Participation of representative of the State Statistical Committee in the conference on Gathering the Evidence for Assessing VET systems in Eastern Europe and Central Asia

Representative of the State Statistical Committee the head of Department of Service Statistics Elcin Haji was participated in the conference on Gathering the Evidence for Assessing VET systems in Eastern Europe and Central Asia organized by ETF on 5-6 March, 2012. Education, Labour and Social Protection, Statistical bodies of CIS countries and representatives of ETF participated in the conference. Appointed representative of Azerbaijan Youth Organization is represented as independent expert of Ministry of Education.



The European Training Foundation (ETF) is the EU agency based in Turin, Italy, in charge of helping transition and developing countries to harness the potential of their human capital through reform of education, training and labour market systems in the context of the EU's external relations policy.

The Torino Process was launched by the ETF in 2010, as a corporate initiative contributing to the fulfillment of these four functions, through a participative and evidence-based assessment of vocational education and training (VET) systems and policy progress in partner countries. This assessment is repeated in 2012.

The objectives of the workshop on 'Gathering Evidence for Assessing VET systems' are to create a debate around evidence based policy making, building on the results of the 2010 Torino process lessons,

discuss the relevance of the suggested indicators and data sources for assessing VET in the context of the Torino process 2012, and discuss institutional arrangements and functional responsibilities for improved use of evidence for VET building on the EU and Partner countries experiences.

The conference began with introduction and welcome, common presentations and bilateral meetings with country managers and the ETF Statistics Team.

Leading Document of Torino Process prepared by the ETF also presented in the conference. Leading Document consists of information on Tourino Process, Instruction on analytical frame and quantity indicators for VET inside the Tourino Process. The document characterizes as only methodological recommendation for security of assessment of VET and comparison of results.