





# **International Job Broker Conference**

increasingly important as performance indicator for measures of active labour market policy (ALMP) across Europe resulting in outcome orientated contracting of providers of ALMP measures. These new challenge forces providers to rethink their services as well as traditional job roles of Job Agents (ArbeitsvermittlerInnen) and Counsellors (BeraterInnen). In this situation a new occupational role emerged. Under the headline "Job Broker" we will look at this new role and understanding of Job Brokering service and define a job profile, that merges the traditional roles of Job Agents and Counsellors. In this conference Richard Parkes will illuminate transitions in labour market policy that led to emergence of this new occupational profile. Soffia Gisladottir from Iceland and Vaso Anastasopoulou from Greece will show us the challenges of Job Brokering on the background of two completely different labour market situations and how to develop a common understanding of the Job Broker occupation. Christina Knais from Cyprus will highlight the principles of action learning and self-directed learning as basis for learning materials for Job Brokers developed in frame of the Job Broker Project. Eventually the conference presents different practical approaches in the area of Job Brokering.

Outcome in terms of successful and sustainable placements becomes

The conference will be devoted to the following aspects:

- An occupational profile for "Job Brokers" in EU
- "Job Broker" trainings across Europe
- Innovative Job Brokering activities
- Kick-Off for a European Network of Job Brokers
- Networking possibilities in the international community of professional Job Brokers

The conference is conducted in cooperation with the ÖIF (Austrian Integration Fund) and abif and is sponsored by ERASMUS+ <u>www.jobbroker.eu</u>

Participation is free of charge! Conference language English (no translation).

For registration to the conference please contact:

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# Looking forward to welcome you!

# Conference

5th of July 2018 9am to 1pm

Kardinal-König-Platz 3 1130 Vienna

Kardinal König Haus

#### **Facilitators**

Andrea Egger-Subotitsch Martin Stark

# **Target Group**

Practitioners in measures of active labour market policy, training providers, employment agents.

# Organiser

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# Conference Programme:

08.30-09.00	Registration and welcome coffee  Facilitation of the conference:  Andrea Egger-Subotitsch & Martin Stark (abif)
09.00-09.30	<b>Key Note:</b> Current developments in Job Brokering in frame of active labour market policy in UK Richard Parkes; Rinova Ltd., United Kingdom
09.30-10.00	Key Note: The Job Broker Project and it's implementation in Iceland  Soffia Gisladottir, VSTM, Iceland
10:00-10:30	<b>Key Note:</b> The EURES network – Job Brokering at EU-Level  Martha Rojas-Pineda, EURES Coordinator for Austria, AMS Österreich
10:30-11:00	Coffee break
11.00-12:30	<ul> <li>Practice talk &amp; discussion: Job Brokering in different contexts</li> <li>Mentoring for Migrants – Vinzenz Girardi (ÖIF)</li> <li>Job Brokering in Berlin – Reiner Aster (gsub, Berlin, Germany)</li> <li>Job Brokering for rehabilitants – Michael Mandl (BBRZ)</li> <li>Commercial Job Brokering and leased labour in Austria – N.N.</li> </ul>
12:30-13:00	Snacks & networking - Kick off for a European Network of Job Brokers:  Meet and Greet with Job Brokers from Austria, Cyprus, Iceland, Italy, Greece, Germany, Spain and UK