

"Arriving at the Workplace – Labour Market Integration in Germany"

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More and more refugees and new immigrants enter German companies, as interns, trainees, employees or highly qualified specialists. Many companies and administrations as well as projects, sponsors and other actors support this. How can employees and company managements be supported to make this process of arrival successful for everyone involved? Which approaches in educational work, institutional support, advice and networking perform well in this context? Which practical approaches have proven efficient in Germany and should they be transferred and consolidated? As part of the European Labour-Int project, our international workshop offers the opportunity to discuss these questions with renowned speakers and participants from all over Europe.

Goals

The participants are familiar with the options to support workplace actors in integrating refugees and new immigrants and in shaping a feeling of belonging in companies and administrations. They exchange ideas regarding these options and gain new ideas for their work. In addition, criteria will be developed to identify good practice for further discussion at a European level.

Contents

- Current situation of the labour market integration of refugees
- Good practice of accompanying workplace actors in the integration of new immigrants and refugees
- Concepts and practical experience in Germany
- Exchange of methods, approaches and cooperation ideas
- Criteria for good practice

Methods

Lectures and discussions, interactive elements

Target groups

All relevant "stakeholders" in Germany are specifically invited: trade unions, employers, chambers, representatives of administrations, politics, project promoters, educational institutions, migrant organizations, self-organizations of refugees, refugee councils, IQ Netz, IVaF, science, European top organizations that are partners in the Labour-Int project