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**Study Visit**  
**“Effective school management, e.g. cooperation with local and national  
authorities, inclusion  
practices for minorities etc. in school and VET education”**

Riga, Latvia, October 9-13, 2017

PROGRAMME

**Monday, October 9, 2017**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Content of event</b>
18:00 – 19:00	ASTOR RIGA Hotel,  Z.A.Meierovica blvd. 10, Riga, LV-1050, Latvia	Welcoming address Ice-breaking activities, welcome drink, snacks

**Tuesday, October 10, 2017**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Content of event</b>
9:00 – 9:45	State Education Development Agency, Valnu iela 1, Riga	Introduction to the visit's programme. Erasmus+ programme in Latvia  Introduction to the State Education Development Agency <i>D. Darbiņa, Head of EU Education Programme Department</i>
10:00 - 11:30	Ministry of Education and Science, Valnu iela 2, Riga	“Education policy in Latvia” <i>Senior expert Aļona Babiča Policy Initiative and Development Department of the Ministry of Education and Science</i>  “General Education reforms in Latvia” <i>Guntra Kaufmane, Head of General Education Department, National Center for Education</i>  “VET content reforms in Latvia” <i>R. Gintaute – Marihina, Head of VET Curriculum Unit, National Center for Education</i>  Discussions
11:30 – 12:00		Coffee break
12:00 – 13:00	Ministry of Education and Science,	“UNESCO networks in Latvia for global citizenship and intercultural dialogue”

	Valnu iela 2, Riga	Latvian National Commission for UNESCO <i>Baiba Moļņika, Secretary General</i> <i>Ilze Dalbiņa, Education Programme Director,</i> <i>UNESCO ASPnet Coordinator in Latvia</i>
13:00 – 14:30		Lunch break
15:00 – 17:00	S.Dubnova Riga Jewish Secondary School, Miera iela 62, Riga	Visit to S.Dubnova Riga Jewish Secondary School. <i>Meeting with the head K.Brikmane</i> <i>Meeting with A. Vladova, Deputy head of</i> <i>Education, Culture and Sports Committee, Riga</i> <i>City Council</i>
18:00 – 19:00	Optional tour in the Old Riga	

### Wednesday, October 11, 2017

Time	Venue	Content of event
8:15		Departure to Valmiera
10:30– 12:30	Valmiera State Gymnasium, Leona Paegles iela 40, Valmiera	Visit to Valmiera State Gymnasium. <i>Meeting with the head Mr A.Skrastiņš</i>
12:45– 13:45		Lunch at school
14:00– 16:00	Professional Education Competence Centre “Valmiera Vocational Training Center”, Vadu iela 3, Valmiera	Visit to Professional Education Competence Centre “Valmiera Vocational Training Center” <i>Meeting with deputy head in work-based learning</i> <i>V.Kasjanenko</i>

### Thursday, October 12, 2017

Time	Venue	Content of event
9:15		Departure to “Riga Technical School of Tourism and Creative Industry”
10:00– 12:30	Professional Education Competence Centre “Riga Technical School of Tourism and Creative Industry”, Nīcgaļes iela 26, Rīga	Visit to Professional Education Competence Centre “Riga Technical School of Tourism and Creative Industry”. <i>Meeting with the head S.Ozoliņa</i>
12:30– 13:30		Lunch at school
14:30- 16:30	State Education Development Agency, Valnu iela 1, Riga	Workshop and networking. Follow-up.
19:00		Farewell dinner

### Friday, October 13, 2017

Time	Venue	Content of event
		Departure of participants

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