

LIFELONG LEARNING PROGRAMME

STUDY VISITS



Study Visits for Education and Vocational Training
Specialists

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Are you a specialist or decision-maker involved in education or vocational training?

Would you like to learn about European practices and approaches in education and vocational training?

Would you like to share your expertise with other European professionals?

2009 DEADLINE

Study Visits

Study Visits provide education decision-makers and those responsible for vocational education and training with an opportunity to spend up to one week in another European country, learning about practices and approaches in education. The visits provide a forum for discussion, exchange and learning on themes of common interest and on European and national priorities. By exchanging innovative ideas and practices, participants promote the quality and transparency of their education and training systems. Study Visits are also an invaluable networking opportunity and a chance to meet potential partners for transnational collaborative projects.

The deadline for applications is **9 April 2009**

Who should apply?

- Individuals who have a decision-making or specialist role within general education or vocational education and training.
- Educational staff who are involved in management, assessment, training and counselling.

Applicants should act as 'multipliers' of the knowledge gained and use their expertise to increase others' awareness of policy and practice in participating countries. A full list of eligible participants is available on our website www.leargas.ie/studyvisits.

Application procedure

An online catalogue is available at www.studyvisits.cedefop.europa.eu listing all Study Visits taking place across Europe from **September 2009 to June 2010**. Applicants should select up to four visits of interest.

Applications must be submitted online at www.studyvisits.cedefop.europa.eu. A hard copy must then be printed, signed, endorsed by the head of your organisation and posted to Léargas by 9 April 2009. **Late or incomplete applications cannot be accepted.** Successful applicants will receive a grant towards the cost of travel and subsistence.

For further information visit www.leargas.ie/studyvisits or contact studyvisits@leargas.ie.



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