

## Become Our Partner

Sustainable capacity building for e-learning requires above all an extensive and permanent exchange of experiences and know-how across sectors, institutions and countries.

The TVET Portal is a powerful tool in achieving this. It was jointly developed by InWent, PVTD and VTC as an open platform to which other institutions are invited to join.

ETF contributes to this development with a huge network of e-learning specialists built up over several years.

UNESCO UNEVOC has been constantly stimulating the conceptual discussion on e-learning for many years by delivering a large variety of workshops and expert meetings to the subject .

The conference is intended to be a starting point for expanding crosslinks and deepening relationships among institutions and individuals active in this field.

Become our partner and visit our portal:  
<http://www.tvet-portal.net>

# TVET PORTAL

For further information please visit:  
<http://www.tvet-portal.net/conference>

### Programme Responsibility:

InWent –  
Internationale Weiterbildung und Entwicklung gGmbH  
Capacity Building International, Germany  
Division 4.01 Technological Cooperation, System Development and Management in Vocational Training  
Dr. Klaus Bader-Labarre  
tvvet@inwent.org  
<http://www.inwent.org>

For further information please contact:  
Mrs. Samiha Ghabbour  
Phone +202 273 55836  
Fax +202 273 82981  
office@inwent-eg.org

### Co-chairs:



المركز الوطني لتنمية الموارد البشرية  
National Center for Human Resources Development

## Challenges of TVET in Arab Countries – Innovation through E-Learning

### Regional Conference Amman

12<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> of October 2009

Meet experts

Learn about latest developments

Participate in launching the  
TVET Portal in MENA



Capacity Building International  
Germany

## Background

The Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) sector in Middle East and Northern African (MENA) countries is entering a period of substantial reforms and changes.

At the same time the Information and Communication Technology (ICT) sector is one of the fastest growing areas today. Its quickly expanding infrastructure is becoming a key technology for other markets, providing considerable growth of employment opportunities.

To cope with these challenges new instruments and methods need to be developed and introduced to improve the quality in TVET.

IT-based learning represents a great opportunity and e-learning in this context can stand for a paradigm shift in TVET towards:

- Systematic and continued teacher training to enable working with rapidly changing technologies
- Mainstreaming the concept of life-long learning in TVET
- Promoting regional cooperation

InWEnt and its co-chairing organisations are strongly promoting these developments in the MENA region.

## Objectives

The main objectives of the conference are twofold:

- To promote and disseminate the experiences of innovative methods and instruments for teacher training and the application of e-learning in TVET.
- To launch the TVET Portal as a focal point for all those who are seeking a powerful community of practise.

### Target groups: E-learning

Regional:

MENA countries, countries from the European Union

Sector oriented:

- Decision makers of TVET governance and financing bodies
- Managing & teaching staff of TVET providers
- Private sector TVET providers
- Human Resource Development staff of companies
- Professional staff of development organisations
- E-learning solution providers

## Programme

### Programme highlights:

- E-learning – a driver for organisational, technological and pedagogical changes
- Labour market orientation of TVET through e-learning
- E-learning - a new paradigm for TVET providers?
- New approaches in teacher training – methodological and didactical aspects
- Presentation of the new TVET Portal for MENA region
- Free and open source e-learning application programmes
- Marketing of TVET services and products

For a detailed programme description please visit:  
<http://www.tvet-portal.net/conference>