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Agenda

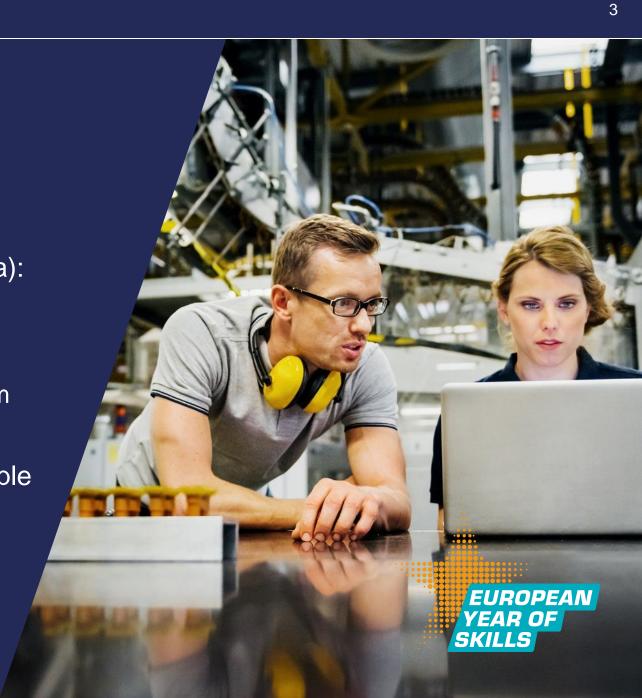
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Current situation

- 90% of jobs require digital skills
- Lack of ICT specialists and gender gap
- Projections for 2025 (European Strategy for Data):
 - Value of the data economy will increase from €301 billion (2018) to €829 billion
 - Number of data professionals will increase from5.7 million (2018) to 10.9 million
- The demand for data analytical skills will quadruple by 2027





Digital Decade 2030

Skills

ICT Specialists: 20 million + Gender convergence Basic Digital Skills: min 80% of population

Public Services

Key Public Services: 100% online **e-Health:** 100% availability medical records **Digital Identity:** 80% citizens using digital ID



Infrastructures

Connectivity: Gigabit for everyone, 5G everywhere
Cutting edge Semiconductors: double
EU share in global production
Data – Edge & Cloud: 10,000 climate
neutral highly secure edge nodes
Computing: first computer with quantum acceleration

Business

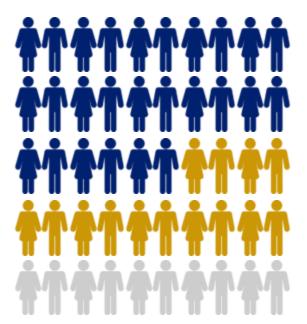
Tech up-take: 75% of EU companies using Cloud/AI/Big Data **Innovators:** grow scale ups & finance to double EU Unicorns **Late adopters:** more than 90% of European SMEs reach at least a basic level of digital intensity





Digital Decade 2030 – digital skills targets

BASIC DIGITAL SKILLS

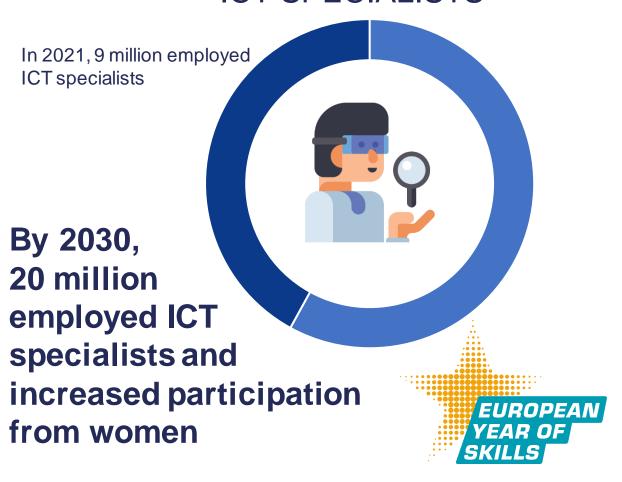


In 2021, 54% of the European population had basic digital skills

By 2030, 80% of the population



ICT SPECIALISTS



EU initiatives

- Digital Education Action Plan 2021-2027
- European Skills Agenda
 - Pact for Skills and Large-Scale Partnerships
- European Pillar of Social Rights Action Plan
- European Industrial and SME strategy
- European Strategy for Data
- Coordinated Action Plan on Artificial Intelligence





EU funding

- Recovery and Resilience Facility
 - 17% dedicated to digital skills (EUR 22 billion)
- Digital Europe Programme
 - o 2021-2022: EUR 166 million for advanced digital skills
 - o 2023: EUR 58 million for advanced digital skills
- Erasmus+, European Social Fund...

