

Vocational Education and Training (VET)

Erasmus+ VET participation results of Montenegro

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Erasmus+ programme 2021-2027:

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REGIONAL PRIORITIES

- The EU has set a number of priorities regarding geographical balance and specific objectives:
- **Western Balkans**
 - ❖ *Economic and Investment Plan, the candidate and potential candidate countries Reform Agendas and/or the European Training Foundation recommendations under the Torino process*
 - ❖ *Mobility of learners and staff*

CB VET 2024 CALL - results

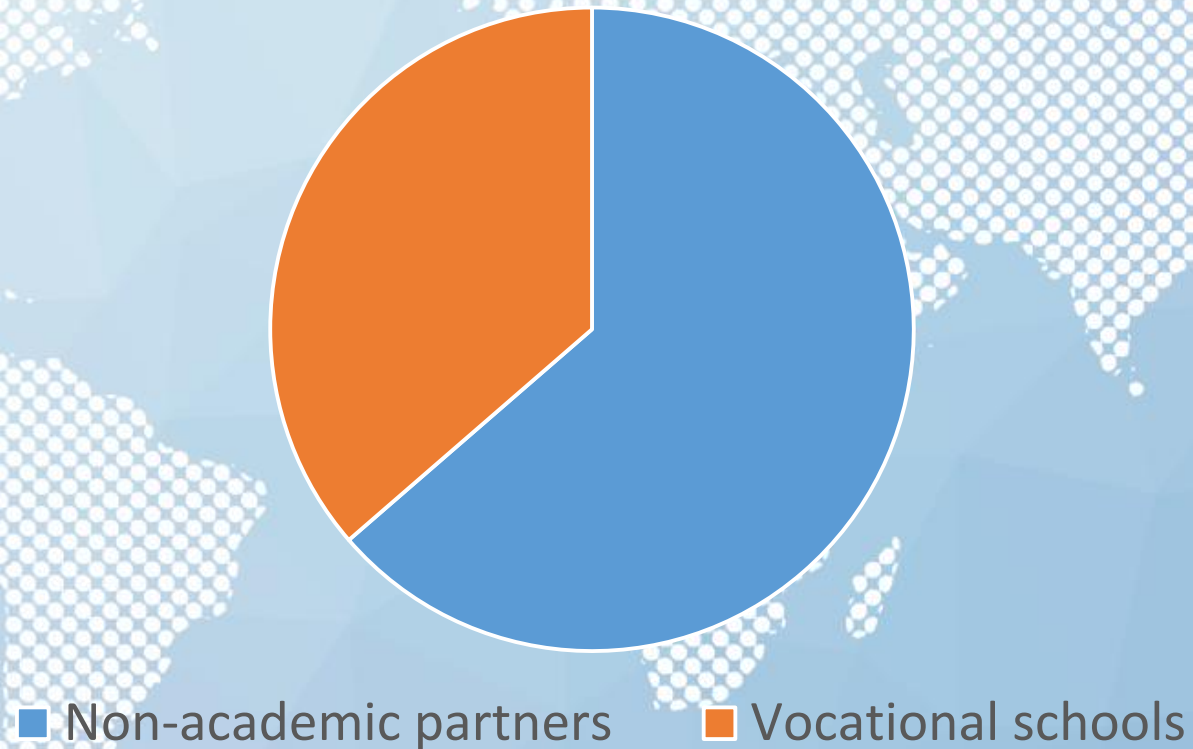
- **Total budget: 25.250.170 EUR**

The European Commission recommended **72** out of 280 eligible CB VET applications for funding (success rate – 26%). 78 third countries not associated to the programme are included in these 72 projects.

