Think Tank on the digital ecosystem for education

INITIAL BRIEFING AND NEXT STEPS
The Think Tank took place on 11 October 2022 in Brussels.

- There were 36 participants plus 1 observer.

- 31 different organisations took part.

- Organisations came from: Croatia, Finland, Germany, Greece, Italy, Netherlands, Norway, Spain, Sweden and Switzerland. Others operate Europe-wide.

- Organisation types included: European University Alliance members, NRENs, membership associations, quality organisations, shared services for higher education and student organisations.

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What do we mean by interoperability?

- Participants related to this model
- Different organisations operate in different levels
Identifying and analysing challenges

► To encourage full and frank discussion of all the issues, we undertook not to attribute comments to individuals or organisations.
► Participants sorted and prioritised the issues raised.
► We will publish the outcomes as the basis for wider consultation and moving to next steps.
Summary of the day

1. Keynotes to stimulate ideas
   Including comparison with other ecosystems and discussion on defining interoperability.

2. Identifying Challenges
   Different stakeholder perspectives and looking for common vision and values.

3. Analysing Challenges
   Mapping to the learner journey/functional process.

4. Next Steps
   Set up of co-ordination group.
Next Steps

Oct
Inform
Further information gathering from participants

Oct
Inform
Mapping and sharing

Nov
Consult
Further workshop with EDEH, Berlin

Nov
Consult
Consultation on the vision

Nov
Consult
Consultation on a discussion paper

Dec
Share
Publish the discussion paper

Jan
Plan
Develop an action plan

Jan-June
Act
Task groups with specific objectives
Stay informed

1. Contact your local member of the co-ordination group
   Choose the most appropriate contact if you wish to discuss how your organisation
   should be involved. Contact details on page 6 of this briefing

2. Sign up to receive EUNIS news
   All general information and important updates will be publicised via EUNIS weekly newsletter

3. Join the Berlin workshop 23/24 November
   Deadline to apply 24 October.
   For further information contact edeh-support@stifterverband.de
   Application form here: https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/third_EDEH_workshop

4. Register interest in helping with next steps
   Please only contact us direct if you have expertise and time to contribute
   and/or if you are willing to disseminate outputs to aid the consultation.
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