

AMICO

An Alliance for Mobility InComing and Outgoing

AMICO is a project funded by the European programme Erasmus+, KA2 - Strategic Partnerships for Higher Education. It will foster employment beyond boundaries by creating the Mobility Job Counsellor figure, both designing a specialization course and developing specific tools and guides to perform this activity. A total of ten universities, enterprises and research institutes from Italy, United Kingdom, Germany and Spain have joined their forces aiming to reduce labour demand and supply mismatch.

The mix of countries is one of the strengths of this initiative: it brings together the most representative European states in terms of outgoing and incoming mobility. On the one hand, Italy and Spain represents the two countries with the highest number of jobseekers registered on the EURES portal, meaning great willingness to change their work location. On the other hand, Germany and UK have the largest number of companies registered on the same digital platform, demanding workers from abroad.

AIMS OF THE PROJECT

AMICO project will achieve the following results:

- Increased professionalization of job counsellors through the design and development of an **innovative curriculum** focusing on **international job placement**.
- Strengthened **matching skills at international level** through a set of tailor-made tools.
- Improved provision of services in support of **intra-EU labour mobility**, through the design of specific processes and procedures.



What is AMICO doing?



Creating a Curriculum for "Mobility Job Counsellors"



Developing a Toolkit to analyse competences and mobility needs



Designing a Mobility Welcome Service (MWS)

To Foster Intra-European Mobility



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Transnational meetings

The project team met in Malaga on 24-25 November 2015 for the kick-off meeting.

During the meeting, partners had the chance to explore in depth the various aspects of project management and implementation, to network and to define a roadmap for the upcoming year.

The meeting was hosted in the beautiful headquarter of CITIC, partner to the project.

The next partner meeting will be held in September 2016 in Mannheim, hosted by HdBA.

NEXT STEPS

In the upcoming months, partners will focus on the following activities:

- Design of AMICO website.
- Definition of the structure of the “Job Mobility Counsellor” Curriculum.
- Elaboration of training modules.
- Field and desk research on ICT enterprises and the job market.

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Products

The corrective action of AMICO will lead to:

- The design and development of a specialised **curriculum in “Mobility Job Counsellor”**.
- The development of a **toolkit aimed at analysing the competences and mobility needs** expressed by enterprises, job seekers and young entrepreneurs in a transnational dimension.
- The design and establishment of the **Mobility Welcome Service (MWS)**, representing a guidance service and a physical point of contact between the mobility job counsellor and both job-seekers and employers interested in geographical labour mobility.

AMICO PARTNERSHIP:



ERIFO is an Accredited VET-Tertiary Level, recognized by the Lazio Region, providing career guidance and higher education.



CITIC

CITIC is a ICT Technological Centre, It cooperates with Enterprises, Universities, Public Administration and entrepreneurs in R&D projects and innovations.



Collage Arts is a leading arts development, training and creative regeneration charity, providing learning programmes, enterprise and support services.



Documenta is an organization working in the field of “applied social research” whose main aim is the introduction of a model of sustainable local development.



GAP is a training institution providing career coaching for individuals and companies, and training for professionals.



HdBA is the University of Applied Labour Studies of the German Federal Employment Agency.



Rinova is an innovative, independent social enterprise specialising in Employment Skills and Learning, Arts and Culture, Social Action and Enterprise.



Sapienza is the second largest university in Europe. It participates to the project with the Department of Social and Developmental Psychology.



SC is a software company with a focus on computational linguistics. Its goal is to shorten the digital divide between majority and minority languages.



Seville University has more than 500 years of experience in knowledge management. It participates to the project with the Department of Philology.