

# Innovation and Social Learning in Higher Education Institution



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## Improving the Quality of Teaching and Learning in HEIs

Project Number Number  
2014-1-PT01-KA203-001087

Project Duration  
1 October 2014—31 September 2016

## Results

- **ISOLearn Handbook**, manual for ICT based learning offer within HEIs to visually and hearing impaired students
- **ISOLearn Quality Label** for education programmes in line with EQAVET principles
- **ISOLearn Guidelines** to implement and monitor the *ISOLearn Quality Label*
- Development of the Professional Qualification of **“Export Facilitator”**

## Objectives

The *ISOLearn Project* aims to :

- Increase hearing and visually impaired individuals’ professionalism and employability
- Promote inclusive and innovative ICT based learning offer within HEIs
- Support the valorization and enhancing of skills and competences

## Approach

Considering the concrete needs of hearing and visually impaired students for accessing HE courses, the Project foresees the active involvement of the most relevant stakeholders in three key phases:

- National need and gap analysis on HE offer in relation to the target group’s specific needs
- Development of the *ISOLearn Handbook*
- Testing and validation of the Project results

## Benefits

Exchange of **European good practices** on HE ICT-based courses for visual and hearing impaired students

Support the **implementation** of **HE courses** according to the beneficiaries’ needs

Improve the **quality of learning** within HEIs in line with EQAVET recommendations

**Increase awareness** on visual/hearing impaired students’ educational opportunities

**Empower the target group** to actively participate in research and academic activities

Foster **educational** and **professional mobility** in Europe

Create synergies between European and National policies on **equal opportunities** and **social inclusion**