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First steps in Croatia that have done significant progress towards the raising awareness of the public and overall policy on LLL and vocational education:

- 2007. Croatian Parliament adopted the *Law on Adult Education* (NN 17/07) and *Strategy for Adult Education*
- law is based on EU guidelines: recognition of non-formal learning, certification of knowledge and skills, adapting education to the needs in the market, etc.
- LLL was accepted as the basis of entire Croatian education system, in order to achieve and improve long-term employability and active citizenship



- Croatian Government established the *Agency for Vocational and Adult Education*
- involved in tracking, development, evaluation and improvement of the education system in Croatia

- Agency signed a contract with the successful Croatian Olympic medalist *Gordan Kožulj* who became the first national promoter of LLL
- during his successful athletic career, he did not neglect his personal and professional development

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Croatian Chamber of Economy Center for Human Resources

Chamber of Trades and Crafts Krapina Zagorje County

College Hrvatsko Zagorje Krapina

Family Center Krapina Zagorje County



CONCLUSION:

**it is necessary to increase the collaboration and
networking of all stakeholders in the labor market and
human resource development,
strengthening education and training, and also promoting
social inclusion of less employable in the labor market.**



Croatian Employment Service, Regional Office Krapina

- is responsible for monitoring and evaluation of market needs
- active in promotion of LLL for employed and unemployed
- active in making recommendations for educational enrollment policy: give suggestions which quota in secondary schools should be increased/decreased
- founder of „Partnership Council Krapina - Zagorje County labor market" - within was made Human Resources Development Strategy of county



Center for Human Resources CCE

- involved in informing and training entrepreneurs in various fields of work, with the aim to increase competitiveness, productivity, efficiency and quality of operations
- goal is to implement LLL strategie
- included in the national coordination of entrepreneurship education
- founder of the Regional Centre for Entrepreneurial Learning (SEECCEL)
- makes the analysis of training needs
- organizing International Conference on LLL - EDUCA PLUS





Chamber of Trades and Crafts Krapina Zagorje County

- involved in taking care of LLL of crafts and their employees
- performs course of secondary education for occupations from the list of crafts

College Hrvatsko Zagorje Krapina

- active in matching education and business needs at the regional level
- founders of it are companys representatives

Family Center Krapina Zagorje County

- advisory centre
- number of service users who through counseling recognize the importance of training and LLL is increasing





**Presečki Grupa Ltd.
Print Centar Krapina Ltd.
Valoviti papir Dunapack Ltd.
Vetropack straža Ltd.**

- business shows positive results which are growing from year to year due to continuous care for their employees
- english language courses, computer courses, communication skills, courses how to increase quality, education and training of middle and top management, etc.
- it is essential that employees have the knowledge, skills and motivation to be able to achieve strategies and companies objectives



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