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**TSSTrip**: Tourism Security and Sustainability Training  
Innovations through Academia and Industry Co-operation

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## Project Context

New developments and rapid changes in the tourism industry are resulting in the emergence of new jobs that require strong educational components and new competencies. Workers with low qualifications or lacking the necessary skills are unable to meet these new expectations. Considering this challenge, the project will contribute to developing a long-term strategy for improving the responsiveness of higher education institutions to the industry's rapidly changing needs via the creation of an innovative methodology for providing digital micro-credential courses to ensure necessary up-skilling and re-skilling of individuals to provide high-quality services to customers and to deal with current and future challenges related to the digital and green transformations in the tourism sector, which are vital for its sustainability.

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# TSSTRIP PROJECT

## TSSTrip project

Will develop an experiential learning intervention for building the capacity of higher education students to adopt safe travel service practices and to design solutions for tourism sustainability in everyday and professional activities.

## Target groups

- Higher education students
- Higher education instructors and organizations.
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## Duration

24 months :  
1/09/2023-30/09/2025



## Project outcomes:

- Digital micro-credentials training courses in safety and sustainable tourism
- Digital educational ecosystem and learning activities targeting student, building awareness, green skills and competencies on safe tourism services
- Online training and content support targeting students and educators, facilitating the integration of innovative educational content in tourism education







### Project partners

**Contractor:** Association of Latvian Travel; Agents ( LV)

**Partners:**

- Latvian Cultural college (LV)
- FH Joanneum (AT)
- Burgas Free University (BG)
- Düzce University (TR)

### Current activities :

- Undertaking an international survey for identification of needs for the updating and improvement of the training in tourism in safety and sustainable development aspect
- Project meeting in Graz, Austria
- Development of project website

### More information:

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