

## **Review of Language Learning Needs for Romanian and Estonian Immigrants in two Professional Sectors: Agriculture and ICT**

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### **Abstract**

This paper presents findings conducted through LaProf project with the purpose of extracting language learning needs of two specific target groups: Romanian agriculturalists learning Greek and Estonian ICT professionals or teachers learning Finish. The findings specifically outline the "language and IT literacy profile" of targeted learners, determine the expected level of current knowledge/understanding of the target languages in the user communities, and identify user preferences for which types of language learning exercises would be most appropriate for the learners. Generally, there is a low knowledge of the target languages among the user groups and a high level of IT knowledge.

The research was conducted through information-gathering workshops held with participants in the originating counties (Romania and ICT) and further supplemented with additional workshops and the distribution of additional questionnaires in the target countries (Greece and Finland).