

## Support to the establishment of Regional Industrial VET Competence Centre in Ganja

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**EaP countries:**  
Azerbaijan

**EU contribution:** € 1 440 000

**Total budget:** € 1 600 000

**Implementing organisation(s):**  
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### Project description:

The overall objective of the action is to contribute to the modernisation of the vocational education and training system in Azerbaijan, enhancing quality, equality, relevance and access in line with European standards and practices.

The project aims to improve quality of education to increase attractiveness of VET in Ganja city and neighbouring regions, as well as to adjust vocational education to the requirements of the industry.

The project acts in line with the Sustainable Development Goal 4 to "Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all" and primarily focuses on the Target 4.4, "By 2030, substantially increase the number of youth and adults who have relevant skills, including technical and vocational skills, for employment, decent jobs and entrepreneurship".

### Expected results:

- Regional VET Competence Centre will be established;
- Skills and employability of the graduates of VET Competence Centre will be enhanced;
- Partnerships with private sector will be established;
- Mechanism for recognition/validation of prior learning (competences) will be developed and introduced;
- Awareness on best EU practices in VET will be increased.