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Webinar

Integrating digital skills in apprenticeships – Introducing the new EAfA Toolkit

11:00 – 12:30 CET | 4 December

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Welcome and introduction

Andrew McCoshan, VET Expert

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AGENDA

Time	Sessions
11:00 – 11:05	Welcome by Andrew McCoshan, VET Expert
11:05 – 11:15	**The importance of digital skills: current EU initiatives and the new EAfA Toolkit on Digital Skills in Apprenticeships** • Anna Barbieri, Team Leader for apprenticeships and Erasmus+, DG EMPL, European Commission
11:15 - 12:25	**Panel discussion (two rounds) – key steps to make the most of the digital transformation through apprenticeships** • Vlasis Korovilos, Expert, Department for VET and Skills, Cedefop • Émilie Christe, VP and CMO of Mimbus • Theodor Grassos, Secretary General, European Association of Institutes for Vocational Training (EVBB) • Daniele Sabato, Project and Policy Officer, OBESSU **Presentation of the EAfA Toolkit on Digital Skills in Apprenticeships by Ecorys**
12:25 - 12:30	**Concluding remarks**

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The importance of digital skills: current EU initiatives and the new EAfA Toolkit on Digital Skills in Apprenticeships

Anna Barbieri, Team Leader for Apprenticeships and Erasmus+,
DG EMPL, European Commission

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Panel discussion – key steps to make the most of the digital transformation through apprenticeships

Round 1 (11:15-11:50 CET)

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Panel discussion (Round 1) – thematic focus: assessing digital needs and building capacity for digital skills

Moderator: Andrew McCoshan, VET Expert

Panellists:

- **Vlasis Korovilos**, Expert, Department for VET and Skills, Cedefop
- **Émilie Christe**, VP and CMO of Mimbus
- **Theodor Grassos**, Secretary General, European Association of Institutes for Vocational Training (EVBB)
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EAfA Toolkit on Digital Skills in Apprenticeships : planning and assessing digital skills needs and building internal capacity

Flavia Colonnese, Senior Research Manager, EU Social Policy, Ecorys

11:50 – 12:00 CET

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Toolkit on Digital Skills in apprenticeships: tailored advice for Companies and VET providers

The **Toolkit on Digital Skills in apprenticeships** includes:

- ✓ Introduction to **key concepts** to better understand digitalisation in relation to apprenticeships
- ✓ Overview of the main **EU policies and funding instruments** supporting digital skills in education and training
- ✓ **Step-by-step guidance** to support **companies and VET providers** through their digitalisation journey
- ✓ **Examples** of implemented projects and relevant initiatives
- ✓ **Checklists** to summarise the key steps of introducing digital skills in apprenticeships

Download the Toolkit on Digital Skills in Apprenticeships on the EAfA website!

