

Aims

The aim of this contact seminar is to increase cooperation and promote dialogue between educational institutions and enterprises with an aim to develop mobility projects within these two sectoral programmes - to enhance training of students, teachers and staff of educational institutions as well as staff in enterprises. This shall be done with the help of two main programmes - the ERASMUS programme (focusing on Higher Education) and the LEONARDO DA VINCI programme (focusing on vocational education and training). Together these two programmes share a common goal – the continuous development of individuals for lifelong learning.

The Programmes

This contact seminar is open to participants from the education sector and enterprises, with the aim to facilitate the finding of new partners for future mobility projects. During the seminar the National Agency will facilitate cooperation and partnerships between institutions and enterprises in an international dimension. The main actions being tackled shall be:

- ERASMUS Student Mobility for Studies (SMS)
- ERASMUS Student Mobility for Placements (SMP)
- ERASMUS Staff Mobility – Teaching Assignments by HEI Teaching Staff and by Invited Staff from Enterprises (STA)
- ERASMUS Staff Mobility – Training for HEI Staff at Enterprises and at HEI (STT)
- LEONARDO DA VINCI IVT – Initial Vocational Training
- LEONARDO DA VINCI PLM – People in the Labour Market
- LEONARDO DA VINCI VETPRO – VET Professionals



Costs & Funding

The fee for this contact seminar is €500 which covers 3 nights accommodation, meals, transport (including transfers from and to airport), documentation and cultural events. Payment of this fee is to be made prior to attending the seminar. Further to formal registration an invoice will be sent, and after payment is carried out a receipt of payment will be issued.

It is possible for participants to apply for preparatory visits funding. These funds are available under both the Erasmus and Leonardo da Vinci programmes. It is recommended that you contact the National Agency in your country for further information on how to access these funds.

Other Issues

Registration deadline is 17th April 2009 and forms should be sent to gabriella.agius@gov.mt.

The contact seminar shall start on the evening of the 20 May 2009 at 18:00 and end on the evening of 23 May 2009 at 16:00.

For further information you may contact:

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