

MOBILITY FOR ENGINEERS IN EUROPE

A Project of the **Technical Chamber of Greece / Section of Central Macedonia** (TCG/SCM), in collaboration with **FEANI** (Federation Europeene d' Associations Nationaux d' Ingenieurs), under the approval and financial support of the **EUROPEAN COMMISSION - Employment and Social Affairs D.G.**

Basic Goal of the project:

To encourage and enhance the occupational mobility in the engineering sector, through official and up-to-date information, knowledge and awareness.

Actions of the project:

- a) The collection and production of an updated, reliable and systematic informative material, concerning professional mobility issues of interest to certified Engineers, of all specialties, and their respective employers in almost every country of E.U.
- b) The dissemination of the above information to interested professionals (i.e. European engineers and their employers), via a series of 1-Day presentation and discussion events in several European countries.
- c) The posting of the material, that will come out from these activities, on the web sites of FEANI and TCG/SCM, for easy accessibility to it of all interested professionals.

To whom the project is addressed:

- To professional engineers working either in the private or in the public sector
- To engineers working in education
- To employers of engineers (technical companies, consulting offices, construction firms, etc.)
- To new Engineering Graduates, thinking of mobility as one of their potential choices.

What information will be organised & disseminated:

Indicatively, mobility related issues of particular interest to engineers, that will be explored, include:

- How job mobility is realised , what opportunities & solutions it gives , how an engineer can find a job in each European country.
- Conditions and requirements for an engineer to obtain professional rights in a different European country, other than the country of his origin.
- Legislative framework related to engineering mobility
- Legislative framework concerning the technical public works
- Job mobility as a mean to fight unemployment
- Salaries, living costs, taxation of engineers in different European countries, as motives for job mobility
- Obligations and rights of engineers returning back to their countries after a long period of work in another European country.
- Identification of sources for more detailed information on mobility issues

Where and when the 1-Day events will take place:

1. THESSALONIKI – GREECE (5 May 2004)
2. NICOSIA – CYPRUS (19 May 2004)
3. KARLSRUHE – GERMANY (19 June 2004)
4. ROME – ITALY
5. WIEN – AUSTRIA
6. BRUSSELS – BELGIUM

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Mobility for Engineers:
Engineering in Greece, Germany, Europe

The meeting will be held from 15 - 18 h at the
Alexander-von Humboldt Saal
Karlstr. 42/44 (Entrance: Sophienstrasse)
D-76133 Karlsruhe

Program (draft)

14.45 – 15.00	registration
15.00 –16.15	Welcome speech with an introduction to the university and its general policy concerning the Bologna Process. <i>Mr. Achim Niessen, M.A.</i> <i>Director, International Office</i> <i>University of Karlsruhe (TH)</i>
	Engineering in Greece: Conditions, requirements and professional problems. The role of TCG. <i>Mr. Ventetis Bouras</i> <i>General Secretary of TCG/SCM</i>
	<i>VDI: Engineering in Germany</i>
	Introduction of the Bachelor/Master-degrees in Germany in Electrical Engineering <i>Dean of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering</i> <i>University of Karlsruhe</i>
	Activities of Greek Association of Karlsruhe's Alumni. Case study about it's members mobility <i>Prof. N. Moussiopoulos, Chairman of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki Greece</i>
16.15 – 16.40	coffee break
16.40 –18.00	EU' interest in mobility. Target and methodology of the TCG/SCM's program. Dr. N. Sargianos, mechanical engineer, scientific head of the project
	Brief relative presentations of project's results about the occupational mobility in the engineering sector . Italy – French – Spain – Portugal: <i>Dr. N. Sargianos</i> Scandinavian countries, United Kingdom – Irland: <i>Dr. A. Tsikaloudaki, civil engineer</i> Central Europe: <i>Mrs. A. Oikonomopoulou, civil engineer</i>

CD with the full results of the project will be given to all participants