EURAXESS for Researchers in Ireland

October 5th, 2023, online event



INFORMATION SESSION FOR EARLY STAGE CAREER RESEARCHERS

By EURAXESS Ireland

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An Roinn Breisoideachais agus Ardoideachais, Taighde, Nuálaíochta agus Eolaíochta Department of Further and Higher Education, Research, Innovation and Science

What Services do we offer?

Our services target both Employers & Employees

We target both Academia and Industry (across all disciplines)

What we do:

- Maintain a portal with up-to-date research funding & jobs
- Provide immigration information to researchers in 'motion' and their employers
- Manage the Hosting Agreement scheme

Our address

www.euraxess.ie







When do we come in handy?

Before you come to Ireland we offer information on:

- Searching that job
- Applying your hosting agreement

When preparing to come to Ireland we offer information on:

- Processing your visa
- Making travel arrangement

When you just arrive in Ireland & settling we offer information on:

• Settling in information

When transitioning to other immigration status and opportunities:

- From academia to industry & vice versa
- Information on change to appropriate visa





What we do not do?

We are not a recruitment agency

 Jobs advertised on our portal are offered by the institutions listed on the advertisement

We do not issue hosting agreement but approve

- Accredited Institutions offer/issue hosting agreements
- EURAXESS Ireland manages the HA scheme on behalf of DFHERIS, provides info, helps with immigration issues

We do not offer accommodation to researchers

• We only offer information about accommodation etc.

We have no influence on your immigration status

- Immigration decisions are dealt with the department of Justice
- We only provide information on immigration issues based on specific cases





What Can you get on our website?

- Practical relocation information
- Research Jobs and funding
- News & Events
- Dedicated section for first track work permit for researchers
- One on one assistance on web & social handles

Our address

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How do we administer our services?



Email magda@iua.ie fernandos@iua.ie



Website www.euraxess.ie



Virtual-online
15 min sessions



IEC materials

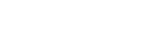


At our office IUA 48 Merrion Square, Dublin 2



Group meetings
Workshops,
Presentations etc.



