

ESCO V1.1 Launch conference

10 February 2022

Online

- 09:30 Arrival of the participants and testing the connection
- 09:40 Welcoming & introduction by Denis Genton, Head of Unit, DG EMPL E1 Labour mobility, Public Employment Services, ELA.
- 09:50 Keynote by Nicolas Schmit, European Commissioner for Jobs and Social Rights

Thematic block 1: The launch of a new major ESCO version (v1.1): what's in it for ESCO stakeholders?

10:00 What is new in ESCO v1.1?

What are the new concepts introduced in ESCO v1.1 and why is this important? What was the process for updating the classification?

Presentation: ESCO support team

10:30 What changes for existing users of ESCO?

What are the implications for existing ESCO implementers? How can they access the new data? How can they use the versioning system in place?

Presentation: ESCO support team

11:00 **Moderated discussion and Q&A**

Participants have the opportunity to ask all their questions about the new version and the technical changes required to adapt their systems.

Thematic block 2: The use of artificial intelligence in updating ESCO

11:30 Using machine learning to continuously update ESCO
Showcasing how machine learning has been used to update and maintain the classification, including tagging green skills and occupations and why this is important.

Presentation: ESCO data science team

12:00 **Moderated discussion and Q&A**

12:30 Conclusions and closure of the event