

# 2014/2015 EUROPEAN VOCATIONAL FUNDING

### **EU Funded Mobility Programmes**

ESF European Funding – professional and innovative Funding Consultancy – delivers EU-funded projects to FE Colleges interested in sending its VET learners to Europe on immersive training programmes.

Our funded programmes are tailor-made to complement UK course requirements. Inspiring travel, languages and cross-border lives, our programmes broaden the horizons of VET learners, investing in the young persons of the UK and Europe.

## EU MOBILITY PROGRAMMES

Broadening educational horizons

Promoting language learning

Facilitating cultural immersion

Facilitating social inclusion

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## **European Vocational Funding**

ESF organises mobility projects involving young European VET learners from all over Europe, in long and short-term exchange projects.

ESF is specialised in designing, drafting and project managing educational programme for VET students enrolled in UK Further Education Colleges. International mobility is becoming a must worldwide for students seeking to enter increasingly competitive higher educational and employment markets.

#### WHAT WE DO

- Evaluate course objectives and identify the funding programme most suitable for participant needs;
- Identify appropriate partners, drawing upon excellent contact network;
- Negotiate contractual agreement with partners and provide ad hoc legal support;
- Design, draft and submit the final funding application to the European Commission;
- Manage full administrative workload throughout, during and following the application process;
- **Broker final agreement** with ECORYS UK, national funding agency upon project approval;
- Fully organise, project and event-manage implementation of final approved project.

#### OUR GOALS

- To broaden the educational horizons of young VET learners, combining technical, professional and social education to offer effective, course-focussed vocational training programmes;
- To **promote language learning**, enabling young VET learners to traverse communicative barriers, tackling ignorance and xenophobia and fostering mutual understanding;
- To **facilitate cultural immersion**, enabling young VET learners to learn from persons and organisations of cultures and backgrounds different from their own;
- To **facilitate social inclusion**, nurturing the free movement of VET learners throughout all Member States of the European Union and European Economic Area (EEA).

#### **KEY PERSONNEL**

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