

Annex

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LIST OF UPPER SECONDARY PROGRAMMES
INCLUDED IN THE ISUSS STUDY

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	ISCED Level	Destination	Orientation	Minimum cumulative years of education from entry to primary education (grade)						Entry requirement (ISCED level)
				9	10	11	12	13	14	
Belgium (FL)¹										
ASO (3e lj – 6e lj)	3	A	G	9	10	11	12			ISCED 2
BSO (3 ^e lj – 6 ^e lj)	3	C	V	9	10	11	12			ISCED 2
TSO (3e lj – 6e lj)	3	A	V	9	10	11	12			ISCED 2
Denmark										
Alment gymnasium	3	A	G		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Højere forberedelseseksamen (HF)	3	A	G			11	12			ISCED 2
Højere handelseksamen (HHX)	3	A	G		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Højere teknisk eksamen (HTX)	3	A	G		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Erhvervsfaglige merkantile uddannelser (EUD merkantile)	3	C	V		10	11	12	13		ISCED 2
Erhvervsfaglige tekniske uddannelser (EUD Teknisk)	3	C	V		10	11	12	13		ISCED 2
Social- og sundhedsuddannelser (SOSU)	3	C	V		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Landbrugs-, gartner- og skovbrugsuddannelser	3	C	V		10	11	12	13		ISCED 2
Finland										
Lukio	3	A	G		10	11	12	13		ISCED 2
Ammatillinen koulu	3	A	V		10	11	12			ISCED 2
France										
Second cycle général du second degré	3	A	G		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Second cycle technologique du second degré	3	A	G		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Second cycle professionnel du second degré niveau CAP, BEP (sous statut scolaire)	3	C	V		10	11				ISCED 2
Second cycle professionnel du second degré niveau CAP, BEP (en apprentissage)	3	C	V		10	11				ISCED 2
Second cycle professionnel du second degré niveau bac (sous statut scolaire)	3	B	V				12	13		ISCED 3CV
Second cycle professionnel du second degré niveau bac (en apprentissage)	3	B	V				12	13		ISCED 3CV
Hungary										
Gimnázium (9-12. évfolyam)	3	A	G	9	10	11	12			ISCED 2
Szakközépiskola (9-12. évfolyam)	3	A	P	9	10	11	12			ISCED 2
Szakiskola (9-10. évfolyam)	3	C	G	9	10					ISCED 2
Szakiskola szakképző évfolyamai (11-12. évfolyam)	3	C	V			11	12			ISCED 3CG
Ireland²										
Leaving Certificate programme	3	A	G		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Leaving Certificate Vocational programme	3	A	P		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Transition Year programme	3	C	G		10					ISCED 2
Leaving Certificate Applied programme	3	C	P		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Italy										
Liceo classico, scientifico, linguistico	3	A	G	9	10	11	12	13		ISCED 2
Istituto magistrale, professionale e d'arte (4 ^o e 5 ^o anno), Istituto tecnico-professionale quinquennale, Corsi sperimentali tecnico-professionali quinquennali	3	A	V				12	13		ISCED 3CV
Liceo artistico	3	A	G	9	10	11	12	13		ISCED 2
Istituto professionale e d'arte (I, II e III anno)	3	C	V	9	10	11				ISCED 2
Korea										
General high school	3	A	G		10	11	12			ISCED 2
Vocational high school (including comprehensive high school)	3	C	V		10	11	12			ISCED 2

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Mexico											
(Matrícula en) bachillerato general	3	A	G		10	11	12	13			ISCED 2
(Matrícula en) bachillerato tecnológico	3	A	G		10	11	12	13			ISCED 2
(Matrícula en) profesional medio	3	C	V		10	11	12	13			ISCED 2
Netherlands³											
HAVO-bovenbouw	3	B	G		10	11					ISCED 2
VWO-bovenbouw	3	A	G		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Beroepsopleidende leerweg (BOL) kwalificatieniveau 3/4	3	C/B	V			11	12	13	(14)		ISCED 2
Beroepsbegeleidende leerweg (BBL) kwalificatieniveau 3/4	3	C/B	V			11	12	13	(14)		ISCED 2
Norway											
Allmennfaglige studieretninger	3	A	G			11	12	13	(14)		ISCED 2
Yrkesfaglige studieretninger	3	A	V			11	12	13	(14)		ISCED 2
Påbygging for generell studiekompetanse	3	C	V			11	12	13	(14)		ISCED 2
Påbygging for yrkesutdanning	3	C	V			11	12	13	(14)		ISCED 2
Teknisk fagskole	3	C	V			11	12	13	(14)		ISCED 2
Portugal											
Ensino Secundário – Cursos Gerais	3	A	G		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Ensino Secundário – Cursos Tecnológicos	3	B	G		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Cursos das Escolas Profissionais	3	C	V		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Cursos de Aprendizagem de Nível III	3	C	V		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Spain											
Bachillerato	3	A	G			11	12				ISCED 2
Ciclos Formativos de Formación Profesional de Grado Medio	3	C	V			11	12				ISCED 2
Sweden											
Gymnasieprogram utan yrkesämnen	3	A	G		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Gymnasieprogram med yrkesämnen	3	A	V		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Switzerland											
Sek. II: Gymnasiale Maturität	3	A	G		10	11	12	13			ISCED 2
Sek. II: Berufsmaturität	3	A	G		10	11	12	13	14		ISCED 2
Sek. II: Diplommittelschule (3 Jahre)	3	B	G		10	11	12				ISCED 2
Sek. II: Lehrerseminar	3	A	G		10	11	12	13	14		ISCED 2
Sek. II: Berufsbildung (mindestens 3 Jahre)	3	B	V		10	11	12	13			ISCED 2
Sek. II: Diplommittelschule (2 Jahre)	3	C	G		10	11					ISCED 2
Sek. II: Berufsbildung (2 Jahre)	3	C	V		10	11					ISCED 2
Sek. II: Anlehre	3	C	V		10	11					ISCED 2

Note: Programmes with a destination 'A' prepare for higher education of all types, programmes with a destination 'B' prepare for specific kinds of higher education, programmes with a destination 'C' prepare for the labour market or for another ISCED 3 programme. Programmes with an orientation 'G' are classified as general programmes, 'P' as pre-vocational programmes and 'V' as vocational programmes.

1. In Belgium (Fl.), there are four mainstream programmes in upper secondary education: ASO (general upper secondary education), BSO (vocational upper secondary education), KSO (artistic upper secondary education) and TSO (technical upper secondary education). Only schools providing ASO, BSO and TSO have participated to the ISUSS study.
2. The Leaving Certificate, Leaving Certificate Vocational and Leaving Certificate Applied programmes each have a 2 year duration which can begin in either year 10 or 11, depending on whether or not the transition year program is offered in year 10.
3. Vocational programs (BOL, BBL) as well as general programmes are flexible in the sense that they give different levels of qualification depending on when a student leaves the programme. Thus, there is a transition from HAVO to VWO in the case of general programmes. BOL and BBL qualifications are considered 3C or 3B level qualification as depending on the hierarchical course modules the student takes and the level of qualification examination taken.