

SupEuropa

SupEuropa is a registered French Training-Body, established in 1990, with 5 permanent persons and 3 part-time teachers. Its main functions are oriented towards Schools, Universities and Enterprises of the different States members of the EU, with the view of bringing them closer together, to allow their students, post-graduates and young professionals to exchange, acquire and experiment new social and professional skills and competencies, in a context of Mobility.

- SupEuropa forges educational **Inks** with enterprises in Europe throughout a network of 15 institutional and private partners involved in Education. The network secures valuable work-experience placements in Europe that might contribute to the personal and professional development of individual students, post-graduates or young professionals. The flux of in/out going trainees is about 200 per year.
- Since 1992, SupEuropa has strengthened its actions of Mobility by taking part in numerous Mobility & Exchange Projects, in the framework of the Leonardo da Vinci Programmes. In that context, SupEuropa has accompanied and monitored almost 1.000 students, post-graduates, young professional and teachers, from 14 different European countries, all along the course of their training placement in companies in France.
- Since 1996, SupEuropa has contributed to promote Mobility in Europe throughout its participation in Leonardo da Vinci, Socrates and Lingua Pilot-Projects aimed on :
 - the good practices in Mobility-Projects (QualityNet),
 - the rising communicative skills in Europe (Language Facilitator and Hermes Projects),
 - the apprenticeship of foreign languages in professional schools of the building construction sector (Constructor 2000 Projects / Phase 1 & Phase 2).
- The ability of SupEuropa to create platforms of competencies with universities, schools, institutions, professionals and social partners, to develop new forms of learning, particularly in e-learning and in the field of Entrepreneurship, has allowed SupEuropa, since 1998, to participate in Leonardo da Vinci Pilot-Projects aimed on :
 - at distance learning for small Hotel & Catering establishments (Forendi Project),
 - the development of business competencies in Tourism (e-business in Tourism Project),
 - the e-learning training applying to self-employed persons (Solocom Project).

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