# Identifying strategic goals and expected results

### A strategic goal

A typical strategic goal has the following characteristics:

- Clear link to mission and vision
- Based on realistic picture of past, present and future
- Challenges the status quo
- Formulated so that the organisation develops towards the desired future state

## Some points from your pre-assignments...

Every pre-assignement listed the following activities:

- Student mobility
- E+ or similar development and cooperation projects

#### Note!

A project or European or internationalisation co-operation is not a strategic goal in itself.

## Some points from your pre-assignments...

Topics that could be better taken into account:

- staff mobility
- incoming student and staff mobility
- quality and equality of mobility (and not just quantity)
- ECVET-process
- partnerships, networks and consortia (or twinning), memberships in international associations
- international branch certificates, other quality assurance
- intercultural skills development, international pathways, language learning
- internationalisation at home -> bilingual programmes, link to all curricula and development of teaching/training
- international skills competetitions
- immigrants and refugees

### Strategic goals...

How strategic are the following?

- More student mobility
- More partners
- Language learning for teachers
- Mobility experiences for teachers
- Applying for E+ VET Mobility Charter
- -> **WHY** are we doing these actions? Answering this WHY helps you to motivate people behind your goals...
- -> ...and makes your goals more strategic!

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- Work in institutional pairs
- Identify 1-2 development areas/topics/target groups you would like to work on in the coming years in your organisation
  - what are your needs, also based on the dreaming, timeline work, brainstorming of needs and previous experiences
- Define them more clearly and start to develop them into strategic goals
- Make clear notes for yourself, you can also use flip charts

-> in English, please, these will be used as a part of the common work in the afternoon!