

What is Welcome&CO?

WELCOME&CO is an initiative that seeks to promote the participation of small and medium-sized enterprises as host partners in international work experience programmes in the European Union.

To do so a network of SMEs will be created in the project's five regions: Veneto (Italy), Cornwall (United Kingdom), Berlin (Germany), Primorska/Littoral (Slovenia) and Cantabria (Spain), so that organisations running this kind of scheme (called Sending Institutions) can refer potential work experience candidates to them.

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What can the Welcome&CO project bring to your SME?



It will take you less than 5 minutes to find out.

Promoting the active participation of SMEs in international job mobility work experience programmes in Europe



Lifelong Learning Programme

Project co-funded by the European Commission through the Leonardo da Vinci Lifelong Learning Programme within the framework of the multi-lateral transfer of innovation (TOI) projects.



We'll explain why the Cantabrian Chamber of Commerce wants your help in less than one minute:

Because **we're convinced of the benefits of this programme**, not just for young people but also for employers. We have been running European mobility programmes for over twenty years and their impact and results are testament to this:

- They promote **contact and coordination in the business sector within the European context that we operate in**, enabling us to make the most of the opportunities that we know these international work experience programmes bring.

- **They enhance the competitiveness of our economy in Europe**, cultivating a highly qualified workforce of motivated young people ready to be employed.

In a couple of minutes you'll find out how to participate:

Does it cost my company anything?

No. Neither being part of the WELCOME&CO project's SME network nor participating as a host company in the future will cost you anything.

What benefits can it bring me as an employer in the short term?

Qualified and motivated young people from Italy (Veneto), the United Kingdom (Cornwall), Germany (Berlin) and Slovenia (Littoral/Primorska) **will join your SME to undertake work experience.**

Who selects the interns?

The sending institutions will refer candidates to you who meet your requirements: level of education, professional experience of the intern, roles, tasks, etc.

How is the relationship between the SME, the intern and the organisation running the programme, the "sending institution", formalised?

The conditions and tasks are described in a document that governs the internship and the specifics of the work experience, including the work schedule, skills to be acquired, supervisor, roles and tasks of the intern.

Do I have any obligation to recruit the intern after the work experience?

No. But it will always be an option to consider if desired, because after their work experience the interns, in addition to their academic training, will have gained professional experience within your company and developed their own skills and techniques, as well as their competence in multiple working languages.

In the time you have left, we would be grateful if you would send us your completed form.

Simply fill in the WELCOME&CO SMEs form.

By fax: +34 942 314 310

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or by post to Cámara Cantabria Plaza Pedro Velarde 5 - 39001 Santander CANTABRIA, Spain

THE WELCOME&CO SME FORM

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Your company name: _____

Postal (business) address: _____

Contact person: _____

Email: _____

Telephone: _____

Profile of the intern that your SME might be interested in hosting:

Country of origin:

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Germany | <input type="checkbox"/> United Kingdom |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Italy | <input type="checkbox"/> Slovenia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spain | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please indicate which): |

Highest educational level attained Please choose a maximum of 2 responses

- ☐ Intermediate Vocational Training
☐ Advanced Vocational Training
☐ Diploma/Degree/Engineering qualification
☐ Postgraduate
☐ Doctorate or equivalent
☐ Other:

Subject studied. Please indicate the three main fields (e.g. Economics, Mechanical Engineering, Fine Arts, etc).

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Other requirements / comments (e.g. specific skills required)

Languages: