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PES Network Newsletter

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Network Highlights



Improving labour market outcomes for persons with disabilities

A new [practitioner toolkit](#) from the PES Network provides practical guidance for how Public Employment Services (PES) across Europe can combat labour market discrimination against persons with disabilities and further their effective participation in the labour market. The accessible toolkit is a key output of the European Commission's new Disability Employment Package - a flagship initiative of the Strategy for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. [See more](#)
[Watch the recording](#) of a recent PES Network webinar overviewing the latest policy and practice for enhancing labour market access. [See more](#)

Behavioural science - a new tool for Public Employment Services?

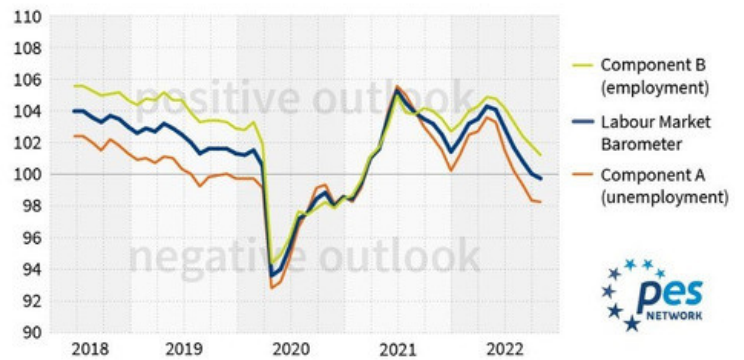
Listen to [episode 13 of PESPod](#) to discover how the Dutch PES has achieved tangible benefits by adapting its services and communication to people's natural 'capacity to act'. [See more](#)

Jointly addressing labour and skills shortages

Public Employment Services are actively building a broad coalition working to address labour and skills shortages in Europe. Discover the results of this collaboration in a recent [PES Network paper](#) looking at how to prepare for Europe's future labour market. [See more](#)

PES moving towards a culture of quality management

A recent [thematic paper](#) by the European PES Network highlights how PES are increasingly devising ways to create 'a culture of quality management', including self-assessment, customer input and feedback, and selecting the right quality management model. [See more](#)



Public Employment Services delivering strength through diversity

Listen to the [latest episode of PESPod](#) to discover how the Brussels region PES in Belgium (Actiris) has been working with employers to improve the diversity of workforces and how this can deliver better results and improve job matching. [See more](#)

European Labour Market Barometer falls for the sixth time in a row

"The European labour markets won't fold, but the only time the prospects have been weaker was at the height of the COVID-19 crisis," says Enzo Weber, head of forecast at the Institute of Employment Research (IAB), about the labour market leading indicator of the European PES Network and the IAB. [See more](#)

Europe's Public Employment Services share lessons on PES visibility and branding

[see more](#)

Other EU News

Commission kick-starts work on the European Year of Skills

Commission adopts its Work Programme for 2023

More transparent and predictable working conditions for workers in the EU

Commission welcomes adoption of Directive on adequate minimum wages

Commission calls on Member States to modernise their minimum income schemes

Solidarity with Ukraine: EU takes new steps to provide certainty and access to employment to beneficiaries of Temporary Protection

EUREStv is now live! Watch the first episodes of the new EU labour mobility series

[see more](#)

New PES Practices

[Outreach and activation of NEETs by use of Mobile Teams](#)

ANOFM - Romania

[Integration of vulnerable groups through workshops](#)

Zavoda RS za zaposlovanje - Slovenia

[More Digital Jobs](#)

IEFP - Portugal

[Digital performance dashboards](#)

VDAB - Belgium

[From mentoring and work experience to employment for young people](#)

ÚPSVAR - Slovakia

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Latest Network Publications

[Jointly addressing labour and skills shortages, preparing for Europe's future labour market \(Stakeholder Conference synthesis paper\)](#)

[Practitioner toolkit on strengthening PES to improve the labour market outcomes of persons with disabilities](#)

[Supporting PES visibility and branding](#)

[Quality Management in PES](#)

[see more](#)

Upcoming Network Events

[1st meeting of Working Group on Digitalisation](#)

9 November 2022

[PES Benchlearning Working Group meeting](#)

15-16 November 2022

[Benchlearning Steering Group meeting](#)

16 November 2022

[1st meeting of Working Group on Integration of displaced people and refugees](#)

22 November 2022

Thematic Learning Dialogue: France – Channel Management

22-23 November 2022

Thematic Learning Dialogue: Estonia – Quality Management

29-30 November 2022

2nd follow-up workshop of the Latvian PES Mutual Assistance Project

7 December 2022

1st meeting of Working Group on Communication

13 December 2022

PES Board meeting, Czech Presidency

15-16 December 2022

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