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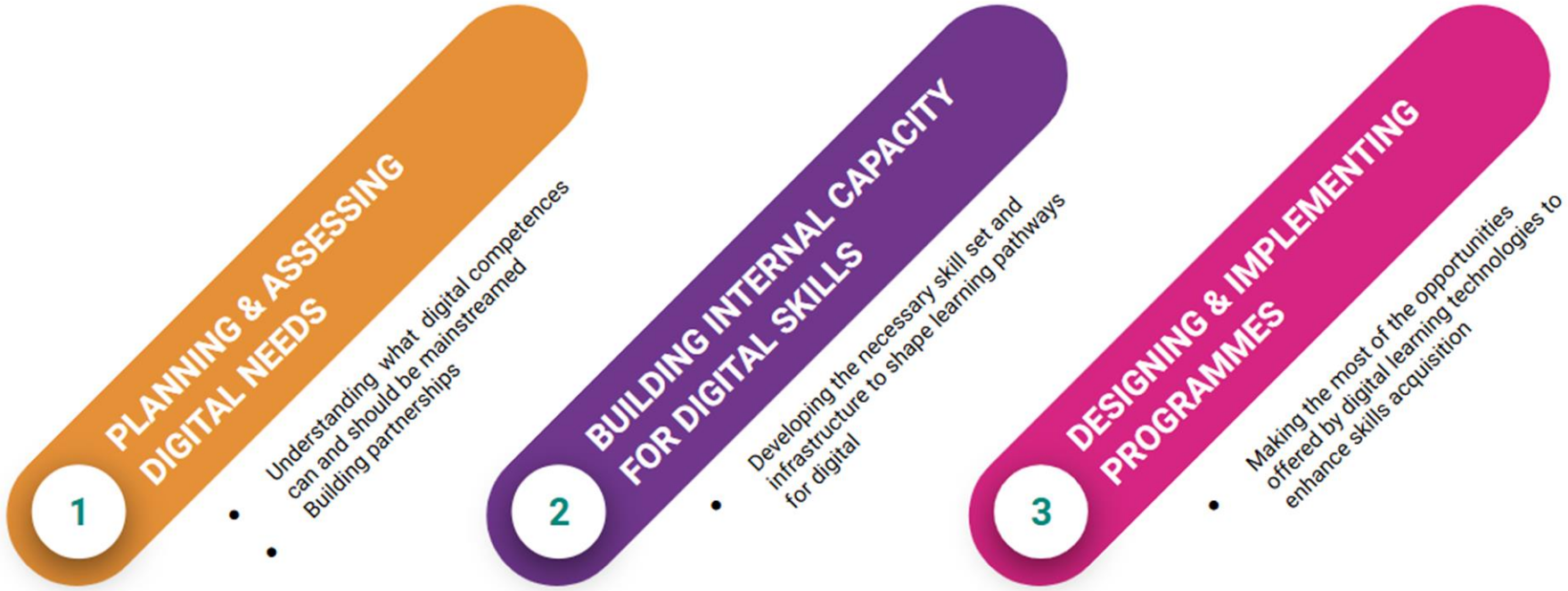
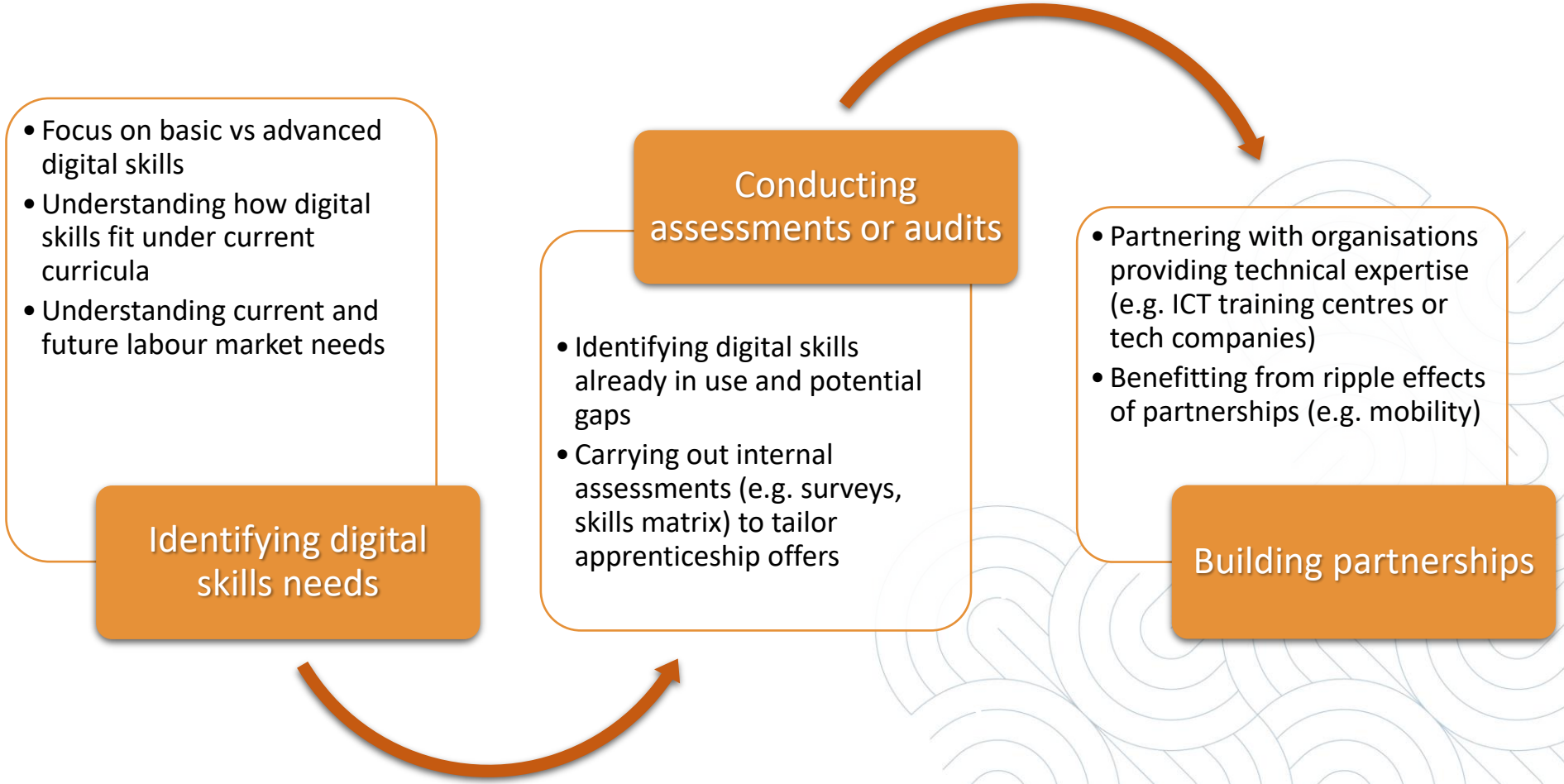
The digitalisation journey in three stages



