

Nordic / European Conference

Guidance for low qualified adults in the light of The New Skills Agenda

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- 9:00 Registration and mingling
9.30: Welcome Margrét Sverrisdóttir and Sigrún Kr. Magnúsdóttir
9.35 Opening Svanhildur Kr. Sverrisdóttir
9.45 Short discussions at the tables
- 10:00 **Out of office: career guidance in the workplace:**
How to reach out to low skilled workers? Guidance offers need to get out of the office.
Peter Plant, Professor2, University of South-East Norway/Lillehammer Høgskole
- 10:45 Coffee
- 11:15 **Using ICT in outreach and guidance for low-qualified adults**
Jaana Kettunen, Researcher, Finnish Institute for Educational Research of the University of Jyväskylä
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:00 **Short introduction of EU's New Skills Agenda:** Guaranteeing all adults validation of prior learning **Dóra Stefánsdóttir**, Senior Advisor, Rannís
- 13:20 User testimonial: **Dusanka Kotaras**
- 13.40 EPALE (Electronic Platform for Adult Learning in Europe) as a tool in guidance and for project planning **Reeta Knuuti**, Senior Programme Adviser EPALE
- 14:00 Simultaneous workshops
- ✓ **Workshop 1:** "Work life guidance" toolbox for guidance in the workplace – outreach
Arnheiður Gígja Guðmundsdóttir and Fjóla María Lárusdóttir specialists, Education and Training Service Centre
 - ✓ **Workshop 2:** Kynning á norrænum síðum um ráðgjöf fyrir fullorðna, Arnar Þorsteinsson sérfræðingur, Fræðslumiðstöð atvinnulífsins
 - ✓ **Workshop 3:** Guidance for vulnerable adults (To be confirmed)
 - ✓ **Workshop 4:** Edutainment & Basic skills: Can adults have fun when learning? Dóra Stefánsdóttir, senior advisor Rannís
- (Coffee will be available during the workshops)
- 15:30 Closure of the conference – main messages from the conference.

Moderator: **Guðbjörg Vilhjálmisdóttir** Professor in school and career counselling at the University of Iceland