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# Key Partners in Labor Market

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# Social Partners

- **Social Partners are responsible to ensure smooth functioning of labor markets**
- Three types of activities involving the social partners:
  - **social dialogue** designates bipartite work by the social partners
  - **consultation of the social partners**
  - **tripartite concertation** designates exchanges between the social partners

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## Main activities:

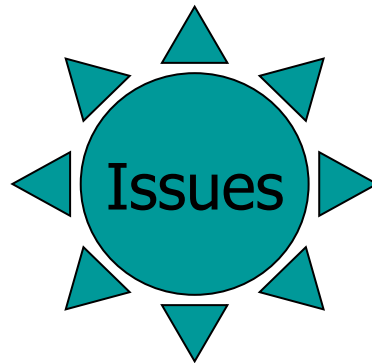
- Contribution to and promotion of growth, jobs and the modernisation of the country
- Reinforcement of social partners autonomy
- Focus on local and Europe's major economic and social challenges
- Development of a common understanding of the social dialogue instruments and analysis of their impact at the various levels of social dialogue
- Joint analysis on key challenges facing local and Europe's labor market

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## In the framework of the Lisbon Strategy ...

Macro-economic policy  
including structural reforms

Employment policy



Education and Training

Social protection

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**Discussions between social partners and public authorities on economic and labor market issues**

Why?

- to help devising widely supported policies
- to exchange views on policies
- to give advice

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## Pilot VET Advisory Council

- Ministry of Civil Affairs
- Ministry of Treasury and Finance
- FBiH Ministry of Labor and Social Policy
- Federal Employment Institute
- RS Ministry of Labor and Veterans
- RS Employment Institute
- FBiH Ministry of Education and Science
- Cantonal Pedagogical Institutes
- RS Ministry of Education and Science
- RS Pedagogical Institute
- BiH Employers Association
- Chamber of Commerce
- Trade Union
- Teachers representative
- School directors (2)

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**Thank you!**