

Policy Learning Platform mini webinar
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Hackathons and vocational education

Session 2/3 of „Youth entrepreneurship“ miniseries

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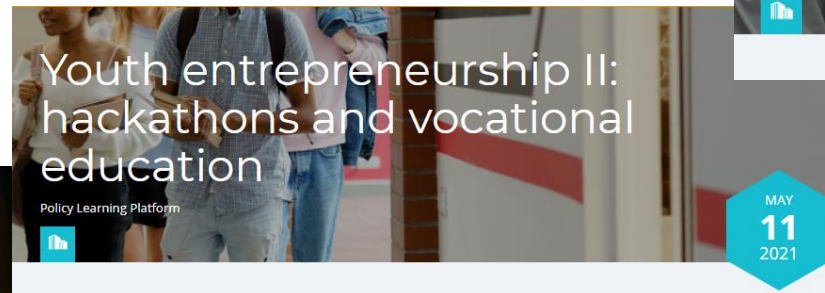
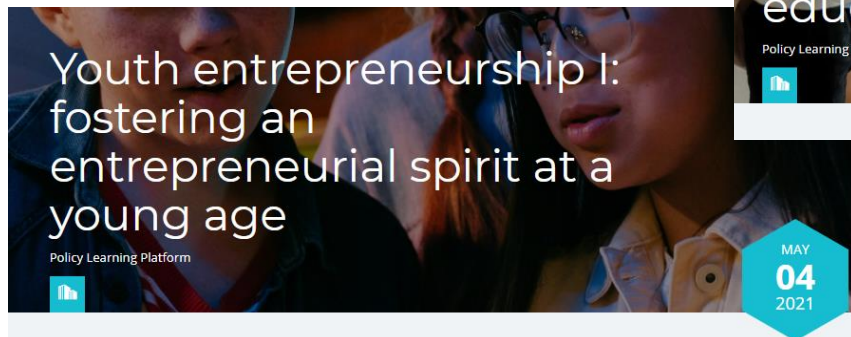


What is a mini webinar series?

„Youth entrepreneurship“



- The “series” are thematically linked short events spread across several weeks.
- However, each session also works as a stand-alone event.
- Each session lasts 30 minutes.
- All sessions start at 10.30 CET.



Why are we tackling the topic?



- We think it is **relevant** to our community and other policy makers.
- It is the **foundation** for all other SME support programmes.
- In 2018 **only** 6.5% of working youth (20-29 years old) in the EU were self-employed and even fewer were employers.
- Youth entrepreneurship can solve challenges related to unemployment.
- According to the OECD, “Public policy **can address** many of the market and institutional **failures** in youth entrepreneurship by increasing awareness about the potential of entrepreneurship, embedding entrepreneurship teaching at all levels of education, offering training and coaching outside of education, improving access to finance and supporting the development of entrepreneurship networks for young people.”

Today's speakers

Anne Furphy

from the Official Chamber of Commerce of Seville
and lead partner of the E-COOL project



Juan Jesús Arrebola

Entrepreneurship Advisor from Andalucía Emprende,
Province of Almeria

Anna Bednarska

Senior Expert at The Agglomeration Opole Trust, Poland,
and partner of the E-COOL project



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Matchmaking sessions



What is a matchmaking session?

- A 2h meeting focused on a topic of your request
- A group of carefully selected participants share their experience and knowledge to give you inspiration to for better policy making in your territory
- Organisation and facilitation by the Policy Learning Platform experts

What's in it for you?

- An exchange tailored to your need
- The competence of the participants at your disposal
- A list of **concrete suggestions, ad-hoc advice** and further resources to dig into
- Potential partnerships and future collaborations
- The Policy Learning Platform does it all

How can you request one?

- Send us an email, or fill in the request form here: <https://www.interregeurope.eu/policylearning/expert-support/matchmaking-sessions/>

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