

QUESTIONS TO CONSIDER BEFORE APPLYING FOR AN EXCHANGE

Part I - previously created information

1. Make sure you have your Europass CV and motivation statement ready.
2. Make sure you can provide a short overview in English of your plans to start/run your own business. Describe your product/service ideas, customer target group/s and activities.
3. Make sure you can provide a good business plan.
4. Think about what other documents from your ePortfolio you can provide.

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Part II - motivation and expectations

5. Why do you *want to participate* in the program, what are your expectations?

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6. In what way *shall* a stay abroad help you start or run your own business?

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7. *Have you worked or studied abroad before?* How do you plan to prepare yourself for your stay with the Host Entrepreneur?

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8. Why *should* the host entrepreneur choose you? What added value *could* you bring to their business?

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Part III – work experience and languages

9. What is your professional work experience as entrepreneur, what is it other than as entrepreneur? (in years)

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10. Which foreign language/s can you use as a working language during your stay abroad?

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Part IV – business sector, host country, duration of mobility, local contact point

11. Think of up to 5 business sectors which best correspond to the nature of your business.

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12. What is your preferred target country for the exchange? What is your second choice?

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13. What is your preferred length of the exchange (in months)?

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14. Make sure you have chosen your IO (Intermediary Organization or contact point) among the officially appointed ones.

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