

The MC GREEN project aims applies the internationally recognised ISO 17024 standard to ensure quality assurance in micro-credentials within European vocational education. Based on an analysis of ISO requirements and current VET practices, two innovative micro-credential programmes in the green economy will be tested.

## Approval of training providers

## TRAINING PROVIDER APPROVAL

The certification body must approve the training provider in terms of quality and suitability.

This approval is required if the program is defined as an **entry requirement**.

Close cooperation with the certification body is recommended during the development of the certification scheme.

## IMPARTIALITY PRINCIPLE

The impartiality approach is a crucial criterion of ISO17024.

It requires **separation** between the training process and the testing/certification.

The organisation that delivers training **must not be the same** that tests and certifies the competencies.

## EXCLUSIVITY AND PROVIDER APPROVAL

Other training organisations may apply for approval, though this is uncommon.

In practice, a single **VET provider** is usually the **exclusive** training provider
for the competencies of the
certification scheme.

This **exclusivity** helps ensure **coherence and effective management** of the process.



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