

1. Title of the certificate ¹

**Δίπλωμα Επαγγελματικής Ειδικότητας Εκπαίδευσης και Κατάρτισης Επιπέδου 5 Ειδικότητα Ι.Ε.Κ.:
ΕΙΔΙΚΟΣ ΔΙΑΧΕΙΡΙΣΗΣ ΤΟΥΡΙΣΤΙΚΩΝ ΕΚΔΗΛΩΣΕΩΝ**

2. Translated title of the certificate ²

**Vocational Training Diploma Initial Vocational Training (I.E.K.) Level 5. Specialty of I.E.K.:
TOURISM EVENTS MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST**

3. Profile of skills and competences

LEARNING OUTCOMES (KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, COMPETENCES). A typical holder of the certificate is able to:

KNOWLEDGE

- Identify English and French tourism terminology.
- Describe the use of a computer and of new technologies in tourism.
- Describe the basic principles of tourism theory, the forms of tourism, the practices of European tourism, and the theories of tourism policy.
- Present the basic theories of the economy science, of marketing, and of the total quality management.
- Present the techniques and methods for the development of recreational activities.
- Describe the methods for managing tourism events.
- Describe the mode of operation of travel agencies and of event hosting businesses.
- Present the basic aspects of tourism legislation and the rights / obligations of tourists and customers.

SKILLS

- Adjust his/her work to the changes of tourism.
- Apply the economy theories in his/her field of work.
- Develop programmes for the entertainment and exercising of customers.
- Manage tourism events.
- Include his/her work within the context of operation of the travel agency.
- Communicate in English and in French, in writing and orally, in the tourism industry.
- Use a computer and the new technologies in the tourism industry.

COMPETENCES

- Collaborate and communicate with others in the tourism industry.
- Organise tourism events autonomously or under supervision.
- Operate based on tourism law.

4. Range of occupations accessible to the holder of the certificate ³

The holder of this specialisation certificate may work at a local, and national, regional, and European - international level in the field of tourism, with focus on the entertainment and on the mental and physical rejuvenation of tourists, on their exercise during vacations, and on the organization and implementation of tourism and other cultural events of local and national character with a special emphasis on conference and exhibition tourism.

The Vocational Training Diploma is recognised as a qualification for appointment in the public sector falling in the category S.E. (Secondary Education) according to the Presidential Decree no.50/2001 (Greek Official Gazette 39/Vol.A/5-3-2001).

¹ In the original language. | ² If applicable. This translation has no legal status. | ³ If applicable.

5. Official basis of the certificate

Body awarding the certificate

E.O.P.P.E.P.
(National Organisation for the Certification of Qualifications and Vocational Guidance)
Ethnikis Antistaseos 41 Avenue, 142 34 N. Ionia
<https://www.eoppep.gr/>

Authority providing accreditation / recognition of the certificate

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Level of the certificate (national or European) ¹

Level 5 National and European Qualifications Framework

Grading scale / Pass requirements

a) acquisition of the Vocational Training Certificate (V.E.K.) after successful completion of study at the Vocational Training Institute (I.E.K.)
b) acquisition of the Vocational Training Diploma after:
1. success in the theoretical part of Initial Vocational Training certification examinations (Grading scale = 1-20, Pass = 10) and
2. success in the practical part of the Initial Vocational Training certification examinations (Pass/Fail)

Access to next level of education / training ¹

Yes

International agreements on recognition of qualifications¹

No

Legal basis

Law 2009/1992 on the National System of Vocational Education and Training
Law 4186/2013 on the Restructure of Secondary Education
Law 4763/2020 on National System of Vocational Education, Training and Lifelong Learning

6. Officially recognised ways of acquiring the certificate

Total duration of the education / training leading to the certificate
Success in the the Initial Vocational Training certification examinations
4 semesters (until law 4186/2013) / 5 semesters (after law 4186/2013)

7. Additional information

Entry requirements ¹

Certificate of Upper Secondary School. Qualification of Level 4 (NQF/EQF) // Certificate Vocational Training School (SEK) – Qualification of Level 3 (NQF/EQF)
Following the voting of L. 4763/2020, only by an Upper Secondary Education certificate or an equivalent title of studies (Qualification of Level 4 NQF/EQF)

Indicative subjects taught:

European culture and traditions, Principles and practices of European tourism, Entertainment and sports for youth and seniors, Tourism law, Rights and obligations of customers, Tourist Agencies' operation, Events' management, Travel geography, Marketing, Economics

More information

National Qualifications Framework : <https://nqf.gov.gr/> and <https://proson.eoppep.gr/en>

National Europass Centre: **EL/NEC - E.O.P.P.E.P.** National Organisation for the Certification of Qualifications and Vocational Guidance, Ethnikis Antistaseos 41 Avenue, 142 34 N. Ionia, Greece. T.0030 2102709000 europass@eoppep.gr
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¹ If applicable.