

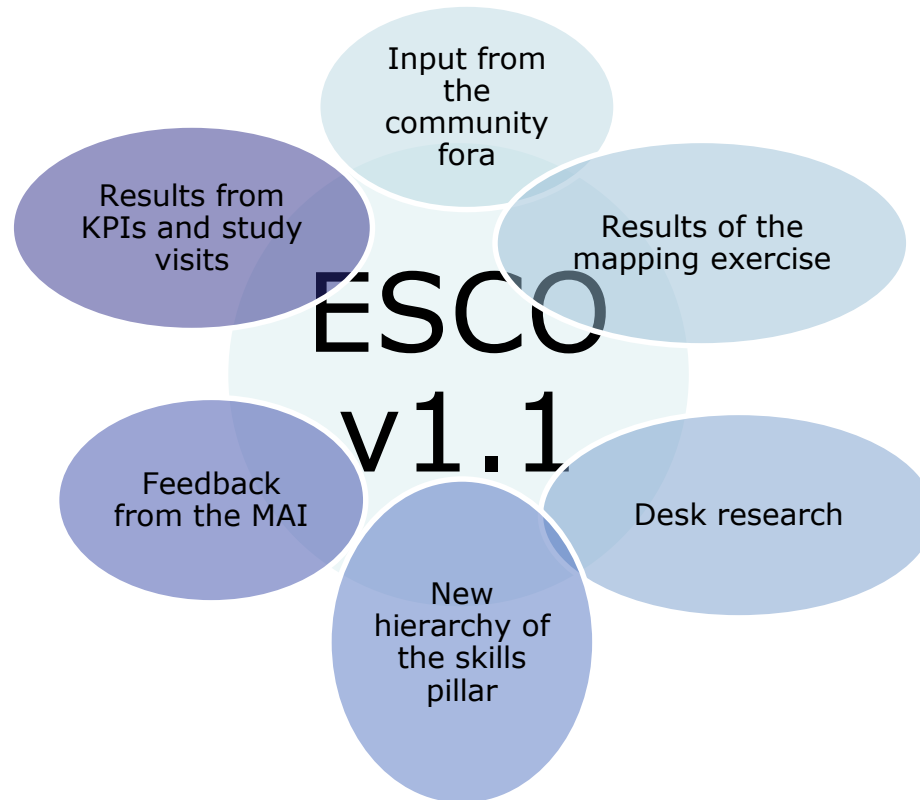


Stakeholders' feedback mechanism on ESCO

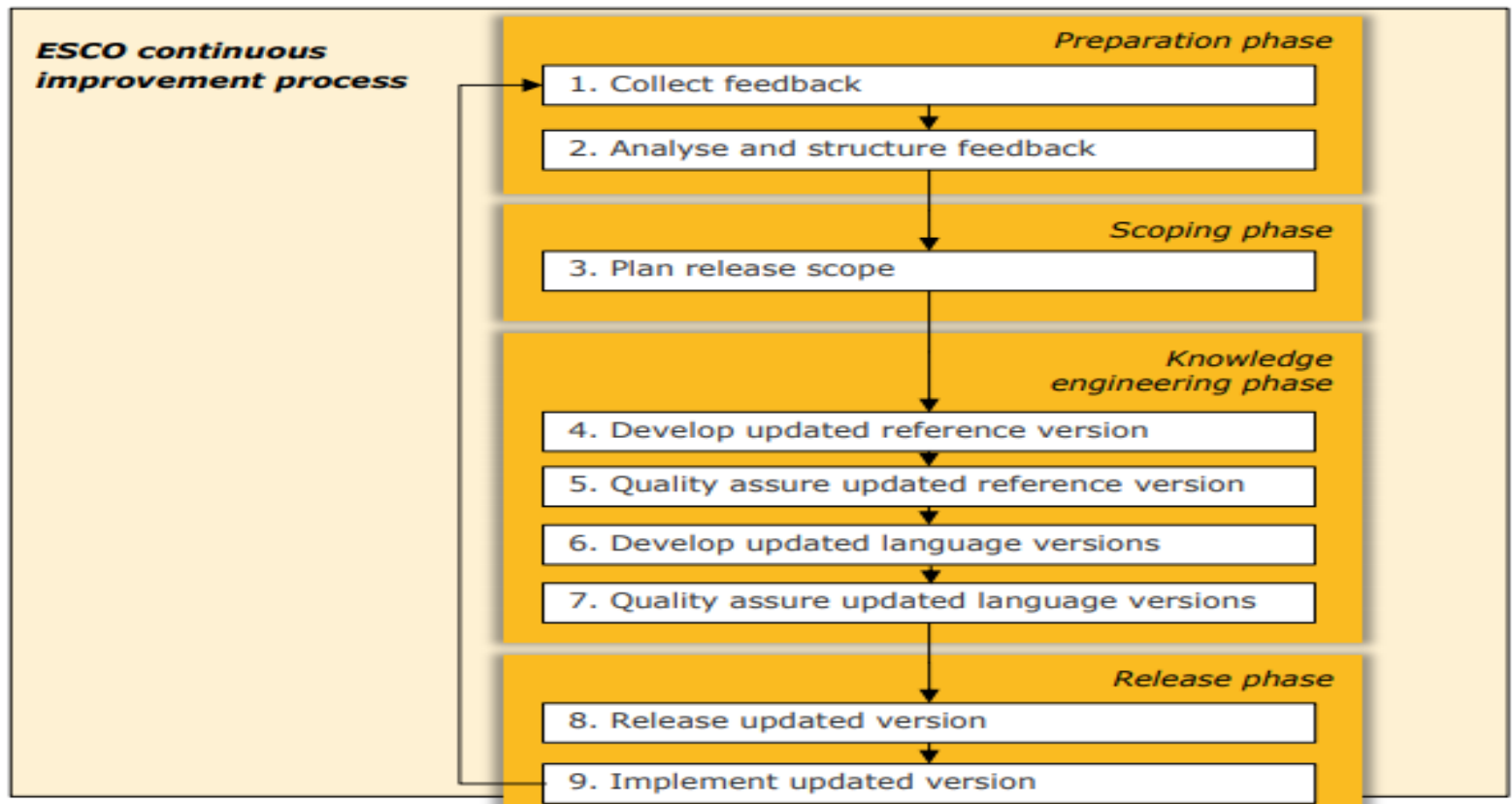
# PURPOSE OF THE FEEDBACK MECHANISMS

- Ensure the continuous improvement of ESCO
- Reflect changes in the labour market and adopt new terminology
- Collect feedbacks on the practical use of ESCO and reflect changes in the requirements of IT applications
- Support Member States in the mapping exercise
- Provide an environment for an active discussion with ESCO expert groups
- Correction of any identified issue

# Input for the continuous improvement of ESCO



# Process for the continuous improvement of ESCO



## **ESCO community fora**

The ESCO community fora are collaborative spaces designed to facilitate the interaction, communication and exchange of information between the European Commission (EC) and different stakeholders interested in ESCO. They offer a single place where to share comments and feedback on the content of the classification, exchange best practices and experiences on how to use ESCO and propose new ideas to further improve ESCO

# TYPES OF FORA

## ***Accessible only by direct invitation***

- community forum for ESCO domain experts
- community forum for the ESCO Maintenance Committee
- community forum dedicated to Member States' representatives

## ***Free open access***

- community forum for the ESCO implementers



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### ESCO Domain Experts

Discuss insight into the knowledge, skills and competences needed in specific economic sectors or specific occupations.

9 discussions 3 comments Most recent: Some other discussion by CogniAdmin on July 31 July 31



### ESCO Implementers

Discussion regarding use the ESCO classification in order to provide software solutions, products or services to customers or end users.

0 discussions 0 comments



### ESCO Maintenance Committee

0 discussions 0 comments



### ESCO Member States Working Group

1 discussion 3 comments Most recent: test by Data1 Provider1 on 9:16AM 9:16AM

## MILESTONES ACHIEVED

- ✓ Definition of the business requirements and main functionalities
  
- ✓ Business analysis: comparison of different standard software components
  - Initial benchmarking based on popularity rate, functionalities, status of maintenance, technical solutions and release status
  - Installation and testing