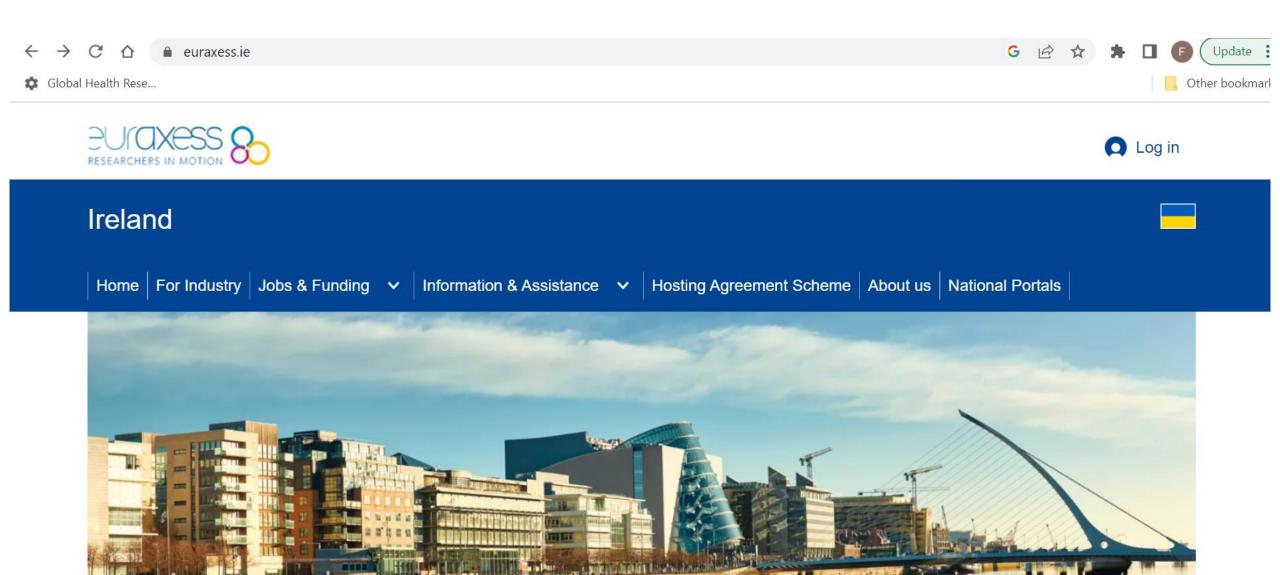


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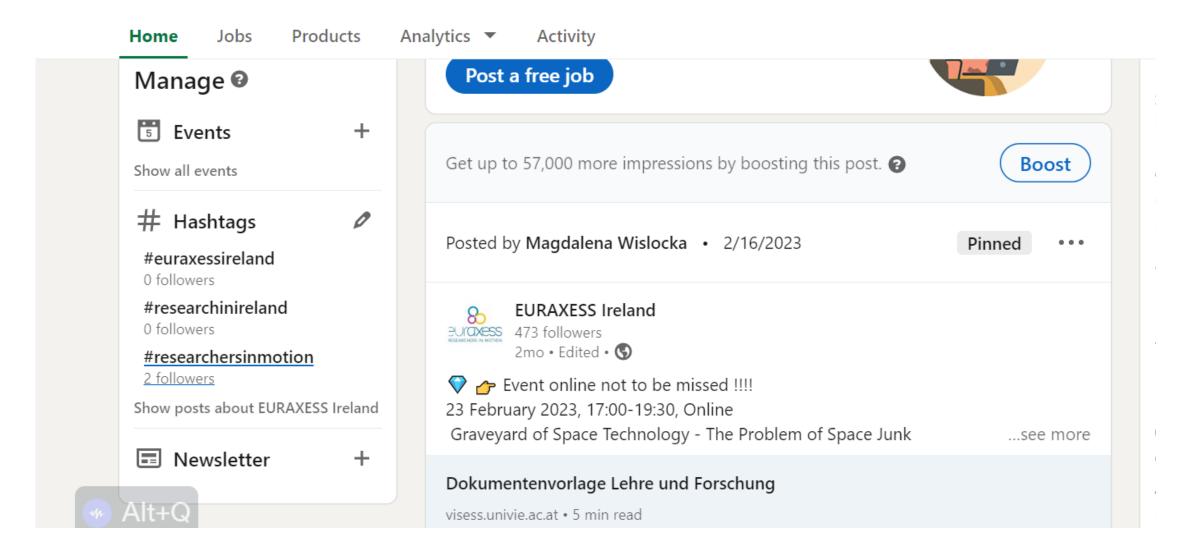




Welcome to EURAXESS Ireland!



EURAXESS Ireland Super admin view





Magda is providing practical support to researchers and Higher Education Institutions, companies and research active organisations hiring researchers.

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EURAXESS IRELAND

Where we are? Irish Universes Association in Dublin funded by DFHERIS

As 'The Voice of Irish Universities' the Irish Universities Association (IUA) represents, supports and advocates on matters of shared sectoral concern for our seven university members.

On representation, we are the collective interface between these universities and the state. We support the universities in developing sectoral policies and strategies and we provide some shared services in researcher mobility, engagement, access and internationalisation.

We advocate on behalf of the universities to maximise the contribution of higher education in all its dimensions to society and the economy. In all these respects we complement the individual, autonomous efforts of our members. ABOUT

How we work

Our Team

Vacancies

EURAXESS Ireland

Free advice to researchers and their family members:

Visas/career/networking

As an organisation the IUA is committed to:

- clearly and publicly articulating the importance and value of university education
- acting as an advocate for the university system























EURAXESS Ireland is an expert in visas and work permissions required by non-EU nationals in Ireland

EURAXESS manages Hosting Agreement/Fast track immigration scheme for non-EU researchers employed in Ireland

- Over 5000 researchers form outside EU got the HA approved (590 in 2023 to date)
- All research areas/university or industry
- You must have an employment contract with accredited institution
- Quick and easy EURAXESS immigration support for free

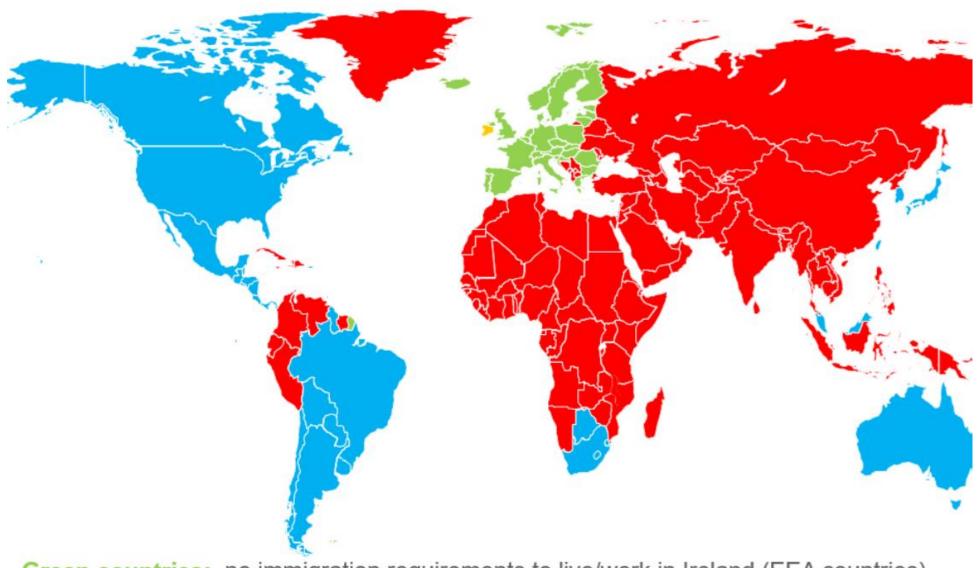
Fast Track Work
Permit Scheme
for Non-EU
Researchers

