

Leonardo da Vinci
Mobility of Individuals
Transnational Placements in Enterprises or Training Institutions for Trainees in Initial Vocational Training (IVT)

[LDV 1]

Within the priorities set in the general call for proposals, the following information can be used

Objectives and description of the action

The action **Mobility for Trainees in Initial Vocational Training (IVT)** of the **Leonardo da Vinci** sectoral programme aims at the support of transnational mobility of persons undergoing initial vocational education and training. The aim is to enhance the co-operation between the enterprises and the training institutions.

The general objectives of this mobility action within the Leonardo da Vinci sectoral programme are:

- To support participants in training and further training activities in the acquisition and the use of knowledge, skills and qualifications to facilitate personal development
- To enhance the attractiveness of vocational education and training and mobility for individuals

A mobility for trainees in initial vocational training is a period of vocational training and/or work experience undertaken by an individual [beneficiary](#) (apprentice, pupil or student in IVT) in a host organisation in another participating country. Individual beneficiaries will receive their grant within a mobility **project organised by a sending institution**. **Individuals** cannot directly apply for a grant to National Agencies.

Within the project, co-operation exists between training institutions and/or enterprises¹. The partners of this co-operation have to ensure that the criteria contained in the [Quality Commitment](#) are met:

- Clear description of objectives, content and duration of the training period abroad
- The placement is an integral part of the vocational training course
- Clear match between the training needs of the individual beneficiary, his training curriculum and the content of the [placement](#) (traineeship)
- Individual, linguistic and cultural preparation of the individual beneficiaries is ensured
- Pedagogical monitoring of the individual beneficiaries is ensured ([tutoring](#) and [mentoring](#) in cooperation between sending and host organisation)
- [Validation of the competences](#) acquired by the individual beneficiary and evaluation of the general outcome within the specific vocational training field (use of [Europass Mobility](#))
- Logistic support to individual beneficiary (travel, accommodation, host organisation)
- [Dissemination](#) activities are foreseen

Who can benefit

- Trainees in initial vocational training (apprentices, pupils in vocational training, students except at tertiary level)

Who can apply	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Institutions or organisations providing learning opportunities in the fields covered by the Leonardo da Vinci sectoral programme; • Associations and representatives of those
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¹ Excluded are: a) European institutions as well as the organisations managing the Community programmes, in order to avoid possible conflicts of interest; b) representations, public institutions of the beneficiaries' countries, e.g. embassies, consulate, cultural institutes, schools etc. due to the requirement of transnationality.

	<p>involved in vocational education and training, including trainees', parents' and teachers' associations;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enterprises, social partners and other representatives of working life, including chambers of commerce and other trade organisations; • Bodies providing guidance, counselling and information services relating to any aspect of lifelong learning; • Bodies responsible for systems and policies concerning any aspect of lifelong learning vocational education and training at local, regional and national level; • Research centres and bodies concerned with lifelong learning issues; • Higher education institutions; • Non-profit organisations, voluntary bodies, NGOs
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Selection Procedure	NA1	Management of selected projects	National Agency
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Duration of mobility period, duration of the project, methods of funding, level of funding	Please refer to Annex 1 of the Lifelong Learning general Call for Proposals
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Minimal size of the consortium	Please refer to Part II - Annex 1 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals
Participating countries	Please refer to Part II - section 3.1 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals
Duration , methods of funding, level of funding	Please refer to Part II - Annex 1 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals
Funded activities	Please refer to Part II - section 7 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals
Political priorities for this action	Please refer to Part I of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals

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