



Priority 7: Supporting the Pact for Skills


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Joining forces under the Pact



Businesses (large and small), social partners, education and training providers, associations, cluster organisations, national, regional and local authorities, chambers of commerce and employment services, etc..



Upskilling & reskilling of people of working age

The Pact for skills, a platform to mobilise stakeholders

Large scale partnerships

- EU dimension sector-led partnerships with major players along the value chain
- 20 partnerships in all industrial ecosystems

National, regional or local partnerships

- Bring together employers, public authorities, VET providers, social partners
- Building on the work of Centres of Vocational Excellence, Intelligence Cities Challenge, PES, ...

Individual members

- Single organizations can also become Pact members!
- Over 1,500 members from all sectors and member states.
- Stakeholders can commit to provide quality up- and reskilling opportunities.
- Basis for stronger partnerships.

Building blocks

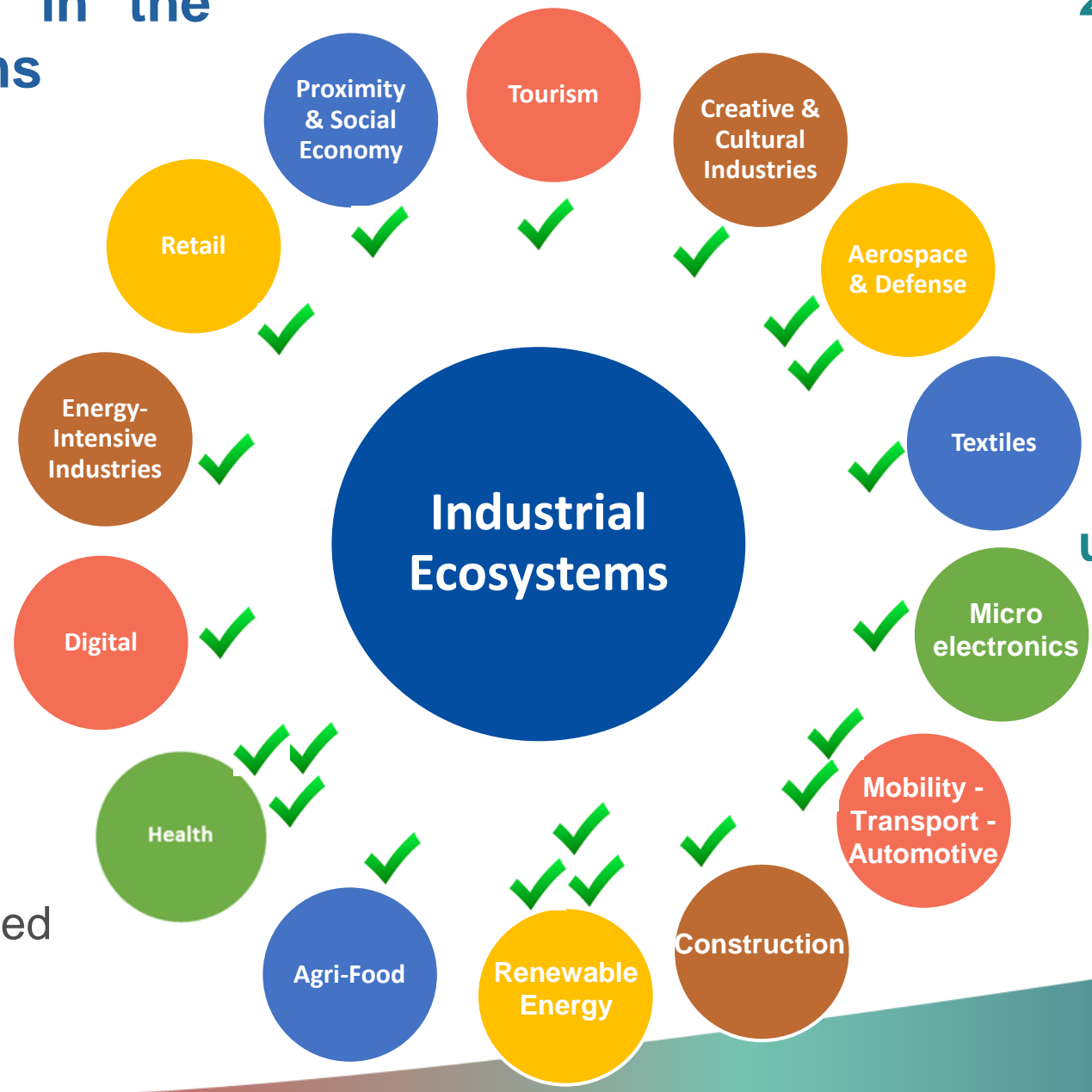
Erasmus+ Sector Skills Alliances Blueprint Projects

Social Partners agreements on upskilling and reskilling

Community of members of the European Alliance for Apprenticeships

The Pact for skills in the Industrial Ecosystems

20 Large Scale Skills Partnerships in 14 key industrial ecosystems.



Together, committed to provide **up- and reskilling for around 10 million people** in the coming years.

✓ = Pact LSP established

Regional partnerships. Key elements

- **Shape? Very open approach:**
 - A single region within a Member State.
 - A territory spanning across Member States (macro-regions, crossborder cooperation...)
 - Network of regions with a shared geographical or economic proximity or relationship
 - At local level (metropolitan areas, grouping of municipalities...)
- **Focus? Bring together a diverse** group of **private and public stakeholders** to take **concrete action.**
 1. Main challenges
 2. Possible actions (commitments)
 3. Key objectives
- **Starting point?** Formulate a **declaration** with:
- **Activities?** Defined by stakeholders. Support helps identify the most impactful. Inspiration from and to others through mutual learning.
- **More info? Start with:** the [open call for Expression of Interest to establish regional skills partnerships](#). Check the [Handbook for new partnerships](#).

Purpose of this priority: Support to regional Pact partnerships

- Support the **governance and cooperation** of Regional Pact Partnerships (those registered as such at the time the call closes).
- Support to **making concrete commitments** to investment in skills development for people of working age

Activities to develop

Projects will **implement all the following activities** to support:

- **Governance** structures connecting members within the regional partnership.
- The definition, implementation, and monitoring of concrete **commitments** of a regional partnership, such as:
 - gathering skills intelligence,
 - upskilling of low-skilled people,
 - reskilling people for new tasks in their jobs or reskilling of people from certain sectors with skills transferable to other sectors.
- **Cooperation** between members of the regional partnership.

Who can apply?

- **Only the registered members** of Regional Pact for Skills Partnerships can apply as coordinators or full partners.
- The applying partnership **must include regional and/or local authorities.**
- Applicants must be established in an EU Member State or third country associated to the Erasmus+ Programme.

Thank you



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