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At the Gridin's Group International Training Center (ITC), informal training for scaffolders is organized and conducted on a regular basis according to various programs. One example of the informal training programs is the "Skills Upgrade Program for Scaffolders". Specialists of the Latvian branch of the "Scafoteam Finland" OY company (Finland) underwent training according to this program.



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Scaffold erection and dismantling work is included in the category of hazardous work, so scaffolders are required to constantly upgrade their skills. The main purpose of the informal training is to improve the theoretical knowledge of the specialists and reinforce it through practical training based on simulating various work situations at the specialized facilities of the training center.

All the participants of the training have more than 5 years of experience in scaffold erection and dismantling. However, during the informal training according to the “Skills Upgrade Program for Scaffolders”, specialists who already have knowledge and experience in these areas also acquire additional theoretical knowledge and practical skills in the following disciplines:

- Health protection and safety requirements and work area fencing requirements. Use of safety signs;
- Risk assessment during scaffold erection and dismantling work (weather conditions, falling objects and many other risks);
- Use of personal protection equipment and safety devices when working with scaffolds;
- Safe loads and determination of the fall factor when erecting or dismantling scaffolds at heights;
- Working with tools, including regulations for their storage and transportation when working at heights;
- Types of scaffolds and scaffold components
- Basic principles of scaffold erection and dismantling;
- Methods for the inspection and checking of erected structures;
- Principles used in developing plans for carrying out rescue operations at heights.

Having completed the informal training according to the “Skills Upgrade Program for Scaffolders”, the specialists of the “Scafoteam Finland” OY company will successfully apply the acquired knowledge in their everyday work.






