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In Austria instead of the National forum expert interviews were conducted with relevant stakeholders as consultation process in line with national forum. In the period from April until May 2013 a total of 16 interviews were held in Vienna and Graz. Experts identified the following weaknesses in matching of skills and forecasting needs: "Top-down" principle; little concrete implementation at regional and local level; time of data collection to implementation often takes too long; forecasts are often very short and there are often no good professional qualifications performed. On the other side the following strengths were stressed out: linking quantitative and qualitative forecasts; "Translation basics" for different users, meta information, not develop large programmes, what is necessary is to be processed "on demand", Skill supply is constantly adapting and therefore may change quickly and "Bottom-up" approach to action planning is successful. They also pointed out that better interaction between the world of work and employers, employee's and employment organisation is crucial and identified challenges and opportunities for matching skills supply and demand, career and LLL process in Austria.



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