  - Evaluation of ECAS interconnection
  
- ✓ Identification of the most appropriate tool – Vanilla forums
- ✓ Data protection policy in place
- ✓ Moderation of feedback and process the implementation of comments



# Process for acceptance of domain experts in the forum

- ❑ Engagement of experts previously involved in the development of ESCO v1.0
- ❑ Assessment of the candidate expert on the basis of the following criteria:
  - Description of the professional expertise of the organisation
  - Experience in EU related environments
  - European vs national coverage
  - Geographical coverage
  - Relevance of their work experience for reviewing and validating ESCO concepts
- ❑ Engagement of expertise available in the EU Institutions (EU agencies and other EC DGS)

# Forum for ESCO domain experts

- ❑ Organized around 27 economic sectors
- ❑ ESCO occupations present an entry point to the forum
- ❑ Different organisations representing the labour market and the education sector (sectoral umbrella organisations, universities and higher education institutions, VET providers, large, medium and small sized enterprises, NGO, social partners, public employment services, public bodies and research centers)

# Role of domain experts

*Users are encouraged to provide their feedback on:*

- preferred terms
- alternative labels
- descriptions of occupations and skills and knowledge concepts
- ISCO codes associated to ESCO occupations
- essential and optional skills and knowledge foreseen for an occupation
- relations between occupations and skills
- translations of ESCO concepts
- spelling mistakes
- new occupations and skills not included in ESCO

# Community forum dedicated to Member States' representatives

The forum will serve to:

- share experiences on the implementation of ESCO at national level
- comment on the preliminary results of the mapping exercise
- inform the Commission about specific events and communication activities related to ESCO
- improve the communication with the ESCO Secretariat

# NEXT STEPS

- ❑ Configuration of the Communities
- ❑ Invitation to stakeholders and technical support for registration
- ❑ Communication campaign (promotional material, direct contacts, dissemination in targeted events, informative session)
- ❑ Publication on the ESCO portal: March 2019



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# Q&A