PROJECT FACTSHEET

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Establishing dual-like VET pilots in agriculture and tourism in the Gabala, Ismayilly and Gakh districts



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Azerbaijan

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Implementing organisation(s):
DEUTSCHE GESELLSCHAFT FUR INTERNATIONALE ZUSAMMENARBEIT (GIZ) GMBH

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Project description:
“Establishing dual–like vocational education and training (VET) pilots in agriculture and tourism in Gabala, Ismayilli and Gakh districts” (ED VET) project is co-funded by the European Union and German Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation, and being implemented by Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH with the duration from September 2017 to June 2020. The pilot project aims at increasing attractiveness and labour-market relevance of VET in the fields of agriculture and tourism through implementing German dual-like VET approach.
The overall objective of the project is to foster a transition from a supply-driven to a demand-driven VET. Particularly, this will be achieved through supporting three VET centres in establishing sound and enduring linkages with the private sector, introducing labour-market oriented curricula and practical learning phases, as well as capacities building of educational staff with close cooperation with employers.

Expected results:
- Strategic positioning of 3 VET centres developed;
- Strategic partnerships with the private sector (in dual-like VET) in the 3 VET centres established;
- Competence-based curricula and learning materials for the 3 VET centres in 2 sectors with high labour market relevance developed and tested;
- Demand-led VET training for prospective entrepreneurs and vulnerable groups established;
- Capacities of VET centre management and administrative staff, teachers, master-trainers and private sector instructors improved;
- Communication strategy on quality VET prepared and implemented, lessons learnt identified and disseminated for national/cross-national up-scaling.