

2023 Retrospective

The **baSE project** had achieved a great year of progress. With invaluable support from our partners, *we're crafting strategic solutions for concrete skills development in the Proximity and Social Economy Ecosystem.*

1 Interactive VET map

In October 2023 the baSE project created a platform designed to **facilitate cooperation among SEOs working with education and skills development across Europe.**

We invite you to take a look and contribute **adding a vocational educational training** of your knowledge.

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SOCIAL ECONOMY INSIDER

Unlocking SE's Global Power and Potential



YOUR SOCIAL ECONOMY MAGAZINE

Social Economy Insider 2

The **Social Economy Insider magazine** is an **extension of the baSE project**, co-created with our diverse range of key partners and dedicated to uncovering the **latest trends in the social economy on a European scale.**

Having launched the *first issue on October 2023*, our goal is to provide a **platform where all social economy actors can take part**, meaning that experts and practitioners can contribute by *sharing their thoughts, experiences, articles, podcasts or any other format* that would be engaging and informative for our readers.

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The Wheel- Ireland Social Economy: Skills, Visibility & Funding

The event comprised **3 sessions**, including group discussions and Q&A with speakers.

- 1) Skills needed in SE and how to identify them, plus presenting baSE project.
- 2) Research on the future-ready skills for SE led by experts.
- 3) Keynote speech by Sarah de Heusch from SEE, including their plan and democratic participation program.

[Event video](#)

[Organization Website](#)

Mondragon University- Spain

Education and training strategy for the challenges of SE

The event introduced which **strategies for education and training** exists to respond to challenges in the Social Economy sector in Spain. The main fields over which the event focused on are **digital, green, and inclusiveness**. Different stakeholders from universities, Spanish government, and Mondragon Corporation intervened, and they discussed about the current and future perspectives for the mentioned topics.

[Event video](#)

[Organization Website](#)



FISE- Poland

National Social Economy Meetings

During their launch event, the polish organization FISE invited authorities in the SE sector in poland to intervene about the **training needs of workers into SE**. The launch event laid the ground for discussions on the law on SE and social organizations, and its negative and positive effects on **local economy**, with the participation of regional and municipal stakeholders and representatives.

[Event video](#)

[Organization Website](#)



Agroparistech & ESS- France

Is ESS ready to engage in ecological transition?

The French partners organized their launch event on the topic of **ecological transition** within the group Economie Sociale et Solidaire (ESS). It is composed by ten countries and aims at supporting their organisations by providing economic models in the perspective of creating **added social value** by delineating the needed skills for the sector. During the event, SEOs experts and scholars explored which are the **vulnerabilities and openings in Social Economy** for the training of young professionals and in a climate of economic crisis.

[ESS France Website](#)

[Agroparistech Website](#)

ENAIIP NET- Italy

The Challenge of Skills

During a wider event dedicated to Training, Education, and Employment, ENAIIP NET illustrated the blueprint strategy within the research for needs and **vital competencies in the labour market** for the next years. This program includes the new challenges in the third sector which also covers the integration of the **digital and green transition**. Authoritative stakeholders in the sectors, from the partnership and local universities have contributed to the event.

[Organization Website](#)

innova eG & Stiftung Universität Hildesheim- Germany

Competence workshop for entrepreneurship and transfer

The partners proposed a workshop on the **fields of action and funding opportunities** for cooperative economics, as part of the start-up week with the KET-Competence Workshop for Entrepreneurship and Transfer. The topics over which they discussed were how to deal with public housing projects, and how to realize **social-based ideas** in a start-up context, and, on the wider perspective, which skills are useful to have success in this kind of projects.

[Stiftung University Website](#)

[innova eG Website](#)



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ConcertES & ULiège- Belgium

Which trainings for tomorrow's SE?

The Belgian partners organized an event on **skills and competencies** for social economy and how to plan trainings and job profiles for their development. The event involved SE organisations of no-profit and consulting kind, and enterprises. The general objective was to lay together the ground for a training apt for **practical needs of workers within Social Economy** and how to support them better in the green, inclusive, and digital sector.

[ConcertES Website](#)
[ULiège Website](#)



DOBA Business School- Slovenia

Roundtable on the need for standards in Slovenia SE

The Slovenian partner organised a round table on the needs for **standards in the Social Economy** in Slovenia. The event discussed the engagement of Slovenia in SE and which issues arose in the field, in particular over the standards of **education** and of a **supportive environment**. This issue of the need for standardization mainly focuses on creating uniform criteria to guide the development of the social economy, and it was the key topic of the conference.

[DOBA Business School](#)

Upcoming events

- [12/13 February 2024: European Meeting – The Social Economy at the Core of Transitions](#)
- [29 May 2024: The Wheel Annual Summit](#)

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