Digital information competencies for researchers, professionals and knowledge workers

TRAINING OF TRAINERS

Digital information competence is the capability to use digital information, content and data critically and effectively to perform information-related job tasks. It is one of the key competencies promoted by the European Digital Agenda. As a critical thinking skill connected to the efficient use of technical and scientific documentation empowers researchers, professionals and knowledge workers in some daily work key processes: to take informed decisions, to know the state of the art of a product or technology, to share information and collaborate with colleagues, to innovate and be creative.

The training course aims to train trainers to the contents and methodologies developed within the Caronte project, with the objective of enriching and/or customizing workshops and learning units in different contexts.

Learning outcomes:

- Understand information competency
- Know the main European Frameworks of Information competency Education
- Gain awareness of the possibilities for action in this field
- Manage information needed strategically
- Identify potential sources of information and different searching strategies

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Programme

First day 18/11/2019 : 14.00 – 18.00
Second day 19/11/2019 : 10.00 – 13.00 14.00 – 16.00

Presentation of CARONTE Project

Understand the Information Competence Education
       The concept of competence
       The knowledge areas of Information Competence
       From paper document to digital document
       Why Information Competence education in a chamber of commerce

The European context
       The position of Europe
       Some European data about information competence
       Main European Frameworks

Information competency as a booster in working environment
       Strategies to effectively plan information research
       Access to scientific and technical Information
       Tips and tricks
       Practical scenarios and examples

Each course day will include theoretical explanations, examples, practical activities, and brainstorming.