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Establishing a Danube training academy as measure against brain drain from rural and crisis regions

Context and challenges

- Ongoing brain drain in rural & crisis regions
- Social stress and ageing population
- Decline of traditional manufacturing industries



Project Objective

- Establish a transnational training academy in additive manufacturing
- Target: young people & vulnerable groups
- Contributes to Danube Region Programme objective 3.2 and EUSDR Priority Area 9 'People & Skills'

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Innovation and approach

- Linking Industry 4.0, education and regional development
- A Danube Training Academy combining physical and digital labs
- Modular curricula and train-the-trainer programmes
- Blended learning and cross-border cooperation
- Synergies between universities, VET providers, SMEs and policymakers



Impact

Empowering Learners

- We empower learners through modern training, create new career paths, and build a skilled workforce that stays in the region

Boosting the Labour Market

- Builds a skilled workforce for SMEs and regional industries
- Retains talent in rural areas, reducing migration to urban centres
- Strengthens regional resilience and competitiveness in the Danube Region

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Sustainability



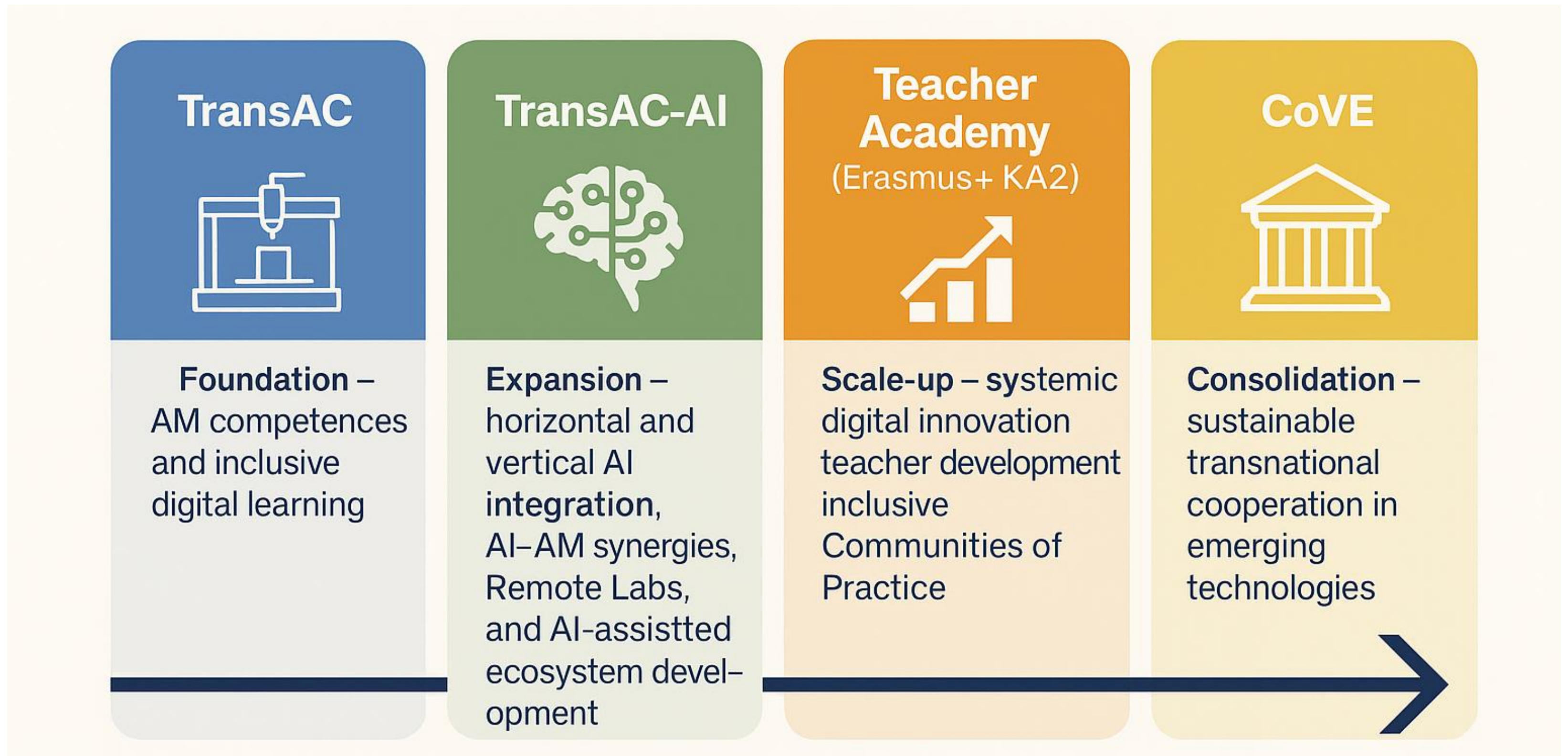
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