

Regional Employment and Qualification Pact for Upper Austria



Contractual Partners / Main Partners

Province of Upper Austria, Labour Market Service, Chamber of Labour, Economic Chamber, Federation of Austrian Industry, Austrian Federation of Trade Unions, Upper Austrian School Council

2000

2001

2002

2003

2004

2005

2006

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- Pact Area** Federal Province of Upper Austria
- Timeframe** January 2001 - December 2001
- Financing** A total budget of ATS 1,254,220,000 is available for the year 2001; this includes funds from the Objective 3 Programme of the European Social Fund (ESF) for the priority areas 1, 4 and 5.
- Contract** The programme of financial support for the Employment and Qualification Pact for Upper Austria was agreed upon by the contractual partners at the beginning of 2001.
- Description of the Partnership** The pact's guidelines for financial support are newly drawn up each year; decisions are taken on a continual basis. All of the pact partners intend to continue the co-operation with respect to content, at least for the following two years, by way of additional, concrete programmes (oriented on evaluation results and market demands) for achieving the objectives.
- Objectives** Improve the employability of long-term unemployed individuals, develop entrepreneurship, encourage employees and employers to adapt to structural changes, promote equal opportunity
- Target Groups** Young (compulsory) school graduates and young adults, college and university graduates, welfare recipients, disabled persons, unemployed persons, individuals over 45 years of age, women, potential entrepreneurs, bodies commissioning public building projects and financing housing, employees in fields with seasonally fluctuating demand, employees of Upper Austrian companies
- Individual Results of the TEP 2000** 1800 participants from the ranks of older individuals employed by enterprises in the private economy were enlisted in training programmes within the framework of the TEP. With the help of the non-profit employment initiatives and social economic enterprises, 520 individuals were prepared for a job on the free labour market. In addition, 684 new employees were hired within restructuring programmes, 122 actual new enterprises were established in the framework of the enterprise start-up programme and 470 participants in 23 educational measures within the tele.soft programme were registered. Beyond this, 524 unemployed persons were trained within the framework of the employment foundation model.
- Contents** Programmes for the continued education of women and employees over 45 will be further expanded in the year 2001. In addition, special attention will be given to training the unemployed, specifically with an eye to filling express needs articulated by enterprises in economic growth sectors.

joint use^{of}
opportunities

Examples for Projects

- Non-profit employment initiatives and social economic enterprises, training the unemployed for the labour market by means of the employment foundation model, enterprise start ups, tele.soft-BrainCard, Training projects and training programmes for the employed

Regional Managers for Employment

- Within the framework of the TEP, regional managers for employment have been instated as of 2001
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