



LIVING & WORKING IN EUROPE

It's not always easy to find the right European organisation to help you with your specific question or issue.

The publication „Living and Working in Europe“ focuses on the European networks that support mobility within Europe and shows how you can benefit from the expertise of these organisations.

Additionally, this information is accessible online at www.go-europe.at.

ENIC NARIC

You have come to **Austria with a foreign university degree** and would like to know:

- the academic value of your degree
- what your chances on the Austrian job market look like

You have **completed your studies in Austria and intend to go abroad** - you would like to

- make sure that your diploma will be recognized in your country of destination
- know if further studies at a specific foreign university will be recognized in Austria

The Austrian National Academic Recognition Information Centre - ENIC NARIC AUSTRIA - can help you by its broad experience in cross-border comparison of university degrees and its worldwide networks or by connecting you to a relevant contact point abroad. With an assessment provided by ENIC-NARIC AUSTRIA your chances on the job market will increase considerably.

www.naric.at
www.enic-naric.net

EPALE

Are you active in the field of adult education and aiming to establish international contacts?

- EPALE (E-Platform for Adult Learning in Europe) is a European, multilingual, open membership community of adult learning professionals.
- EPALE supports sharing of good practices, news, policy developments, blog posts, events and resources on adult education.
- EPALE users can connect with potential Erasmus+ project partners through the partner search function.
- EPALE is available in the 24 official languages of the EU.

www.ec.europa.eu/epale/
www.facebook.com/EPALE.AT

ETWINNING

Are you working in a kindergarten or school as a teacher, head teacher or librarian?

eTwinning is the largest community for schools in Europe and beyond! eTwinning provides a free platform with tools and services to communicate, collaborate and develop projects together with other teachers, pupils, parents, and local authorities. In eTwinning, teachers work together and organise activities for their students.

eTwinning is part of the Erasmus+ programme. It's available in 44 countries and 28 languages.

Are you looking for learning opportunities at European level?

eTwinning offers a range of free online and offline professional development opportunities for teachers. You can join

- **online seminars** on certain topics related to pedagogy,
- **learning events**, e.g. short online courses on several themes led by an expert or
- eTwinning **seminars, thematic and annual conferences, professional development workshops.**

www.etwinning.at
www.etwinning.net
www.facebook.com/eTwinningOesterreich

EURAXESS

Are you a **scientist or a PhD student** and looking for

- a job or a fellowship in Europe?
- assistance in organising a residence abroad?

Are you representing a **research facility** and you are looking for

- the „best brains“ for your vacant posts?
- assistance with the appointment of international researchers?

Euraxess Austria provides up-to-date and comprehensive information for a research stay in Austria and answers all essential questions regarding career development and researchers' mobility, including job offers, grants, immigration and residency regulations, taxes, social security, and other issues regarding daily life.

www.euraxess.at
www.ec.europa.eu/euraxess

EURES

We support job seekers and employers!

The EURES Portal¹

As a job seeker, you can register and take part at the automated matching with almost 3.6 million job vacancies across the EEA. As an employer, you can register and create a search profile for your vacancies and take part in the automated matching. You both will be notified of positive matching results by email.

The EUROPEAN ONLINE JOBDAYS²

As a job seeker, you will find hundreds of vacancies and can apply directly online. As an employer, you can upload and advertise your vacancies and get matches. You both can get in touch easily online by using your electronic devices.

The on-site recruitment services for Austrian employers³

EURES offers the exclusive and completely free service of recruiting on-site in the EEA countries. We search for the best candidates for your vacancies.

¹ <https://ec.europa.eu/eures/public/de/homepage>

² <https://www.europeanjobdays.eu/de>

³ www.ams.at/eures



EURODESK

Are you looking for **funding opportunities and partners for your international youth project?** Or, you would like to **go abroad yourself** - for school, studying or to gain work experience?

Eurodesk is the right place to start!

Eurodesk makes information on learning mobility comprehensive and accessible to young people and those who work with them. With a network of national coordinators connected to **over 1100 local information providers in 36 European countries**, Eurodesk raises awareness on learning mobility opportunities and encourages young people to become active citizens. On behalf of the European Commission, Eurodesk creates content for the European Youth Portal and answers enquiries and provides guidance for mobile young people across Europe. In Austria, Eurodesk is hosted by the Austrian Youth Information centres.

www.eurodesk.at
www.eurodesk.eu

EUROGUIDANCE

Euroguidance Austria connects Austrian guidance practitioners with Europe.

Are you an educational or career guidance practitioner and have a client interested in further education or work in Europe? You would like to receive further information about how guidance is carried out in a European context?

Euroguidance Austria offers the following services to those working in the guidance field:

- training events (Euroguidance expert conferences, European seminars ...)
- products that can be used in guidance (www.edusystem.at; www.learninginaustria.at)
- advice on funding opportunities for European projects and European mobility for guidance counsellors (www.bildung.erasmusplus.at)
- assistance with your clients' questions concerning Europe.

www.euroguidance.at
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EUROPASS

Are you looking for a (new) job or (further) educational programme and would like to

- use an online tool to describe your skills, find interesting job and learning opportunities, manage your application, create CVs and cover letters?
- find information on working and studying in different EU countries?

Are you looking for qualified staff or you want to send employees abroad for further training or an internship and you would like to

- find the most qualified individuals through structured application documents?
- get detailed information about the acquired new skills of your personnel, including tamper proof qualifications and other learning credentials?

Europass is a free service of the European Union that supports understanding of skills and qualifications to help people manage each stage of their career and learning.

www.europass.at
www.facebook.com/EuropassOesterreich

EUROPEDIRECT

Are you interested in EU topics and would like to receive information about the European Union?

EuropeDirect is the European Commission's information network for all EU citizens. Currently there are around 500 EuropeDirect info points in all EU-member states, 10 are situated in Austria. They are the local contact points in the regions.

The EuropeDirect centres inform you about your rights as EU-citizens and are available to discuss all your EU-related questions and thoughts. They offer a wide selection of free info-material. The latest information is also available on the website of the Austrian EuropeDirect information network:

www.europainfo.at
www.facebook.com/europainformation



SOLVIT

SOLVIT is a **free of charge helpdesk** network that assists you in solving any challenges and problems that may occur on the single European market effectively and without the need to recourse to judicial proceedings. SOLVIT centres can be found in every EU member country as well as in Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway. They are part of the national administration of each country.

SOLVIT can help

- with cross-border problems,
- which are caused by flawed practice of EU law,
- caused by national, regional or local administrations.

Enquiries for SOLVIT are focused on these topics: Employees rights, social security, recognition of professional qualifications, access to (further) education, access to markets, procurement of public contracts, free movement of capital and payments, taxes. SOLVIT cannot be of any help if legal procedures are pending.

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www.ec.europa.eu/solvit

YOUTH WIKI

Are you looking for information on the **youth policies of the European Union member states** or are interested in specific legislation in a youth policy field or country?

Youth Wiki is Europe's online encyclopaedia in the area of national youth policies. The platform is a comprehensive database of national structures, policies and actions supporting young people. It covers eight main fields of action: education and training, employment and entrepreneurship, health and well-being, participation, voluntary activities, social inclusion, youth and the world, and creativity and culture. The main objective of the Youth Wiki is to **support evidence-based European cooperation in the field of youth.** It does so by providing information on national policies in support of young people - in a user-friendly and continuously updated way.

www.jugendinfo.at/youth-wiki
https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/national-policies/en/youthwiki



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