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The eCF Alliance aims to create a transnational partnership between the major players responsible for IT professionals' enhancement, namely: employers, professional associations, social partners, VET providers, higher education, research centres, regulatory bodies, and SMEs, across Europe. The eCF Alliance project **is building a stable network of reference stakeholders in the ICT sector** whose goal is to **foster ICT professionalism** at the European and international level.

eCF Alliance's key features:



- **Develops a common reference scheme for joint qualifications and assessment.** The scheme, based on the e-CF, EQF, EQAVET and ECVET criteria, guarantees mutual comparability and harmonisation of e-skills curricula at EU level. It enables mobility of the ICT skilled professionals and workers, thereof ensuring
- **Fosters the dialogue** to find common sectorial agreements and job matching approaches between workers, enterprises, public administrations and VET providers, benefitting from the shared tools
- Establishes **eCF governance mechanisms**, gathering the key stakeholders from the different sectors, ensuring the sustainability of the partnership

As part of the eCF governance mechanisms, the project has established the Stakeholder Committee (SC) which is composed of representatives from the consortium organisations and of external stakeholders active in the field of ICT skills.

The Stakeholder Committee:

- **evaluates** the main outcomes of the project, their **relevance to the market and practical applicability**
- after the life-span of the project, the **Stakeholder Committee will evolve into a reference stakeholder authority** that will steer the activities of the e-CF Alliance
- the Stakeholder Committee members benefit from the increased visibility and **networking opportunities** in the field.

Members of the SC represent three target groups: VET providers, regulatory bodies and sectoral organisations, from different geographical areas in Europe. If you are interested in joining the SC, please contact Justina Bieliauskaite: j.bieliauskaite@digitalsme.eu

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