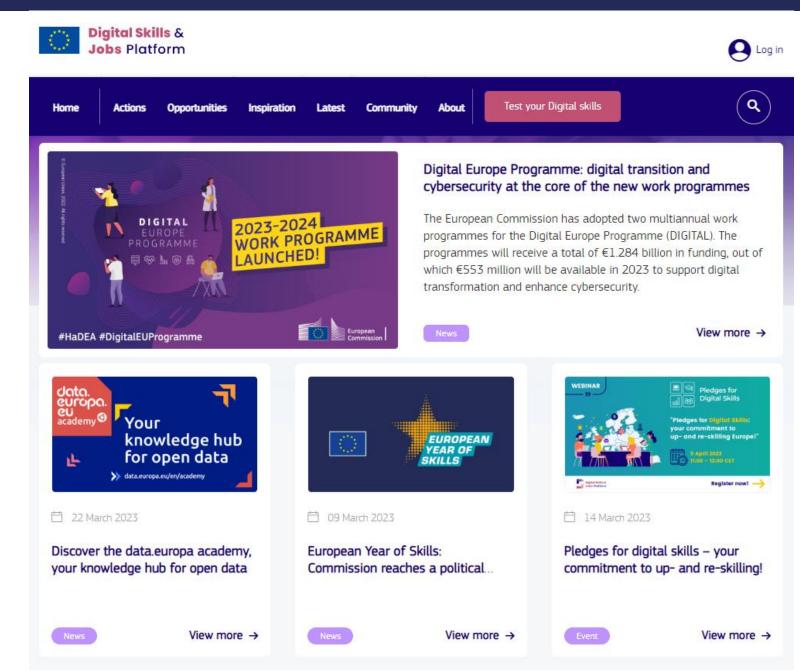






Meet the #Home4DigitalSkills

Trainings, publications, funding, Pledges and more



Digital Skills and Jobs Platform

The National Coalitions community

Over 7.000 community members

Almost 2.000 contents

Over 600 training offers

Digital Europe Programme hub











Work with the National Coalitions for Skills and Jobs to create content to publish on the platform, and organise joint communications campaigns.

From students who take the Digital skills test to stake-holders and professionals of digital skills and policy-makers, our community is growing.

The platform hosts events, trainings, strategies, funding opportunities, discussions and useful publications on digital skills of all levels.

From advanced digital skills to courses for children on internet safety, DSJP is a gateway to upskilling and reskilling for all.

Detailed content on the calls on Digital Skills of DEP and a lively community networking group for matchmaking.



European Year of Skills



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"We must invest much more in training and further education. This is why I am proposing to make 2023 the European Year of Skills".

Ursula Von der LeyenPresident of the European Commission

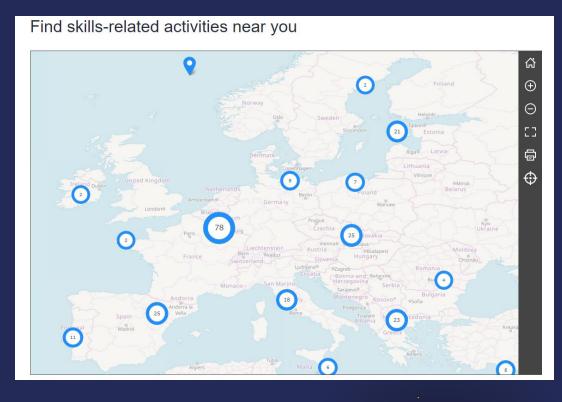


www.year-of-skills.europa.eu



European Year of Skills

- Commission Proposal for a Council Recommendation on the enabling factors for successful digital education (18 April)
- Commission Proposal for a Council Recommendation on the provision of digital skills in education and training (18 April)
- Events and activities near you







Digital Skills Awards



Categories:

- Empowering Youth in Digital
- Digital Upskilling @ Work
- Digital Skills for Education
- Inclusion in the Digital World
- Women in ICT Careers







Thank you

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