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#### Project partners:

- Sport organisations
  - EOC EU Office, Project leader
  - European Non-Governmental Sports Organisation
  - NOC Finland
  - European Athletics
- Athletes
  - German Athletes' Commission
  - EOC Athletes' Commission
- Business
  - Adecco
- Educational Institutions
  - European Athlete as a Student Network
  - Semmelweiß University
  - "Specialised Organisations"
    - Olympic Training Center Berlin
    - Institut National du Sport, Expertise et Performance



### Objective

- Bring together stakeholders in dual career
- Identify good practices
- Disseminate guidelines on dual career to create an enabling environment/ framework





#### **Activities**

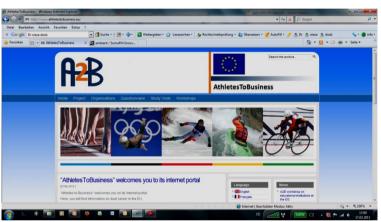
- Processes
  - Workshops (4)
  - Study visits (5)
  - Final conference



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• Languages: EN, FR

- 4 questionnaires
  - Languages: DE, EN, FR, HU
  - 950 responses
  - Analysis
- Guidelines





Focus: Athlete

"If you are in transition [from sports to the labor market], what do you think are the largest barriers to making the transition?"

"When I was young the clubs make me think I can arrive to be a big player, but I finish my career without nothing in my hands no study and no money, now I got a family and I am depressed !!!"

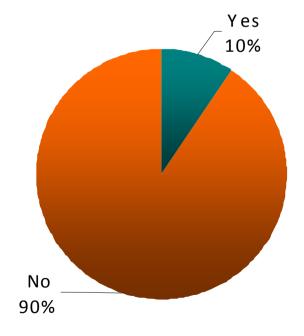
"The age and the experience"

"It's impossible to learn and train at the same time."

"A bad Curriculum Vitae and no experience in business."

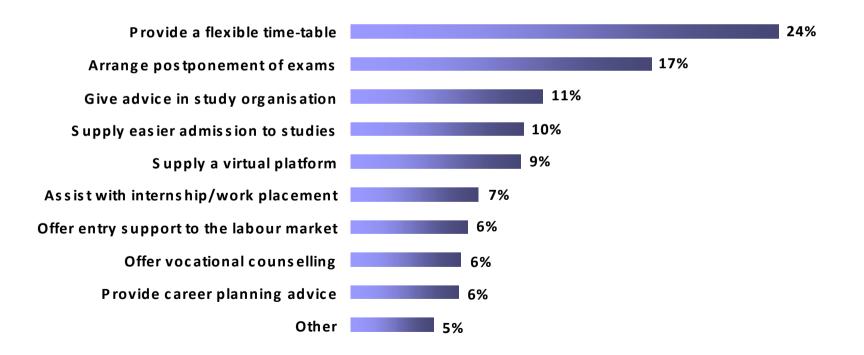


Are you currently/ Have you been taking part in a career programme designed for athletes?
N=647





How could your school or university provide/ have provided you with better support?
N=1329





- Guidelines Athletes
  - Be Committed, Proactive and Ask
  - Athletes' Commissions inform and advocate DC

- Guidelines Businesses
  - Businesses Should Be Open and Available for Dialogue



- Guidelines Educational Institutions
  - Flexibility
  - Cooperation SO and educational institutions
- Guidelines Sport Organisations
  - Commitment
  - Mainstream DC



- Guidelines EU
  - Political support for DC
    - WG education and training
    - Council recommendation
    - Be athlete friendly
  - Support relevant networks which share good practices and knowledge



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