

Identifying skills and competences for Ambient Assisted Living (AAL) Jobs

Europe is becoming an Ageing society. The consequences of the demographic change represent an exceptional challenge for public health and elderly care systems of the European Union. ICT based assistance systems promise a solution to this problem, enabling the elderly to stay longer in their familiar surroundings. Yet, these systems are highly demanding both to those planning, installing and maintaining them and to the caregivers.

The CompAAL project aims at fostering employability and preventing skilled staff shortages in this quickly technologically developing environment, by identifying the necessary competences of specific AAL Job Role Profiles at European level, based on the analysis of the market needs.

5 Job Role profiles have been identified which contain the skills and competences for professional success in the AAL field:

- [AAL System Architect](#)
- [AAL Solutions and System Developer](#)
- [AAL Maintenance Specialist](#)
- [AAL Community Manager](#)
- [AAL Consultant](#)

Help us shape the AAL Role Profiles to the real market needs and give us your feedback in the [online evaluation form!](#)

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"Ambient Assisted Living (...) aims to prolongate the time people can live in a decent way in their own home by increasing their autonomy and self-confidence, the discharge of monotonously everyday activities, to monitor and care for the elderly or ill person, to enhance the security and to save resources." (Steg, H., Strese, H., Loroff, C., Hull, J. & Schmidt, S. (2006). *Europe Is Facing a Demographic Challenge - Ambient Assisted Living Offers Solutions*. Berlin, Germany: VDI/VDE/IT)

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