



**Malta Meeting**

10-11 November 2022

# The LS Course in Malta



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## Date, Duration, Format & Promotion

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**Date:** Started mid October 2022

**Duration:** 3 months (October 2022 to January 2023)

**Format:** Blended (mostly online with synchronous and asynchronous sessions)

**Promotion:** Letter circular to all schools with VET subjects; Multiplier event; FB posts; CLeStuM website and through personal contacts

# CPD in Lesson Study for VET



 **LS4VET**



[www.clestum.eu/cpd](http://www.clestum.eu/cpd)

## Lesson Study for Vocational Education and Training eLearning Course

### Aim:

This course, offered by the Faculty of Education through the **LS4VET** project, is intended to give a first hand experience to VET educators so that they can learn about lesson study while they engage in the process.

### Course details:

- 20 hours of professional development sessions
- Blended: mostly online, involving synchronous and asynchronous meetings, and independent learning
- Involves learning about lesson study, the lesson study process and implementing a lesson study
- Course participants will be divided in small groups (school/subject-based)
- Each group will be assigned an eTutor who will support the group throughout the course
- Free of charge
- Certificate of participation will be awarded on successful completion

### Course facilitators:

James Calleja  
Michael Buhagiar  
Michelle Attard Tonna  
Therese Camilleri

### Duration:

Mid-October 2022 to January 2023

### Application form:

Kindly click [here](#) to apply  
Closing date **Friday 7th October 2022**

## Lesson Study for Vocational Education and Training



 **LS4VET**

**Professional development for VET teachers based on:**

- Lesson Study
- Action Research

## Educators' buy-in

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- #1 Open to all VET educators in secondary and post-secondary schools in Malta and interested others, numbers permitting
- #2 Participants divided in small-groups, based on their requests (if any)
- #3 Ongoing support provided by Tutor
- #4 Course is free of charge
- #5 Certificate of participation awarded on successful completion

## The ~~participants~~

- **Applicants:** Total of **36** – mostly teachers (**33**) but including **one** head of department and **two** education officers
- **Groupings:** Participants divided into **7** groups according to subject area and/or school
- **Subjects:** Include food preparation, beverages and services; hospitality; hair & beauty; and IT
- **Tutors:** James, Michael, Michelle & Therese

## Opportunities and challenges

- **Opportunity 1:** Working closely with other VET educators within the same school and across other schools/subjects
- **Opportunity 2:** Learning about lesson study and implement it to gain insights into student learning – a new experience for most
- **Opportunity 3:** Receiving support from tutors as KO in the LS process
- **Challenge 1:** Finding a common slot to meet among themselves and with tutor
- **Challenge 2:** Understanding the link across tasks in Module 1
- **Challenge 3:** Realising and adjusting to initial dropouts (7 registrants)

## Project basics

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**Title:** Teachers' Collaboration through Lesson Study for Improving the Quality of Vocational Education and Training

**Acronym:** LS4VET

**Project ID:** 2020-1-HU01-KA202-078848

**Program:** Erasmus+ KA2

**Project Type:** Strategic Partnership

**Target group:** teachers and trainers working in VET schools

**Secondary target group:** teacher educators and student teachers

**Beneficiaries:** VET students

**Participant countries:** Austria, Hungary, Malta, Netherlands

**Project start:** 1 September 2020

**Project end:** 31 August 2023

## Project coordinator

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