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Creating partnerships for learning in atmospheric composition change - an ACCENT perspective

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The European Network of Excellence (NoE) in Atmospheric Composition Change (ACCENT) aims at motivating and training the next generation of atmospheric scientists in the field. Although the strategies for learning and teaching in ACCENT aim at satisfying the needs of all defined target groups (e.g., lower graduates), a special emphasis is placed on early career scientists. Here, we report on the needs of early career scientists as experienced during training events in the first phase of ACCENT, and present the learning tools and educational programmes developed and offered. A special focus is placed on the ACCENT Mentoring Scheme for early career scientists in atmospheric composition change, where the community is invited to participate.