https://www.euraxess.ie/ireland/fast-track-work-permit-non-eu-rd-hosting-agreement-scheme









Green countries: no immigration requirements to live/work in Ireland (EEA countries)

Blue countries: no visa to enter Ireland, but need permit to work in Ireland

Red countries: need visa to enter Ireland and permit to work in Ireland

What is the Hosting Agreement scheme, and why we have it in Ireland?

Third Country Researchers Directive Council Directive 2005/EC/71 is
designed to address so called 'Pillar 1' – An adequate flow of competent
researchers with high levels of mobility between institutions, disciplines.,
sectors and countries

 Ireland's ability to attract high quality researchers has been a key element of our national strategy









What is the Hosting Agreement scheme, and why we have it in Ireland?

- The Directive provides for a fast-track procedure (Hosting Agreement) for admitting persons from countries outside of the European Economic Area to carry out a research project with an accredited research institution.
- They will not require a separate work permit.
- The procedure for accreditation of research organisations is currently managed by the DFHERIS
- Once accredited, research organisations may issue Hosting Agreements to third country researchers directly

What is the Hosting Agreement scheme, and why we have it in Ireland?

- EURAXESS Ireland of the Irish Universities Association (IUA) manages the operation of the Hosting Agreement scheme on behalf of DFHERIS
- The agreements are process online a designed processing database for accredited institutions







Qualification Criteria for the Hosting Agreement scheme

- ➤ Research employment contract issued by an accredited institution for min **91 days must be in place** for all new agreements
- >€ 23,181 salary pa for researchers without families in Ireland
- ➤€30,000 salary pa for researchers with at least 1 family member in Ireland (only spouses/de facto partners and children qualify)

EURAXESS website for info

DFHERIS <u>website</u> for info (for employers)

ISD <u>website</u> if you need a visa to enter Ireland









EURAXESS Ireland HOSTING AGREEMENT SCHEME

Fast track immigration- quicker visa

Exemption from the Labour Market Needs Test and a Work Permit

Exemption from any permission to work after 2 years /stamp4

Spouses/children/de Facto Partners join 'immediately'

NO work permit for spouses/1G stamp

Employment in industry

Employment in academia

Flexible work **not**required to stay for
12 months with your
employer

Salary min as low as € 23,181 or €30K per annum EURAXESS Ireland help and assistance for free!

