

Managing Authority INTERREG IIC South, located in Valencia (Spain), is looking for a Responsible in the Coordination for the tasks assigned to the South Zone in the **Interact Point IIC Coordination**, in the context of the **Interact Programme 2002-2006**

Requirements

The post will be full-time and the candidate will be responsible (and should count with skills) in the following areas of coordination of **Interreg III** :

- Development and diffusion of Joint printed material across Europe and to third countries to inform a wide audience about the Interreg III Programme and attract as many applicants as possible.
- Advice to third country regions, helping them to participate in Interreg III and making the information on 3rd country funding available throughout Europe.
- Training of Interreg III Structures (Joint Technical Secretariats, Managing Authorities and Paying Authorities) identifying their needs and organising the training sessions and seminars.

Qualifications

- Good team worker and communicator
- Professional qualifications, experience and interest in spatial and regional development will be essential.
- Good knowledge and experience in Interreg Programmes.
- Good skills in Word, Excell, Power Point, Internet.

The working language of the Interact Programme is English. Good spoken and written English and Spanish is essential. Proficiency in French is desirable.

General Information

The contracting period will be beginning early 2004 ending 2006.

It is required an immediate start.

Gross salary: 35.000 €/ year.

If you would like to apply the job, please write by e-mail with acknowledgement of receipt (interact@gva.es) to *Roberto Arnau* enclosing your curriculum vitae, together with a letter of application. The closing date for applications is **11 January 2004** and after a pre-selection of candidates, interviews will be held in Valencia during the month of January.

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INTERACT, as part of the Community Initiative INTERREG, seeks to build upon experience and lessons learned during the previous programming periods of INTERREG (i.e., INTERREG I and II) to increase the effectiveness of the current INTERREG III programming period.

The INTERREG Community Initiative is designed to strengthen economic and social cohesion in the European Union (EU). The Initiative comprises cross-border, trans-national and inter-regional co-operation (i.e., Strands A, B, and C, respectively) and a large number of individual projects. Thus accompanying

actions to co-ordinate the three strands are of high importance in order to safeguard the added value of co-operation.

In particular, the natural tasks of the Interact Point "Interreg IIIC Coordination" will be to promote a wider dissemination of experience gathered through day to day programme implementation, and to make good practice accessible to interested stakeholders throughout all Interreg strands. This will all be conceived developing joint technical implementation tools and practical training in programme management skills.

Please, note that the above is subject to the signature of the subsidy contract with the INTERACT Managing Authority concerning the IP IIIC Coordination.