- **Western Balkans: 22 projects**
- Neighbourhood East: 9 projects
- South-Mediterranean countries: 11 projects
- Sub-Saharan Africa: 23 projects
- Latin America: 6 projects
- Caribbean: 1 project

CB VET 2024 statistics

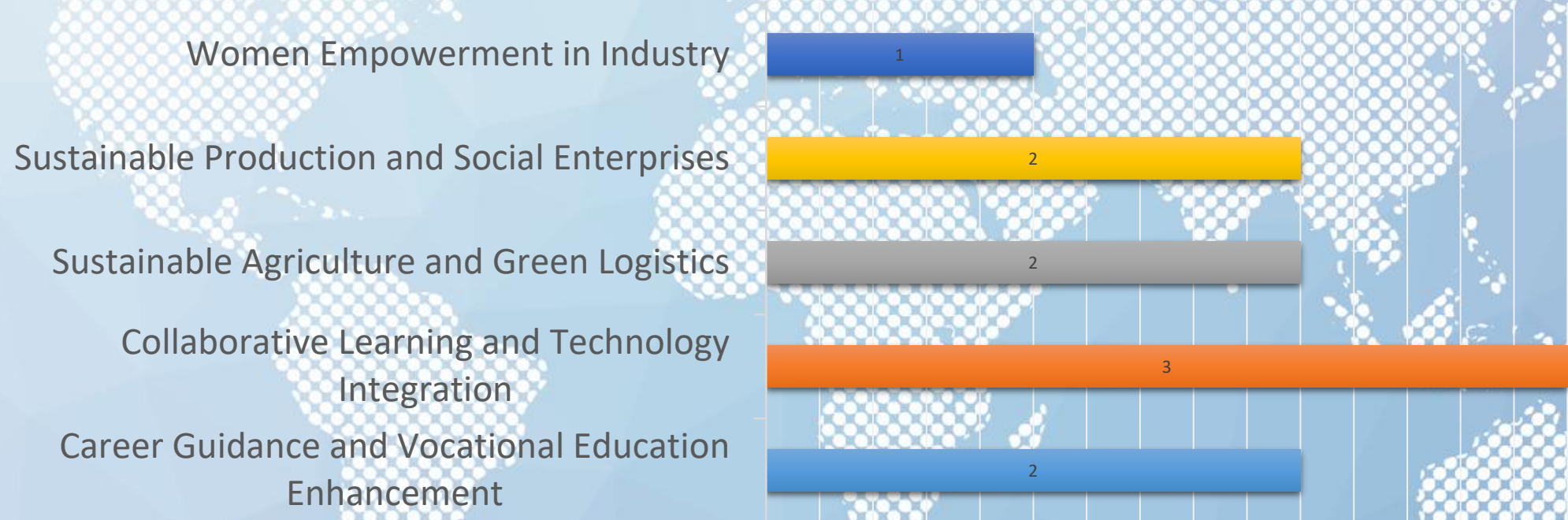
Project Participation by Institution Type