Planning and assessing digital skills needs



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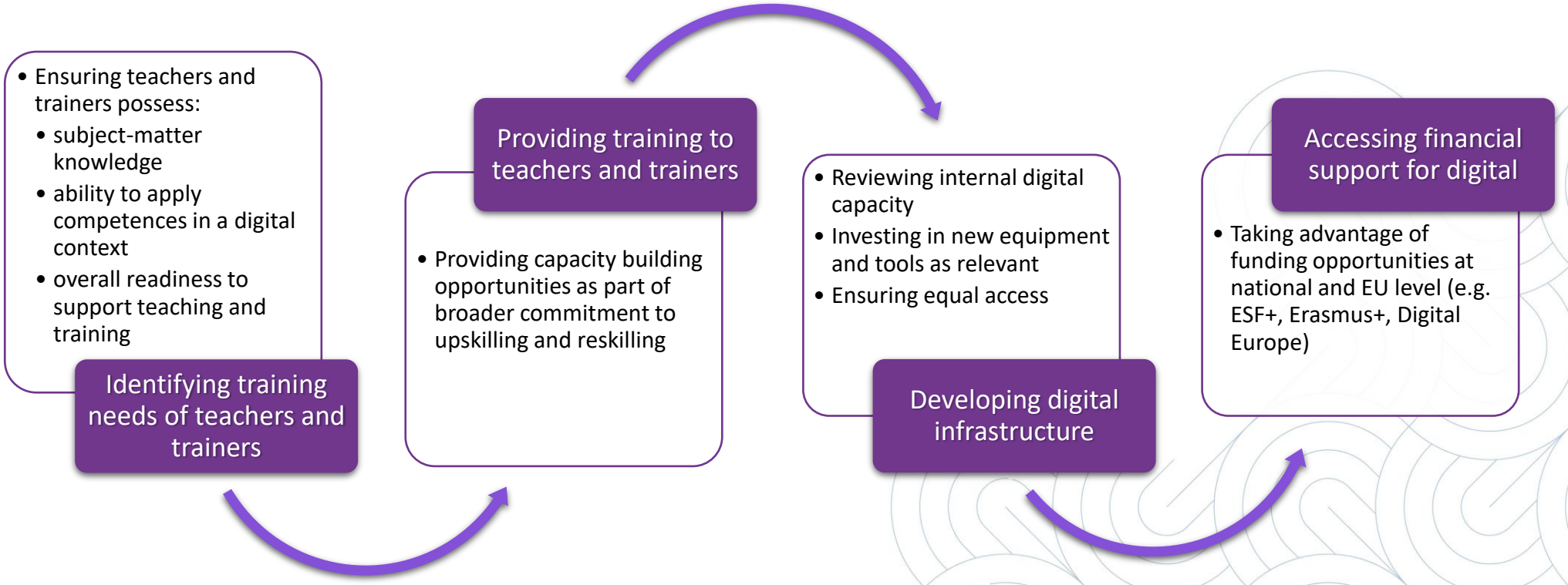
Building internal capacity for digital skills



