

# **EO4GEO Alliance**

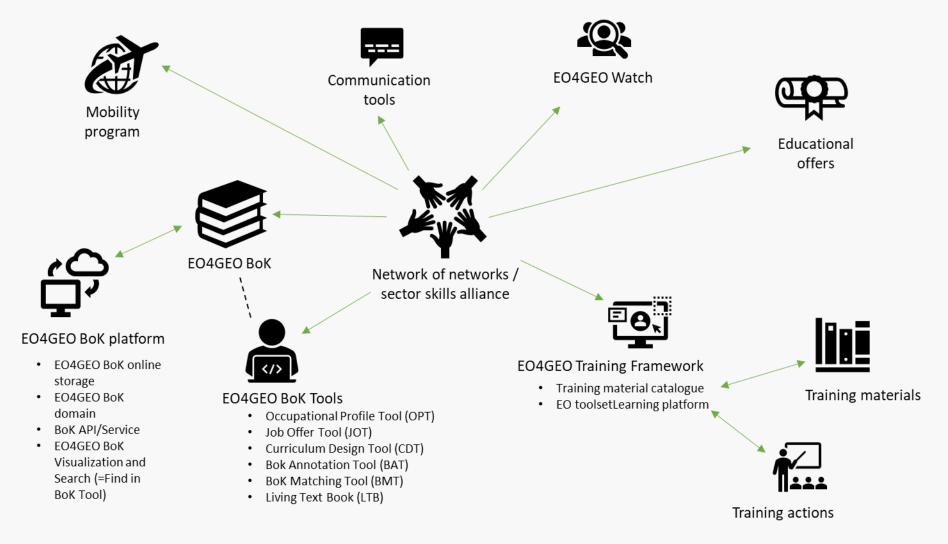
Main objectives and next steps

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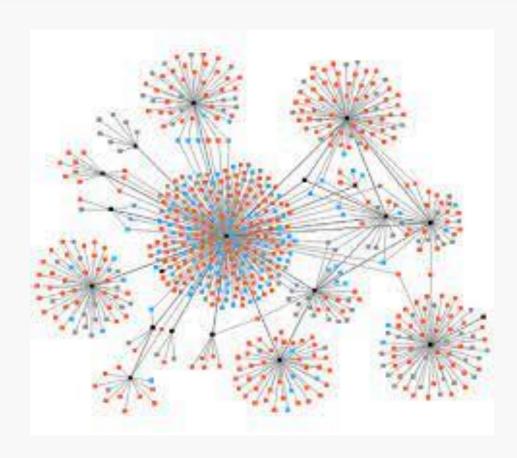


# A portfolio of products and services



## **EO4GEO: lessons learnt**





We need to think from the perspective of the whole ecosystem ...

Skills development is a collaborative and collective endeavor
Single organisations can't offer a complete set of education and training



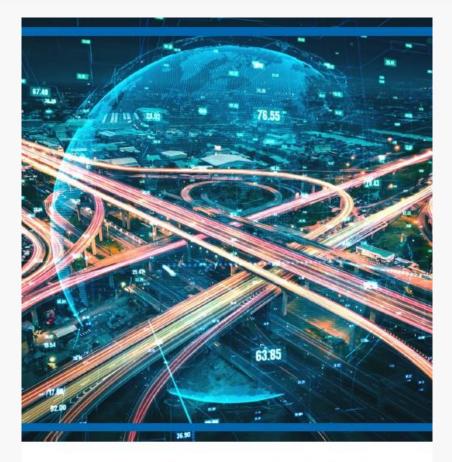
# **EO4GEO:** challenges



# How is this translated in the SSS and LTAP?

- SO1 Skills Intelligence mechanism
- SO2 Maintaining BoK for EO\*GI and tools
- SO3 One-stop porta, guidance mechanism and certification
- SO4 Linking to other sectors
- SO5 Citizens engagement, new learning methods

Need for active collaboration of partners, associated partners and seeking for new partners ...



#### SPACE / GEOINFORMATION SECTOR SKILLS STRATEGY (IN ACTION)



A document prepared by the EO4GEO Alliance

### **EO4GEO** evolution: the Alliance



The EO4GEO legacy is adopted by the EO4GEO Alliance, open to all key stakeholders in the sector.

The Alliance wants to implement a coordinated approach to skills development in the space downstream sector, ensuring the various initiatives are not scattered but developed within a coherent framework provided by the Sector Skills Strategy and through actions detailed in the LTAP (<a href="http://www.eo4geo.eu/public-deliverables/">http://www.eo4geo.eu/public-deliverables/</a>).

The Alliance implements the Strategic Objectives of the SSS and wish to constitute the basis to establish a LSP supporting the Pact for Skills, to be complementary and collaborating with the existing LSP on Aerospace and Defence and with those representing the other vertical sectors, which could benefit from the provision of space-related data and services

The expectation from the LSP is to raise awarness on a segment of the space economy which is recognised to have a strong growth potential for next decade(s) but it is often underestimated in comparison to the more well-known upstream segment.

## **EO4GEO Alliance: what's next**



The EO4GEO Alliance kicked-off on 22nd November 2022 and the first meeting of the Steering Committee will take place on 13th December.

Already 23 members from 13 EU countries signed the Network Agreement to join the Alliance and other 17 are negotiating to join. They are composed by HEI, companies, sectoral associations and public institutions.

Activities for the next months are deeply focused on members support to promote new projects and initiatives under current calls, in particular ERASMUST, and the HE, but not only.

The strategic lines for the short medium term also rely on the set-up of the LSP for the space downstream sector, for which a dedicated meeting was held with the Pact for Skills Support office and referees from relevant DGs (EMPL, GROW, DEFIS). A follow-up meeting addressing the concrete steps to set-up the Partnership is already scheduled for late January-beginning of February 2022.

The Alliance is open to all stakeholders to join; the aim is to reach a critical mass to act collectively towards key institutions. Don't miss it out!!

# Why to join the Alliance



- Participate in key discussion panels at the EC level regarding skills development in the Space Geoinformation sector and have timely information on open and upcoming skills development and capacity building related calls.
- Participate in and contribute to education and training services developed under the EO4GEO brand.
- ➤ Be part of a dynamic international partnership allowing you to access and bundle the knowledge and expertise needed to:
  - Set-up strong transnational consortia to submit proposals for funding, ensuring that efforts are not duplicated or weakened.
  - Participate to tenders and procurements with the right partners.
  - Submit offers for commercial exploitation of added value services and training initiatives.
  - o Propose and develop initiatives to mainstream the results at national and regional level.
- ➤ Be engaged in the Large Scale Partnership for the Space Geoinformation sector to be submitted to DG EMPL under the Pact for Skills, accessing dedicated service set by the Commission, such as:
  - Networking Hub (supporting in finding partners and first meetings, linking with existing EU tools and network of public employment services, promoting the activities of the members);
  - Knowledge Hub (access to webinars, seminars, peer learning activities, updates on the EU policies and instruments, information on projects, tools, instruments and best practices);
  - Guidance & Resources Hub (access to information on relevant EU funding, guidance to identify financial possibilities, facilitation of exchange between the Pact and national / regional authorities).
- ➤ Be part of a recognized brand acting collectively towards relevant institutions and reaching out to key stakeholders with a stronger impact.
- Have visibility on the Alliance website and promote your activities via the channels operated by the Alliance.

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