

# SINCOE Supporting Innovation Competence in Online Education

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<b>Innovation competences</b>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Ability to create, introduce, adapt, and/or apply a beneficial novelty in any part of an organization. That is to say, being able to introduce something new (an idea, a method or process to do something, or a device, or an invention) or the useful improvement of something that already exists and adds value to people/organizations and society/planet. In the search for adding value, the innovation process starts with the proposal and generation of new ideas and ends with using the results.</i>
<b>Creativity</b>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Ability to think beyond existing ideas, rules, patterns or relationships. To generate or adapt meaningful alternatives, ideas, products, methods or services regardless of possible practicality and future added value.</i>
<b>Critical thinking</b>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Ability to analyze issues, evaluate advantages and disadvantages, and estimate the risks involved for a purpose. Optional items can be used to take into consideration ethical principles, sustainability and a research-based approach.</i>
<b>Initiative</b>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Ability to make decisions or take actions to operationalize ideas that foster positive changes. To influence creative people and those who have to implement the ideas.</i>
<b>Teamwork</b>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Ability to work effectively with others in a group.</i>
<b>Networking</b>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Ability to cooperate with people outside the work team who are important to the task of the group.</i>
<b>Dimension</b>	<b>ID</b>	<b>EN(reference)</b>
CREATIVITY	1	Use intuition and own knowledge to generate ideas.
CREATIVITY	2	Find new ways to implement ideas.
CREATIVITY	3	Create original solutions to problems or exploiting opportunities.
CREATIVITY	4	Make suggestions to improve current process products or services.
CREATIVITY	5	Present novel ideas.
CREATIVITY	6	Show inventiveness in using resources.
CREATIVITY	7	Search out new working methods, techniques or instruments.
CREATIVITY	8	Refine ideas.
CRITICAL THINKING	1	Use trial and error analysis for problem solving.
CRITICAL THINKING	2	Develop and experiment with new ways of problem solving.
CRITICAL THINKING	3	Challenge the current state.
CRITICAL THINKING	4	Face the task from different points of view.
CRITICAL THINKING	5	Take into account multiple impacts.
CRITICAL THINKING	6	Ask "Why?" and "Why not?" and "What if?" in a targeted manner
CRITICAL THINKING	7	Take an acceptable level of risk to support new ideas.

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<b>CRITICAL THINKING</b>	<i>Opt.</i>	<i>Adheres to the ethical principles and values of the field of profession.</i>
<b>CRITICAL THINKING</b>	<i>Opt.</i>	<i>Make decisions based on data and evidence.</i>
<b>CRITICAL THINKING</b>	<i>Opt.</i>	<i>Analyze sustainability challenges, their interdependencies and the various aspects of issues and problems.</i>
<b>CRITICAL THINKING</b>	<i>Opt.</i>	<i>Use information in finding, implementing and establishing sustainable solutions and operating models.</i>
<b>INITIATIVE</b>	1	Foster improvements in working environment.
<b>INITIATIVE</b>	2	Dare to experiment new ideas.
<b>INITIATIVE</b>	3	Go beyond expectations in the assignment, task, or job description without being asked.
<b>INITIATIVE</b>	4	Take action to convince people to support an innovative idea.
<b>INITIATIVE</b>	5	act systematically.
<b>INITIATIVE</b>	6	Start actions without hesitation.
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	1	Be attentive when others are speaking, and responds effectively to others' comments during the conversation.
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	2	Invite feedback and comments.
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	3	Takes constructive feedback into account.
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	4	Identify the sources of conflict between themselves and others and between other people and take steps to harmonise conflict situations.
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	5	Provide and accept constructive feedback, cooperation or help to and from team colleagues.
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	6	Work well with others, understanding their needs.
<b>TEAMWORK</b>	7	Consult about essential changes.
<b>NETWORKING</b>	1	Discuss with people with different kinds of ideas and perspectives to extend your own knowledge domains.
<b>NETWORKING</b>	2	Bring ideas from outside into the group.
<b>NETWORKING</b>	3	Share timely information with the appropriate stakeholders.
<b>NETWORKING</b>	4	Build formal and informal relationships outside the team/organisation from the beginning.
<b>NETWORKING</b>	5	Interact well in multidisciplinary/multicultural/international environments.