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Panel discussion – thematic focus: designing programmes and maximising benefits

Round 2 (12:00-12:20 CET)

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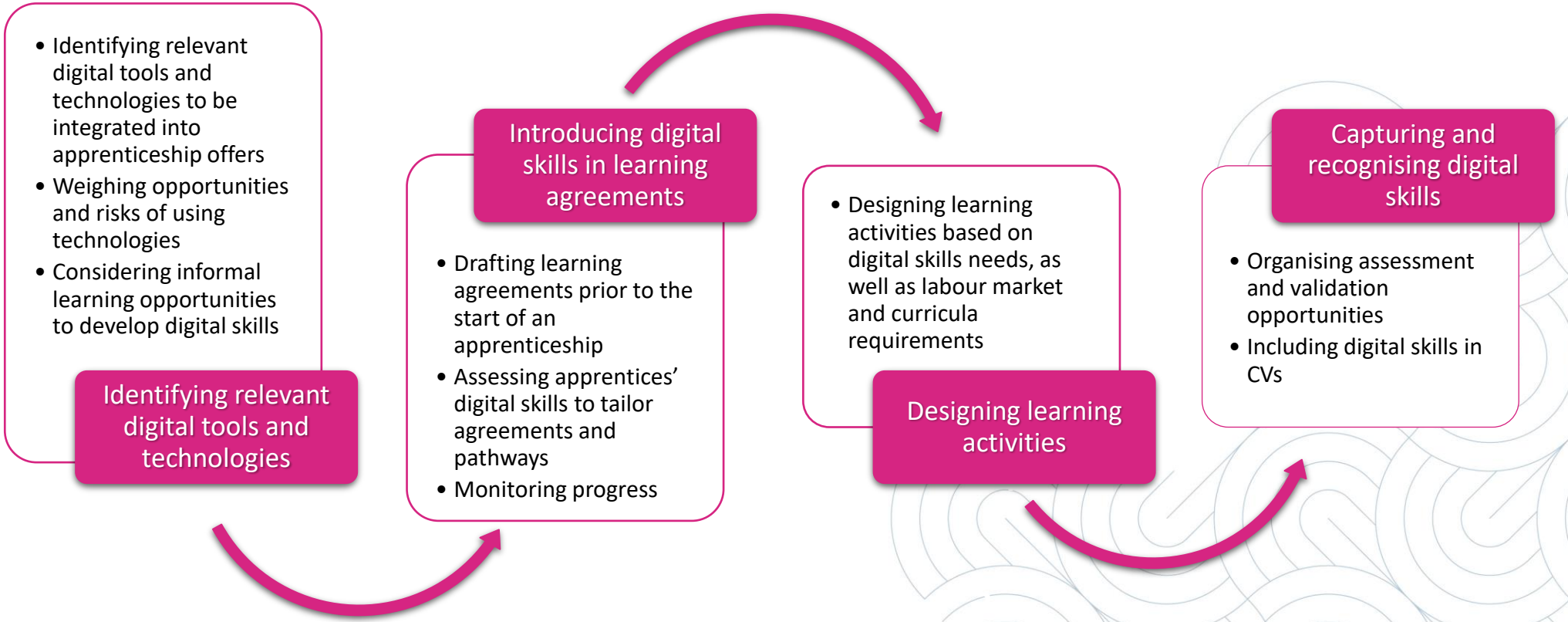
EAfA Toolkit on Digital Skills in Apprenticeships: designing programmes and maximising benefits

Flavia Colonnese, Senior Research Manager, EU Social Policy, Ecorys

12:20 – 12:25 CET

Designing and implementing programmes



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Concluding remarks

Andrew McCoshan, VET Expert, Ecorys

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