

ACADEMIA PROGRAM 2022

GENERAL INFORMATION

Academia is a transnational mobility project for guidance professionals that started in 1995, currently coordinated by Euroguidance Spain as the national reference center of the European Euroguidance Network, attached to the Subdirectorate General for Guidance and Lifelong Learning of the General Secretariat for Vocational Training of the Ministry of Education and Vocational Training.

The aim of the Academia project is to promote each year the mobility of guidance professionals in Europe, to enhance networking and European cooperation in the field of lifelong guidance and information, and to promote the exchange of good practices and methods among participants.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE PROGRAM

- The Academy program is developed annually for all the member countries of the Network, between the months of March and May.
- It is a mobility program aimed at guidance professionals.
- The duration of the stay is 3-4 days.
- Information on the participating countries and the program that each country offers in each edition is available at: <https://www.euroguidance.eu/international-mobility/training-opportunities>

REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE ACADEMY 2022 PROGRAM

- To be a teacher of the Educational Guidance specialty (preferably) or of the Labor Training and Guidance specialty and to be currently providing services in an educational center supported by public funds.
- The educational center where the guidance professional interested in participating in the Program provides services must have an active and developing Erasmus+ project, which allows the mobility of the guidance counselor. The center must accredit that the expenses caused by the trip and the stay will be covered by the Erasmus+ project, as well as the management of the same.
- The applicant to participate in ACADEMIA must have accredited the necessary linguistic competence to follow the development of the activities foreseen in the program in the language indicated by the host country.
- Complete the application correctly and send it on time to the e-mail address o.profesional@educacion.gob.es.

- The deadline for submitting the application is December 3, 2021 at 23:59 hours.

Failure to comply with these requirements, which must be supported by documentation as appropriate, will result in the exclusion of the application from the award process.

CRITERIA FOR THE SELECTION OF PARTICIPANTS

1. Once the fulfillment of the requirements indicated in the previous section has been verified, and in the event that there are more applications than places available (as permitted by each country with respect to the program offered), each application will be evaluated according to the following criteria:

(a) Correspondence between the content, objectives and recipients of the visit requested by the candidate with the functions performed in the current job position (career guidance, educational guidance... in centers of Primary Education, Secondary Education, Vocational Training, etc.).

In this regard, the visits chosen in order of preference in the application will be considered.

The adequacy will be quantified in the following terms:

1. Complete adequacy: 2

2. Partial suitability: 1

3. No linkage with current duties: 0

b) Level of linguistic competence in the language required by the host country, assigning points according to the levels established in the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages:

C2 - 4

C1 - 3

B2 - 2

B1 - 1

This competence must be accredited through the corresponding official certificate, issued by an institution recognized to issue such accreditations, stating the level reached in the language required to participate in the requested program (Cambridge, Trinity, TOEFL, DALF, Escuela Oficial de Idiomas, CertAcles Certification, etc.).

c) In the event that, after applying these criteria, there are still more candidates on equal terms than places available, applications will be considered according to the following order of priority:

a. Guidance counselors of centers of Secondary Education, Vocational Training, Adult Education, Special Regime Education.

b. Guidance counselors who provide services in Early Childhood Education and Primary Education or Special Education centers.

c. Teachers of FOL.

2. Once the final selection of participants has been made in accordance, as indicated above, with these criteria and the places offered by the countries participating in this edition, each applicant will be informed of the result of the selection process through the e-mail address provided by the applicant.

3. Likewise, the coordinator of the Program in Europe and the coordinators of the national programs will be informed of the details of the selected persons so that they can organize the visit.

4. In the event that the selected person decides to resign from the program, he/she should communicate this to the e-mail address o.profesional@educacion.gob.es as soon as possible, so that, if necessary, the place can be offered to another candidate.

Given that the mobilities will take place between March and May 2022, the maximum period to fill the vacancy will be one month before the start of the activity.

Resignations that occur within the 30 days immediately prior to the start of the visit and that are not due to duly justified causes, may result in the impossibility of participating in the next edition of the ACADEMIA Program.

5. The participants commit themselves to carry out the activity in the foreseen conditions, to collaborate and follow the indications that the coordinators of the Network send them for the good development of the activity and the improvement of the ACADEMIA Program.

6. At all times the health regulations of both the country of origin and the country being visited with respect to Covid-19 will be observed.

DEADLINES

- Submission of applications: December 3, 2021, inclusive.

- Submission of the Erasmus+ Project form signed by the head of the school: until 14:00 on December 20, 2021.

- Submission of official certificate of linguistic competence: until 15:00 on Monday, January 17, 2022.

- Euroguidance Network meeting at which the final selection of participants is made: February 2022 (date to be determined)

- Communication of the final selection results to the interested people.