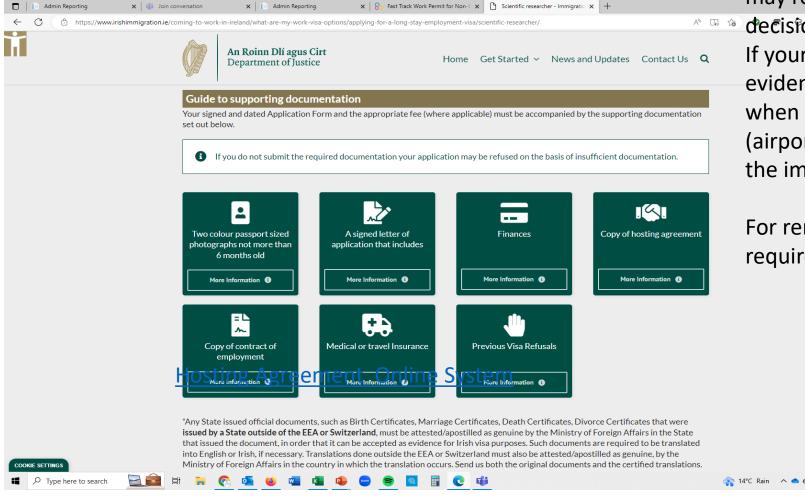
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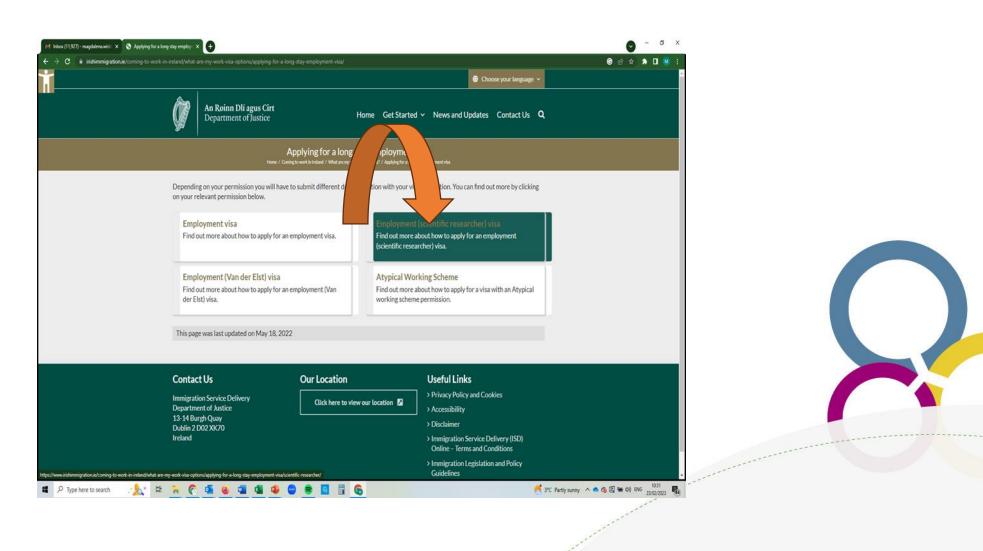
Hosting Agreement – for visa required nationals –documents needed Evidence of me



does not need to be provided with your application. However, the visa officer may request it before they make a decision on your application If your visa is approved, you must have evidence of medical or travel insurance when you arrive at the port of entry (airport/seaport) and must present it to the immigration officer on request.

For renewals, the insurance requirement is not required.

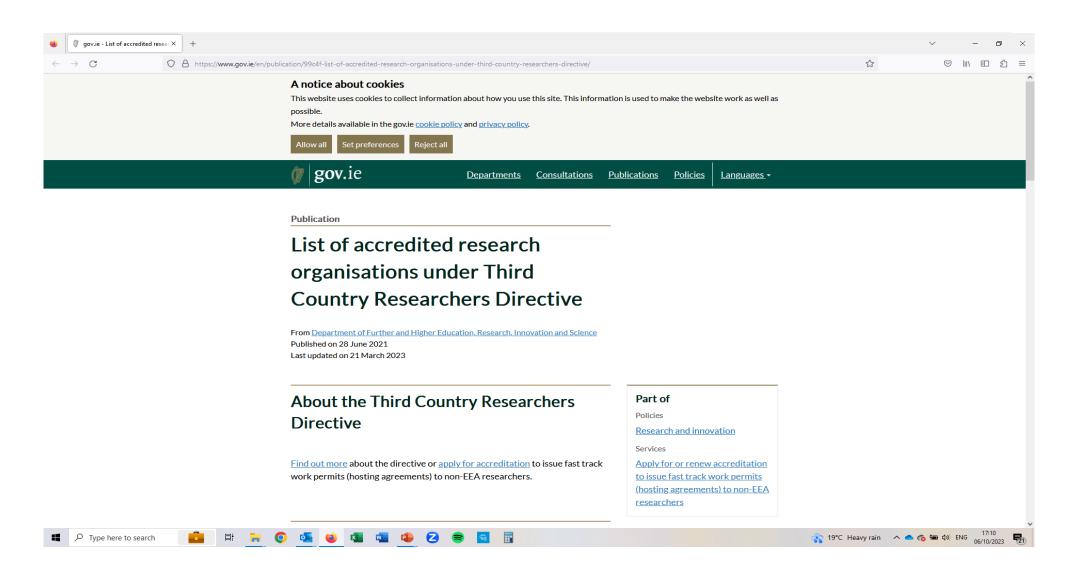
Where to locate HA (scientific visa) info on the INIS web?





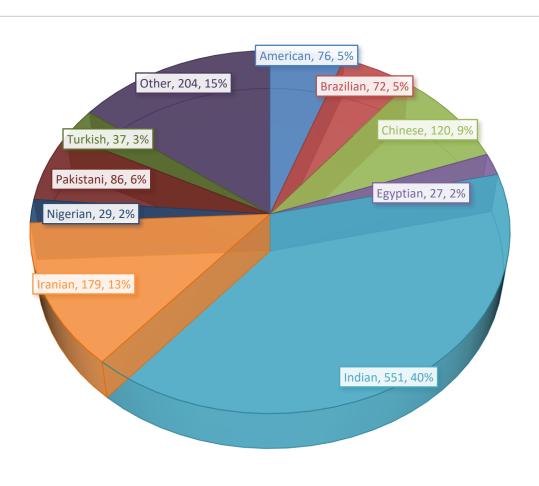
Employers issuing Hosting Agreements



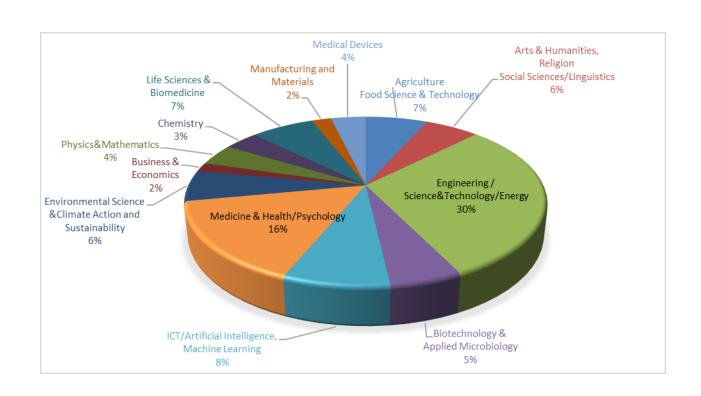




Researchers on Hosting Agreements in Ireland Nationalities



Researchers on Hosting Agreements in Ireland-Research field



	General	Critical Skills €32K – €63,999K	Critical Skills €64K+	Third Level Graduate Scheme	Hosting Agreement Fast Track Work Permit for R&D
Education	Not required	Relevant third-level degree required	Not required	Level 8-9 award, obtained in Ireland	Relevant third-level degree required PhD (usually MSc, PhD)
Minimum Pay (based on 39- hour week)	€30 K or €27,K(certain graduates and non-EEA language roles)	€32 K	€64 K	At least a minimum Wage/ in 2023 €11.30 per hour/€22,916 pa	Min 23,181€ or 30K (with dependants)
Highly Skilled Role	Not required	Required (see link below)	Not required	Not required	Researcher in HEA institutions /R&D Expert in a company
Labour Market Needs Test	Required in most cases (not if e.g.: job in the Critical Skills Occupations List)	Not required	Not required	Not Required/work without a permit	*Accreditation from DFHERIS (free !)
Dependent Family	Must wait 12 months to come to Ireland. No right to work	Permitted, and right to work	Permitted, and right to work/Stamp1G	Subject to conditions (sponsor PhD). No right to work	Permitted, and right to work Stamp1G
Duration/Stamp	Stamp1 /91 days – 5 years, then residency or citizenship	Stamp1 2 years, then Stamp 4, long term residency or citizenship	Stamp1 2 years, then Stamp 4, long term residency or citizenship	12 months/ up to 24 max for Graduates with an award at Level 9 or above	2 years, then Stamp 4, long term residency or citizenship/can move employers

GNIB registrations for non-EU/EEA

- Are you residing in Dublin?
- ✓ ISD registers permissions in Dublin city and county
- ✓ First time: in person/original docs
- ✓ Next time: online Renewals scanned copies
- Are you residing outside the Dublin area?
- ✓ GNIB is responsible for registrations outside Dublin
- ✓ First time: in person/original docs
- ✓ Next time: also, in person/original docs
- ✓ Renew your card at your local Garda Síochána District Headquarters Station. To find out where your District Headquarters Station is, contact your <u>local Garda Station</u>.

The registration fee is €300 (per person). You can pay this fee by credit or debit card only

Third Level Graduate Scheme

An award must be granted by a recognised Irish awarding body

Required documents

- >A copy of the award granted to you
- ➤ Your passport
- ➤ Medical insurance
- ➤ You must pay a fee of €300 per person to register

How to apply?

Information on <u>registering a graduate permission</u>.



Immigration/Work Permits useful links

- ➤ ISD (former INIS) Immigration Service Delivery News & Updates
- FAQ Immigration information (ISD website)
- ➤ <u>Registrations and renewals</u>/required documents
- <u>▶ Visas for Scientific Researchers</u>/Researchers on Hosting Agreements ISD
- ► Permits for Visiting academics/not on Hosting Agreements ISD
- > Immigration stamps
- ➤ Third Level Graduate Programme stamp 1G visas
- ► Contac ISD emails/info etc..
- > Employment permits DETE

Questions? Email us your query