



VASKI - Sustainability Roadmap for Vocational Education

The nationwide VASKI project promotes sustainable development and the green transition in vocational education. The VASKI project involves 61 Finnish vocational institutions, covering a significant portion of Finland's vocational education institutions. Funded by the Finnish National Agency for Education, the project aims to support the realization of Agenda 2030 goals in vocational education and strengthen ecological handprint. The budget for the VASKI project is 2.5 million euros, with a duration from January 2022 to December 2023.

The primary focus of the project is on reinforcing ecological sustainability, but social, cultural, and economic sustainability are also considered in the development work. The VASKI project aims to achieve lasting functional and structural changes both in participating institutions and more broadly in Finland's vocational education. The development work in the project is carried out in eight different theme groups and work packages:

Sustainability roadmap and network coordination

- Communication
- Leadership practices and organizational culture
- Pedagogical solutions and learning environments
- Competence development
- Regional and workplace development
- Carbon footprint measurement and monitoring
- Expert support for institutions' sustainable development programs

The core objective of the VASKI project is to compile the results of these various theme groups into a sustainability roadmap for vocational education. It will serve as a tool for vocational education providers in the future, aiming for sustainable and responsible practices and promoting the green transition.

More information:

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