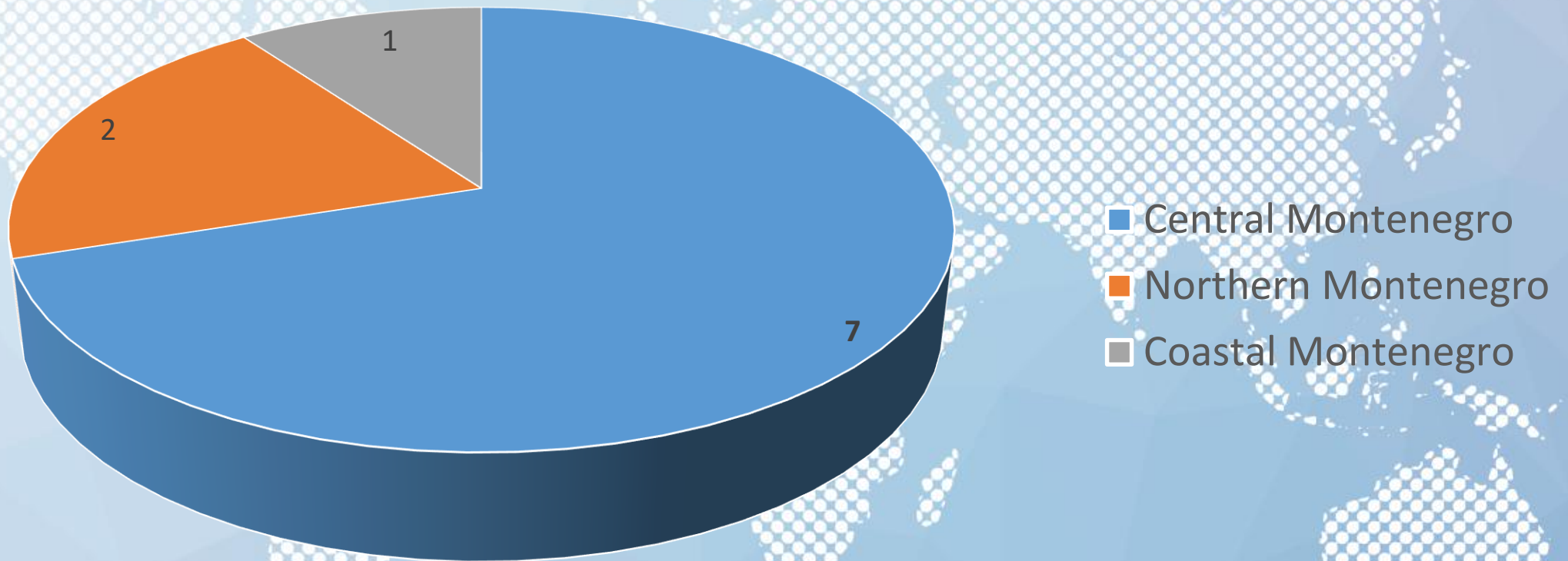
CB VET 2024 statistics – number of projects per institution



Distribution of projects by Focus Area in CB VET 2024 - Montenegro



Geographic distribution of projects



Montenegrin participation results in CB VET 2024 - 10 projects

- 1.CG-International (Fostering International Career Guidance in VET) - **JU Srednja stručna škola Pljevlja**
- 2.CL-BVET (Education and Training for Collaborative Learning in Blended Learning Environments) - **JU Srednja stručna škola Pljevlja; Centar za stručno obrazovanje; Društvo sa ograničenom odgovornošću Inovaciono preduzetnički centar Tehnopolis**
- 3.METATECH4.0 (MetaTech Exchange: Bridging Industry 4.0 in Western Balkans) - **Unija poslodavaca Crne Gore**
- 4.MetaVET (Modern Education Training Advancements via Virtual Environment Technologies) - **JU Srednja stručna škola Nikšić; Centar za stručno obrazovanje**
- 5.Mush-Link (Promoting Mushroom Farming in Western Balkans through Strengthening Linkages between VET Providers and the Business Sector) - **Društvo sa ograničenom odgovornošću Plantažun Bar**

