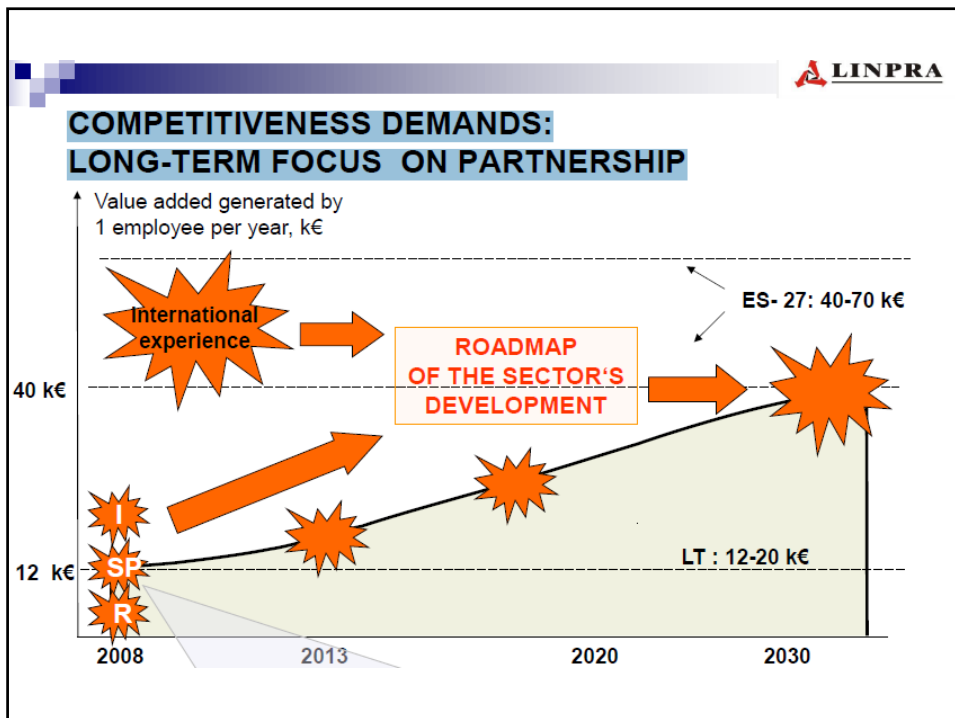




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Agreement on the establishing of bilateral council (2008-04-24)

AGREEMENT on cooperation in the sphere of education and training (2008-05-16)

- *Promote continued close mutual cooperation and pursue a full-fledged the partner status of state institutions in the field of vocational education and training and personal training*

Qualifications and Vocational Education and Training Development Centre

Sectoral professional committees

Metal production and processing, machinery and electronic equipment manufacturing and repair (Mechanical, electrical, and energy sectoral professional committee)

- Further company training requires a permanent employee and employer cooperation



School training model prevails in Lithuanian VET system.

Dual model is known in Lithuania, however is not used systematically, restricted to educational institutions, within the framework of individual projects

- In the situation then birth rate is declining, demographic crisis is deepening, higher education should pay more attention to the continuous vocational training. Informal training of employees to be carried out according to a flexible schedule, easily compatible with the working time.
- At present the most realistic approach is to adapt the dual training model not in core university, but in ongoing, training studios, according the *lifelong learning* strategy.

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