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LETTER OF SUPPORT / ASSOCIATE PARTNER

Dear Dr. Eveliina Asikainen / Tampere University of Applied Sciences Ltd (TAMK),

We hereby express our intent to participate as an **Associate Partner** in the Erasmus+ Cooperation Partnership project **Net Zero VET Pedagogies**, coordinated by Tampere University of Applied Sciences Ltd.

As an Associate Partner, **City of Tampere / Tampere Vocational College Tredu** commits to:

- Supporting the dissemination of project results within our organization and our networks.
- Participating in selected project events, networks, or stakeholder activities, mainly hybrid, when appropriate
- Providing expertise, context-related information, and feedback relevant to the project objectives.
- Contributing to strengthening the project's links within our region, country, and/or international stakeholders and target groups.

We understand that Associate Partners **do not receive funding** from the project and are **not responsible** for project implementation, financial management, or reporting.

Tampere Vocational College Tredu is the second largest vocational college in Finland. We offer flexible and individual study paths within almost any vocational field in Finland and always with close cooperation with working life. Our vocational fields include many technical fields, e.g. electrical engineering and automation technology, equipment maintenance, mechanical engineering and production technology, process industry, and vehicle technology. We participated in the pilots of the EduSTA project and one of our missions is to continue strengthening



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sustainability competencies of our VET teachers. Participating the project Net Zero VET Pedagogies offers a great opportunity for this.

Expected added value

Our organisation expects that the collaboration will:

- enhance the impact and outreach of the project in professional and educational networks relevant to both the project and to our organisation
- strengthen dialogue, capacity building, and exchange of expertise within the project's thematic field
- provide access to and promote the project outcomes uptake within our organisation and wider community

We hereby confirm our willingness to collaborate as an Associate Partner and support the successful implementation and visibility of the project **Net Zero VET Pedagogies**.

Sincerely,

Tuula Hoivala and Head of Development

This document has been electronically signed.