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Workplace training: successful iniatives

Session 2/3 of "Skills and talents for SME growth – the potential of workplace trainings"

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What is a mini webinar series?



How to bring skills to

"Skills and talents for SME growth – the potential of workplace trainings"

- The "series" are thematically linked short events spread across several weeks.
- However, each session also works as a stand-alone event.
- Each session lasts 30 to 40 minutes.
- All sessions start at 10.30 CET



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Today's speakers

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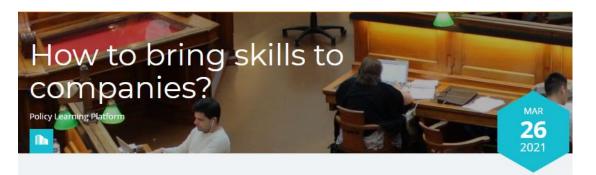
Next week



"Skills and talents for SME growth – the potential of workplace trainings"

A 30-minute discussion with:

- Jacques van Steenbergen from the province of Overijssel, the Netherlands
- Dr. Louise van Weerden, leader of the Export Development Program in Saxon University of Applied Sciences, the Netherlands
- Anita Nagy from Ministry of Finance, Hungary



The Policy Learning Platform is offering you a trilogy of 30-minute webinars on **workplace training** and how it can help regions **retain young talent** and increase **SME competitiveness**.

Join us for the third and final webinar on our **workplace training series** on 26 March from 10:30 to 11:00 CET. We will discuss fruitful collaborations between **universities and SMEs**.

What you can expect

During this **panel session**, we will take take a close look at the **policy changes** driven by **university-SME collaboration** in the Netherlands and Hungary. You will discover **innovative ways** to attract and retain young talent in regions.

The good practice from Overijssel, the Export Development Program, is a good example on how practices like this bring necessary skills, how SMEs can be internationalised via the help of students and how these programmes enable regions to retain young talent.

This good practice was also the **source of inspiration** for the policy change and action plan in **Hajdu-Bihar County**, in Hungary. Therefore, the session will cover **practical elements** related to the **opportunities and challenges** in setting up such programmes. You will have the opportunity to learn more on how Hajdu-Bihar County was able to **replicate this good practice** from the Netherlands.