



EO4GEO is an **Erasmus+ Sector Skills Alliance** gathering **26 partners from 13 EU countries**, most of which are part of the **Copernicus Academy Network**. Be they from academia, public or private sector, they are all active in the education and training fields of the space / geospatial sectors.

Technological progress and globalisation offer tremendous opportunities for innovation, job creation and growth. This also requires people to acquire new skills in order to drive and support change.

But which skills are they, and how can we build and shape the workforce of the future? This is where EO4GEO steps in.

- ✓ EO4GEO aims to **bridge the skills gap between the supply and demand of education and training in the space/geospatial sectors**, fostering the uptake and integration of space/geospatial data and services in a broad range of application domains.
- ✓ EO4GEO will work in a multi and interdisciplinary way and apply **innovative solutions for its education and training actions**: case-based and collaborative learning scenarios; learning-while-doing in a living lab environment; on-the-job training and co-creation of knowledge, skills and competencies.

The project started on January 1st, 2018; it will run for 4 years, closely collaborating with DG GROW (Copernicus) and DG EMPLOYMENT to reach its strategic objectives.



Outcomes

- ✓ A **long-term and sustainable strategy** to fill the gap between the supply of and demand for space/geospatial education and training
- ✓ An ontology-based **Body of Knowledge for the space/geospatial sector** based on previous experiences
- ✓ A series of **curricula and a rich portfolio of training modules** relying on Copernicus and shaping the workforce of the future
- ✓ A dynamic **collaborative platform** with associated **open training tools**
- ✓ A series of **training actions** for a selected set of scenarios in 3 sub-sectors – integrated applications, smart cities and climate change to test and validate the approach

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