



## CONSORTIUM ERASMUS

LEGTA VIC

Vic-en-Bigorre



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### OVERVIEW

Vic en Bigorre is located in the Midi-Pyrenees Region, in the South West of France, close to Tarbes, Lourdes and the various ski-resorts at a around 2 hours drive from Toulouse and Biarritz. The region is popular with its cultural heritage, its way of life and its gastronomy.

What an opportunity for over 300 pupils and students to learn about the Environment, Agriculture and Forestry in a nice rural area !

Vic en Bigorre is a welcoming city with sports facilities, corner shops, cafés and marketplace which buzzes with students' life. Anyone feels fine there.

The school has developed close links and partnerships with local businesses ranging from sawmills to wholesale and retail chain stores.

### MAIN ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

The **BTSA** is a degree that prepares the students two years after the baccalaureat. The BTSA provides both a solid basic knowledge and develop methodological skills and knowledge recognized by companies. This diversity in learning allows the students easy insertion in a large panel of jobs.



**BTS Analysis and Control of Operating Systems** aims to train polyvalent senior technicians able to work in different types of businesses or agriculture and para-agriculture. Many mission can be entrusted to them, including the technical and economic advice to the company, the marketing of agricultural products, animation groups of farmers ... The graduation of BTSA, having a good knowledge of rural areas and skills, allows them to become head of farm.



**BTS Management and the Protection of Nature** aims to train senior technicians responsible for implementation and monitoring the projects and management of natural area and the environment in respect of sustainable development. In this respect, it prepares to conduct operations enabling enhancement the spaces, local resources and the maintenance of biodiversity. These field technicians are more responsible for raising public awareness of preserving the natural areas.



**BTS Technico-Commercial "Forest and Wood Products"** aims to train future technical and business executives. It provides students with the knowledge of various markets of forest industry - wood as well as methods of mobilization the forest products. It encourages self-reliance, personal initiative and work management across multiple projects in small groups. The Students get familiar with the working environment and the forestry sector. They launch commercial actions and learn professional skills :

- to be autonomous, to take personal initiative in personal and group project works.
- to adjust to a new environment and team, be in charge of an experimental project planned ahead with the teachers and tutor.
- to have a good practice and knowledge of the Forestry Sector (contractors, sawmills, the pulp industry, panelling...)

## PARTNERS IN EUROPE

- AE training Institute of Jaca – Spain
- Forestry school of Jamsankoski – Finland
- Stora Segerstad –Reftele Sweden
- Polytechnic University – Czestochowa- Poland
- Polytechnic University – Prague – Czech Republic
- Vocational school of Agriculture – Serpa – Portugal
- Trutnov Forestry Academy – Czech Republic
- High School of King Ferdinand Sighet – Romania
- Québec
- Ukraine
- Chambers of Agriculture
- Agricultural trade unions
- Pedagogical farms • ONF • CRPF
- Local companies

