



European Skills Agenda

for sustainable competitiveness and social
fairness and resilience

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Why a Skills Agenda?

- **60 million** low-qualified adults
- **70%** of companies report that lack of skills hampers their investment



On 7 May 2021 all partners of the Porto Social Commitment signed up to EU targets by 2030:

- an employment rate of at least 78% in the European Union
- **at least 60% of adults participating in training every year**
- a reduction in the number of people at risk of social exclusion or poverty by at least 15 million people, including 5 million children

OVERVIEW

1. A Pact for Skills including Blueprints

2. Strengthening skills intelligence

3. National Skills Strategies and Public Employment Services

4. Recommendation on VET

5. European Universities

6. Skills to support twin transitions

7. STEM graduates, entrepreneurial and transversal skills

8. Skills for Life

Joining forces

Skilling for a job

Tools for lifelong learning

Unlocking investment

9. Individual learning accounts

10. Micro-credentials

11. Europass

12. Framework to unlock Member States' and private investments in skills

European Pillar of Social Rights

First principle

Education, training, lifelong learning for all

European Green Deal

Skills for green transition

European Digital Strategy

Digital skills

Skills for jobs

European Industrial and SME Strategies

European Skills Agenda

STEM

Lifelong learning

European Research Area

European Education Area