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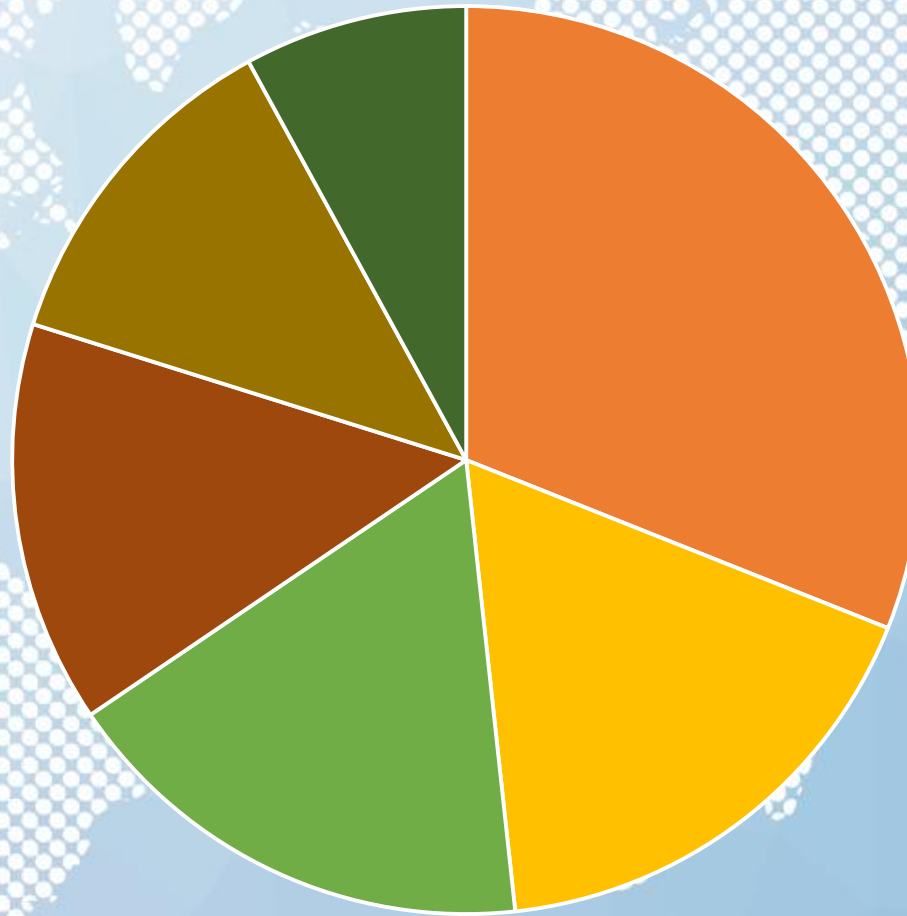
- 6.SEE-GL (Skills and Employment Enhancement in Green Logistics) - **Z&S Global**
- 7.SUSFUR (Promoting Sustainable Furniture Production in the Western Balkans through Strengthening the Linkages between Business Sector and VET Provider) - **Novi Horizonti**
- 8.TtraSE (Twin Transition for Social Enterprises in Arts and Craft Sectors) - **Centar za stručno obrazovanje; Asocijacija za demokratski prosperitet – ZID Udruženje**
- 9.VETechConn (Elevating Vocational Education in Bosnia and Herzegovina and Montenegro through Collaborative Enhancement of VET Teachers) - **Srednja elektrotehnička škola Vaso Aligrudić; Srednja stručna škola Nikšić; Centar za stručno obrazovanje**
- 10.WEC (Women Empowered in Construction) - **J.U S.G.S Inž. Marko Radević**

CB VET 2025 CALL

CB VET 2025 has been given a total budget of EUR 27 000 000 divided by regions:

- Western Balkans (Region 1) - **EUR 8 500 000**
- Neighbourhood East (Region 2) - EUR 3 508 341
- South-Mediterranean countries (Region 3) - EUR 4 677 788
- Sub-Saharan Africa (Region 9) - EUR 8 072 432
- Latin America (Region 10) - EUR 1 949 078
- Caribbean (Region 11) - EUR 292 362

