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Berufsbildungsforschung Austria
www.refernet.at

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IBFFP – Institut Bruxellois Francophone
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профессионален образование и обучение
www.refernet.bg

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www.refernet.org.cy

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NÚV – Národní ústav pro vzdělávání
NVF – Národní vzdělávací fond
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Styrelsen for Universiteter og Internationalisering
www.iu.dk/dokumentation/cedefop-og-refernet

Estonia

INNOVE – Elukestva Õppe Arendamise
Sisustus Innove
www.innove.ee/refernet

Finland

OPH – Opetushallitus/Utbildningsstyrelsen
www.oph.fi/tietopalvelut/kansainvalinen_koulutustieto/cedefop/refernet

France

Centre Info – Centre pour le développement
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www.centre-info.fr/refernet

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Greece

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Oktatásfejlesztési Observatory Központ –
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www.refernet.is

Italy

ISFOL – Istituto per lo sviluppo della
formazione professionale dei lavoratori
www.isfol.it/isfol-europa/reti/refernet

Latvia

AIC – Akadēmiskās informācijas centrs
www.aic.lv/refernet

Lithuania

Kvalifikacijų ir profesinio mokymo plėtros centras
www.kpmcp.lt/refernet

Luxembourg

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de la formation professionnelle continue
www.refernet.lu

Malta

MQC/NCHE – Kunsill Malti għall-Kwalifikasi
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Netherlands

ECBO – Expertisecentrum Beroepsonderwijs
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Norway

Utdanningsdirektoratet
www.udir.no/Speselt-for/Fag-og-yrkessopplaring/NRP/ReferNet1

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FFW - Fundacja Fundusz Współpracy
www.refernet.pl

Portugal

DGERT – Direcção-Geral do Emprego
e das Relações de Trabalho
www.dgert.mtss.gov.pt/refernet

Romania

INCSMPS – Institutul Național ce Cercetare
științifică în domeniul muncii și protecției sociale
www.refernet.ro

Slovakia

SNO – Slovenské národné observatórium odborného
vzdelávania a prípravy – Štátny inštitút odborného vzdelávania
www.refernet.sk

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CPI – Center RS za poklicno izobraževanje
www.refernet.si

Spain

SEPE – Servicio Público de Empleo Estatal
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