



**REGIONAL NETWORK FOR WORK BASED LEARNING**  
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**International conference**  
**WORK BASED LEARNING: MIND THE GAP!**  
**Innovating WBL paths: challenges and barriers,  
policies and strategies**

**Bologna, 28<sup>th</sup> January 2020 h. 9.00**

Viale della Fiera, 8

hosted by Regione Emilia-Romagna

- 9.00 *Welcome coffee and registration*
- 9.15 *Opening speech*  
**Marina Castellano** – Confindustria Emilia-Romagna  
**Stefano Versari** – Direttore generale Ufficio Scolastico Regionale  
per l'Emilia-Romagna
- 9.30 **Rossella Brindani**  
CIS Gestione d'impresa – Responsible for European funded projects area  
*The REFRAME approach to Work Based Learning*
- 9.45 **Alfonso Balsamo**  
Confindustria – Employment, Welfare and Human Capital Department  
*The role of Regional and European School-Industry Partnerships to  
overcome the Skills Gap*
- 10.15 **Anna Brancaccio**  
Italian Ministry of Education - Directorate for school order and evaluation  
of National education system  
*Meaning of WBL in schools and the need for joint training of teachers  
and company tutors*

10.45 *Feedback from participants*

11.00 **PARALLEL WORKSHOPS**

	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Animator</b>	<b>Rapporteur</b>
<b>Workshop 1</b>	<b>How a Centre of Vocational Excellence (COVE) could include quality in WBL</b>	Maria Pascual and Irma Núñez - ENSE	Andrew McCoshan
<b>Workshop 2</b>	<b>From technical to transversal skills to develop high quality of work based learning</b>	Axel Joder - FREREF	Liliane Esnault
<b>Workshop 3</b>	<b>Why International mobility for students, adult people, teachers and trainers</b>	Hans Vasse and Alessia Toffetti - Jan van Brabant College	Jan van Brabant College

12.30  
**Main findings from working groups**

13.30  
**Final conclusions**  
**Francesca Bergamini**

*Director of Emilia-Romagna Region Planning service of education, training, employment and knowledge-based policies - Directorate Knowledge-based Economy, Work and Entrepreneurship*

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**14.00 End of the Conference and light lunch**

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