Submitted projects by WB countries in 2025 call

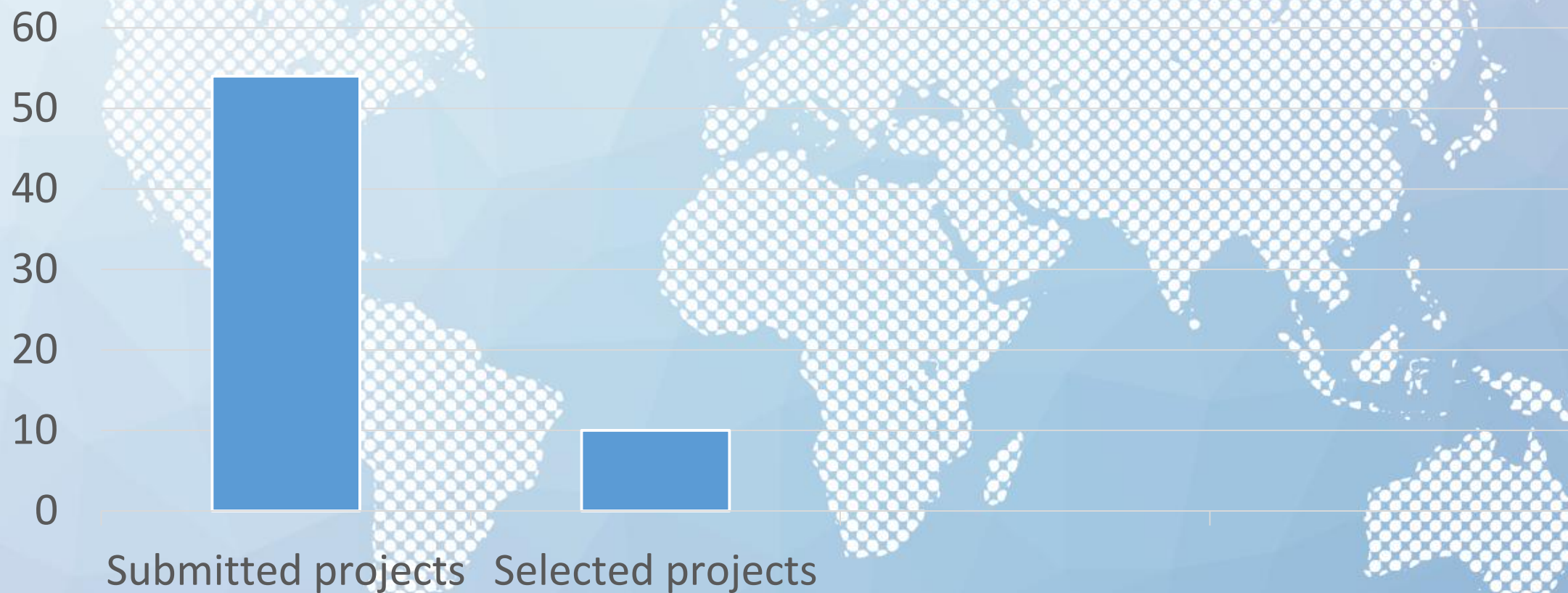


■ Albania ■ Bosnia and Hercegovina ■ Kosovo ■ Montenegro ■ North Macedonia ■ Serbia

Regional success rate in 2025 call

Country	No of submitted proposals involving the country	No of selected proposals involving the country	Instances of participation in selected proposals (excluding associated partners)
Albania	117	19	48
Bosnia and Herzegovina	65	7	14
Kosovo*	65	8	16
Montenegro	54	10	15
North Macedonia	46	6	7
Serbia	30	3	3

Submitted versus selected CB VET projects 2025 - Montenegro





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- VET to VET - Inclusion, skills Development and Empowerment for All (V2V-IDEA) - **SMŠ DANILO KIS, Centar za stručno obrazovanje**
- Smart Home Automation Project on Western Balkan (SHAPE-WB) – **SSS VASO ALIGRUDIC, SSŠ Nikšić**
- Vintage home film and video formats for intercultural learning (ILMovie) - **JU "Centar za kulturu" Zabljak**
- Resilience And Innovation for Sustainable Education (RAISE) – **SSŠ "Ivan Uskokovic", Univerzitet Crne Gore**

