

Integration of immigrants and populations in VET and employment in Israel and Germany
Tel Aviv, Israel, 23-25 October 2017

Time	DAY 1 – 10/23/17 Monday Herods Hotel, 155 HaYarkon St. Tel-Aviv
9:00-09:15	Opening and welcome address by Israel and Germany: Mr. Shooly Eyal, Senior Director, VET Bureau Ms. Susanne Burger, Federal Ministry of Education and Research
9:15-9:30	Introduction activity – Ms. Lior Zyser-Yogev
9:30-10:00	Background on Germany's policy in integration and absorption in VET Ms. Simone Flach Federal Ministry of Education and Research
10:00-10:45	Background on Israel's policy in integration and absorption Professor Ze'ev Khanin, Chief Scientist for the Ministry of Aliyah and Immigrant Absorption
10:45-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-11:40	Language Acquisition – Israel Programmatic Mr Avri Polshak, head of Pedagogy department, VET Bureau - Hebrew immersion programs for immigrants and non-Hebrew speaking citizens Q&A (understanding) included
11:40-12:20	Language Acquisition – Israel Operational Yelena Pargament- the Jewish Agency for Israel - Working together to create a holistic integration process Q&A (understanding) included
12:20-12:35	Conclusion/ Debate Language Acquisition – Israel in round tables (by sitting arrangements)
12:35-13:35	Lunch break
13:35-14:15	Language Acquisition - Germany Programmatic: Iris Beckmann-Schulz, Federal Network & Coordination for German Language in VET Q&A (understanding) included
14:15-14:55	Language Acquisition - Germany Operational: Judith Hochstein, training organization Q&A (understanding) included
14:55-15:10	Conclusion/ Debate Language Acquisition – Germany in round tables (by sitting arrangements)
15:10-15:40	Coffee break
15:40-16:40	Common debate and conclusion: Language Acquisition lessons learned
16:40 – 17:20	Vocational Preparation - Germany Programmatic: Ulrich Eberle, Federal Employment Agency Q&A (understanding) included
17:20-18:00	Vocational Preparation - Germany Operational: Course PerjuF perspective for young refugees Anja Heinicke Chamber of Handcraft Q&A (understanding) included
18:00-18:15	Conclusion/ Debate Vocational Preparation – Germany in round tables (by sitting arrangements)
19:00	Dinner at the hotel

Time	DAY 2 – 10/24/17 Tuesday
8:30-9:15	Drive to Riyahn Center, Tira
9:15-9:45	Project visitation – Riyahn Center, Tira
10:00-10:40	Vocational Preparation – Israel Programmatic: Ms. Ella Eyal Bar-David, Employment Infrastructure and Projects Manager for the Arab Sector. Cultural compatibility in preparation for the labor market, promotion of the Arab population in Israel Q&A (understanding) included
10:40-11:10	Coffee break
11:10-11:50	Vocational Preparation – Israel Operational: Mr. Nibras Taha, manager of Al Fanar centers for promotion of the Arab society in Israel and Ms. Samah Heib-Jaljouli, manager of Al-Fanar center in Tira-Taibe. Q&A (understanding) included
11:50-12:05	Conclusion/ Debate Vocational Preparation – Israel
12:05- 12:50	Common debate and conclusion: Vocational Preparation lessons learned
12:50-13:00	Drive to Tira culinary school
13:00 -14:00	Lunch break – Tira culinary school
14:00-15:00	Drive to absorption center
15:00-15:30	Visitation in absorption center
15:30-16:00	Ms. Claudia Katz, Manager of Employment department, Ministry of Immigration Absorption
16:00-17:30	Panel with Olim (new immigrants to Israel) who are participating in VET programs. Mediator: Ms. Anat Carmel-Kagan.
17:30	Drive back to hotel
19:00	Dinner at hotel

Time	DAY 3 – 10/25/17 Wednesday
8:00-8:30	Drive to Maltav Hulon- address: 101 Jersalem Blvd, Hulon
8:30-9:00	Visit to Maltav Vocational Training Center in Hulon Mr David Bonali, Manager of Tel-Aviv region, VET Bureau.
9:00-10:30	Final Discussion/ Seminar Conclusion – Lessons learned and recommendations
11:00-18:00	Cultural program- Caesarea National Park
19:00	Dinner at a restaurant