

Education Operational Plan

1. Background

Education has been regarded as one of the pillars on which CILT's mission rests. During 2014, the University of Malta welcomed yet another cohort for the Higher Diploma in Logistics and Transportation Management (HDLTM). This MQF Level 5 diploma has been the flagship for CILT (Malta)'s education agenda since 2009.

During 2014, CILT (Malta) signed a five year membership enrolment agreement with the Malta Shortsea Promotion Centre (MSPC) with the aim of supporting and collaborating with the Centre in its education matters. Euro 5,000

Following the preliminary results of the study 'Bridging Skills Gaps in the Transport and Logistics Sector in Malta' undertaken in 2014, CILT Committee members held talks with MCAST as a prospective training provider. CILT (Malta) Approved Training Provider policy for 2015 through to 2017 is to be associated solely with Self Accrediting Institutions, namely:

- the University of Malta, for programmes up to and including level 8 of the Malta Qualifications Framework;
- the Malta College of Arts, Science and Technology, only for programmes up to and including level 6 of the Malta Qualifications Framework;

These self-accrediting providers have the capacity to self-accredit existing and new programmes and are exempt from provider and programme accreditation by virtue of the subsidiary legislation to the Education Act, S.L. 327.433 Further and Higher Education (Licensing, Accreditation and Quality Assurance) Regulations

2. Vision

To be the leading membership organization, locally **and in the Mediterranean**, *providing* education and development for both individuals and corporations within transport and logistics.

3. Mission

- a. Promote education in transport and logistics among young students and workers in the industry
- b. Provide Programs responsive to learning and in line with industries requirements
- c. Provide Quality learning opportunities

4. Action Plan 2015/ 2016

- a. Promote education in transport and logistics among young students and workers in the industry
 - (i) Use of Grants
 - 1. Review of local grants policy
 - 2. Collect Information of International Grants
 - 3. Promote local and international grants
 - (b) Provide Programs responsive to learning and in line with industries requirements
 - (i) Training program
 - 1. Accreditation
 - 2. Promotion
 - (ii) New Training Provider
 - 1. Accreditation
 - 2. Promotion
 - 3. Train the trainer
- (c) Provide Quality learning opportunities
 - (i) Module accreditation
 - (ii) Create CPD Framework
- (d) General
 - (i) EU Funding possibilities
 - 1. Available agencies
 - 2. Organize meetings
 - 3. Report
 - 4. Use of EU Funds
 - (ii) Information gathering

1. Collect information on Local and Mediterranean providers
2. Programs
3. Trainers