



ESCO-update

*ESCO MSWG
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1. Publication of ESCO

Publication of ESCO v1 in July 2017

Accessible through the ESCO service platform:

<https://ec.europa.eu/esco/portal/home>

→ 2942 Occupations

→ 13485 Skills/Competences

→ 2414 Qualifications (in progress)

2. The qualifications pillar: state of play

- *Qualifications from Greece and Latvia*
- *Expected before the end of 2017: UK-Scotland, Turkey*
- *Other countries currently developing their databases*

3. Technical support

- *New invitation to apply for a grant just published*
- *Technical support visits and possibility to test datasets according to the schema upon request*

4. Next steps

1. Keep populating the qualifications pillar
2. Explore different methodologies on how to annotate learning outcomes with ESCO skills.
3. Agree with the EQF AG on an approach for inclusion of international and sectoral qualifications in ESCO.