which focus on practical content. In Germany we offer different programmes like job coaching, preparation courses for apprenticeships, further education, apprenticeships and integrations courses for immigrants and refugees.

As an international vocational education and training provider, VESBE wants to share its experience and the benefits of the German education system, which combines theoretical and practical education. We provide support for local demands in countries through trainings especially in the water sector.

Local demand and a sustainable business model are vital because we want to create a lasting and independent impact with our training activities.

### **Our Approach**

VESBE always brings in the successful German System of Dual Education and combines several elements which build upon the local established training and education approaches.

These tools may contain:

- Train-the-Trainer programmes
- Development of new curriculums
- Didactical training of instructors
- Development of entire modular courses for specific demands and jobs including innovative training techniques like 3D-Models
- Development of tailored modules or courses for corporations, state-owned institutions or other training organizations

This tools are adapted to the local environment and to the local demand.

### **Our Service**

We conduct international projects in the area of vocational training and provide services in the following areas:

- Strengthening of regional VET structures in other countries
- Strengthening of linkages between theoretical and practical contents
- Specific focus on the training of marginalized groups (school drop outs, women, ethnic minorities, migrants)





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- Knowledge transfer
- Consulting
- Training of Trainers
- Adaption and development of curricula
- Investments in other countries and companies (joint ventures)
- Improvement of working environments

## The Impact

The focus of our training activities is to have action-based and practical training leading to „industry-ready“ and employable participants, who will not only have the necessary skills and theoretical knowledge but also the abilities of process understanding and creating new opportunities for themselves and their employers. Our goal is to create added value for employees who can seek better jobs and for employers who can optimize their business activities through increased efficiency and quality.

## International Projects at VESBE e.V.

**TAMEB** (in cooperation with Pscherer gGmbH and SuS Vest GmbH): Training of refugees in the sectors of construction, welding and machine operation in Istanbul and Mersin, Turkey (2016-2019).

## The Partners

VESBE cooperates with a wide range of stakeholders and is always seeking new opportunities for collaborations and cooperations. In India VESBE founded its own training academy in 2015 (Indo-German Competence Academy Pvt. Ltd.), focused on vocational training in water management. In future, additional professions will be added.

**Erasmus+:** Different project participations in the areas of vocational training and migration.

**BIBS** (in cooperation with Institute of Human Factors and Technology Management (IAT/IAO), Institute for Sanitary Engineering, Water Quality and Solid Waste Management of University Stuttgart and All India Shri Shivaji Memorial Society Industrial Training Institute (AISSMS ITI)): Provision of training courses in the areas of water management and water purification, the profession of laboratory technician, as well as basic courses in the areas of mathematics, chemistry and physics in India (2013-2017).

**Sanitary Napkins** (in cooperation with local women entrepreneurs): Construction of a production facility for sanitary napkins (2016-2017).

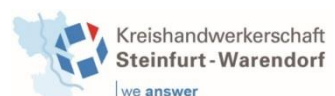
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