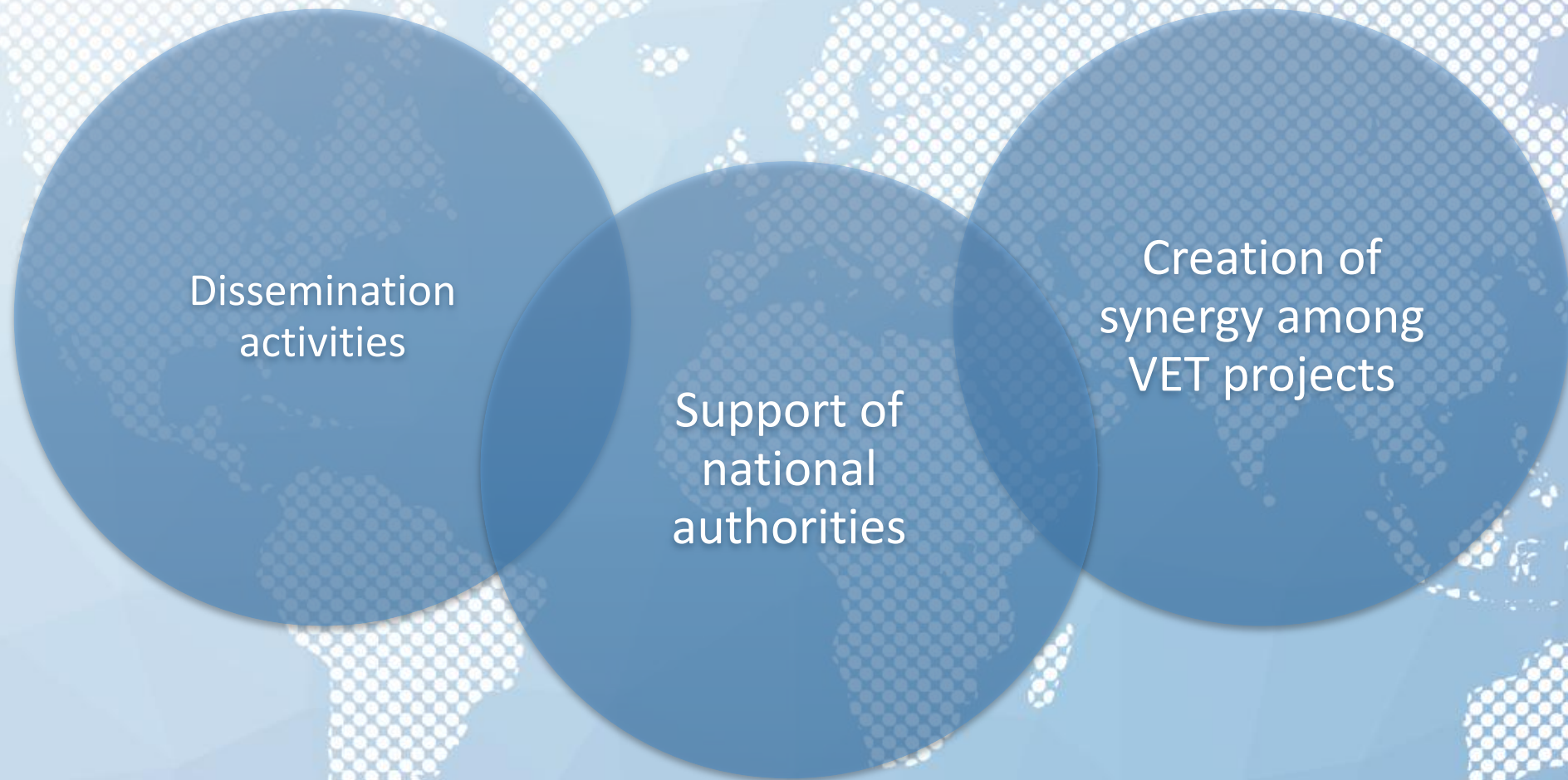
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- Boosting precision agriculture in the Western Balkans by strengthening VET-business sector partnerships for natural resource management (BASIS) - DRUSTVO SA OGRANICENOM ODGOVORNOSCU PLANTADUN BAR
- Green Resilient Organic Wisdom (BALKANSGROW) - CENTAR ZA RAZVOJ NEVLADINIH ORGANIZACIJA PODGORICA, CENTAR ZA STRUCNO OBRAZOVANJE
- Governance Opportunities in VET for Empowerment and Regional Innovation – Network for Education and Transnational Cooperation (GOVER-NET) - MLADIINFO MONTENEGRO

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- Empowering VET Education at Level 5 in the Western Balkans (EDU5WB) - JU Srednja ekonomsko-ugostiteljska skola Bar, CENTAR ZA STRUCNO OBRAZOVANJE
- Future Agri-Tech Reskilling and Modern Education Reimagining (FARMER) - Nevladino udruzenje "Mreza za ruralni razvoj Crne Gore" Niksic
- Balkans Engagement for Youth, Opportunities, Networking and Development (BEYOND) – Francuski institut Crne Gore

Potential challenges for VET projects



Thank you for your attention!

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