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BUILDING DIGITAL COMPETENCIES: CASE OF LATVIA

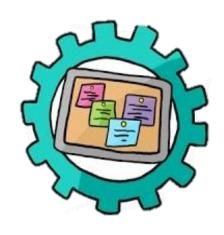
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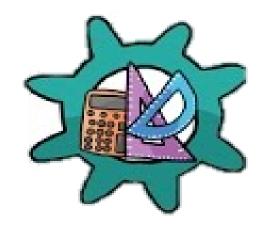
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General education: change from subjects-based to competencies-based education







Digital skills + Learning How to Learn

Open Education
Resources
for teachers of STEM
subjects

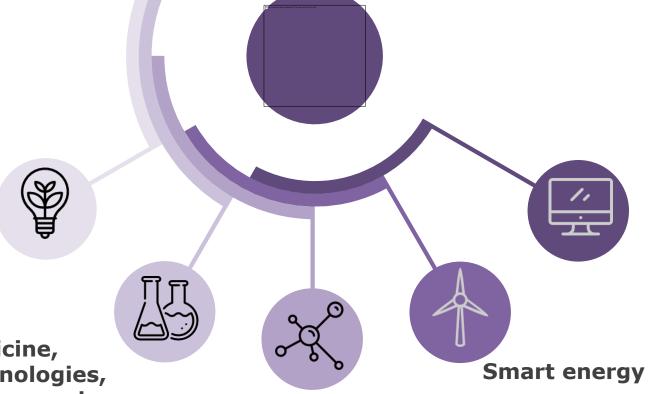
Strengthening teachers' digital skills



Knowledge-based bio

economics

Higher Education and Research: ICT as enabler for all priority areas of Smart Specialization Strategy



Information and communication technologies

Bio-medicine, medical technologies,

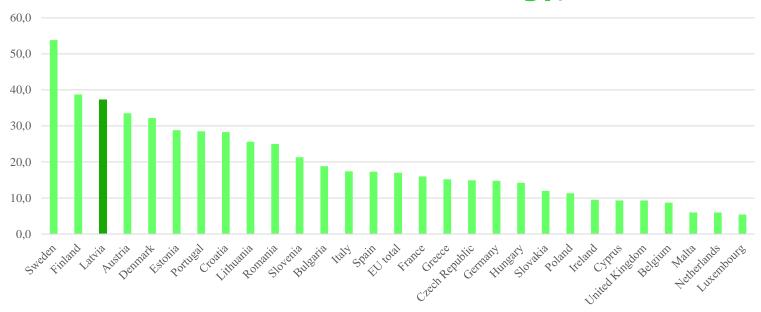
bio-pharmacy and biotechnologies

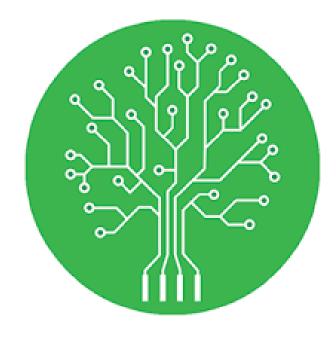
Advanced materials, technologies, engineering systems



Launching State Research Programme in Energy: IT solutions as part of smarter energy generation and consumption

Share of renewable energy, EU





Eurostat, 2016



Critical thinking, media literacy and cyber security: how high do we score?



NGO educational initiative supported by the Ministry of Education- summer school for young people focusing on digital skills, media critical literacy, thinking and detecting media manipulation. Participants from Latvia, Estonia, USA and Ukraine.





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Thank you!

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