Gradia workshop with study councellors

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1. Guidance situations

a. Fear of giving information because it will be used --> the point is that it should be used --> using information results in better guidance

2. Goals

- a. Questions:
 - i. What do you want?
 - ii. What interests you?
 - iii. What are your time constraints?
 - iv. How can you finance your studies?
- b. What affects:
 - i. Motivation x2
 - ii. Factual information about field of study that interests the client
 - iii. What work would client likes to do
 - iv. What do you want to study
 - v. Hobbies
 - vi. Special skills
 - vii. Prior competencies x2
 - viii. Language level x2
 - ix. Prior working experience

c. Blockers:

- i. Learning disabilities
- ii. Learning skills
- iii. Lack of realism
- iv. False ideas
- v. Money
- vi. Opinion of others (e.g. parents)
- vii. Lack of language skills
- viii. Illiteracy
- ix. Lacking motivation
- x. No profession
- xi. Guidance vs selection
- xii. No knowledge of culture or society and its rules
- xiii. Too strict goals
- xiv. No knowledge of possibilities + own strengths + possible education paths
- xv. Life situation
- xvi. Lack of focus

d. Tools:

- i. Discussion
- ii. Tutoring/mentoring groups (OSANA-project)
- iii. Questionnaires
- iv. History-Present-Future as a visual map
- v. Traineeship, work trial
- vi. Diplomas
- vii. Exclusion as a method of choosing (selecting those things that **don't** interest,
 - motivate, etc.)
- viii. Degree lottery (list of all degrees by field)
- ix. Metaphoric discussion / visualisation

- x. Peer discussion
- xi. Essays
- xii. Visits to professionals at work
- 3. Non-formal competencies
 - a. Lack of tools
 - b. Tools
 - i. Visual work day clock that client fills (what kind of tasks you do during the day)
 - ii. <mark>Sociomap</mark>
 - iii. Questions about hobbies
 - iv. Dream vs vision vs I can start now –timeframe
 - v. Descriptive qualitative word clouds
 - vi. "What it means for you to work in X?"
- 4. Combining labour market needs with competencies
 - a. Not that much in guidance work
 - b. Näyttötutkinto does not work
 - c. A lot of prejudice (e.g. "metal industry is dying here" although it's flourishing somewhere close by)
 - d. Labour market situation Near, a bit further or in other country VS education available nearby
- 5. Mock up prototype comments
 - a. "Printable" version to take with to guidance session
 - b. Less textuality since, not all can write
 - c. Guidance councillor could tip a customer to use the comptence profile before a guidance session
 - d. Independent use requires a lot of motivation
 - e. Profile should be able to be shared by link like study records in Koski
 - f. A miniapp or link to reserving an appointment with guidance councellors
 - Would guide to check in with a guidance councellor

