



InnoNext Guide for Visiting Talents







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Eligibility Criteria

You're eligible to become a Vising Talents in InnoNext if you are:

EIC talents

Pathfinder PdD/Postdoc

Transition PdD/Postdoc

MSCA talents

Postdoc Fellows

Doctoral Networks

COFUND

EIT talents

Label programs students/alumni

KIC educational participants

ERC talents

PhD/Postdoc researchers

RI talents

PhD/Postdoc researchers

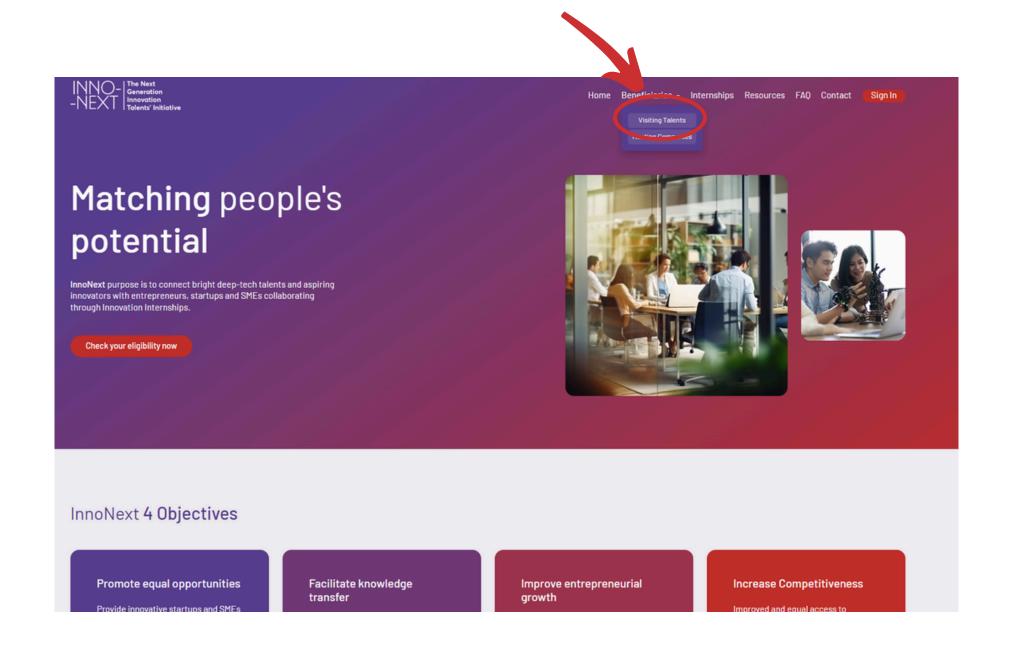






Registration - website

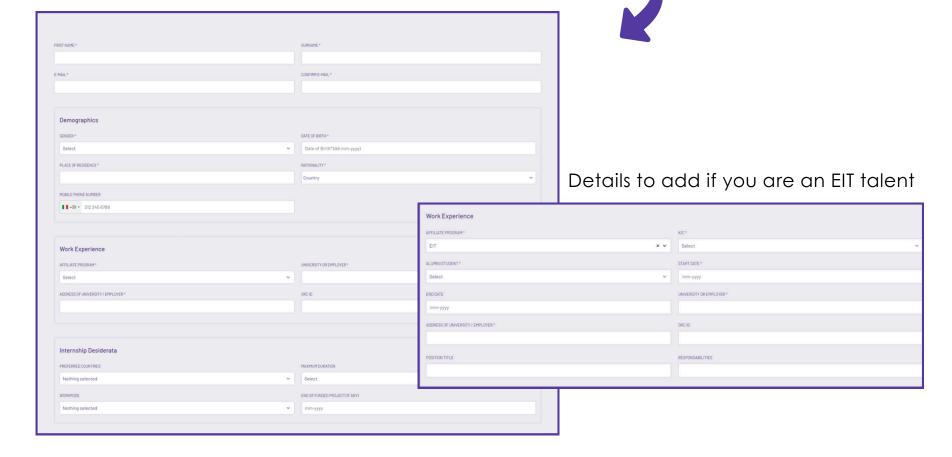
1. Enter the **Vitsiting Talent** section on www.innonext-project.eu and read more about the **Open Call**.





Registration - form

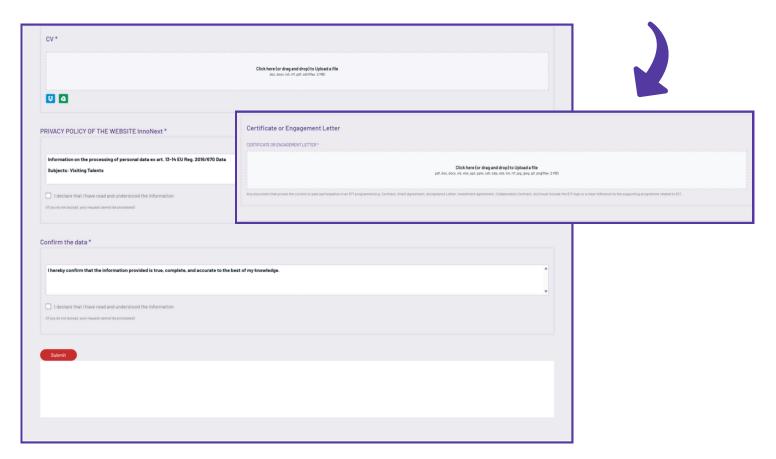
2. Fill in the form on the Visiting Talent page with some personal information and some details about your affiliate programme and work/education experience



- 3. Add your internship preferences (countries, duration, workmode...)
 - Please note: InnoNext does not manage or provide support for visa or work permit procedures.



*More details in the <u>dedicated section of this Guide</u>



After registering you will receive an email with the instructions to access
 the matchmaking platform.

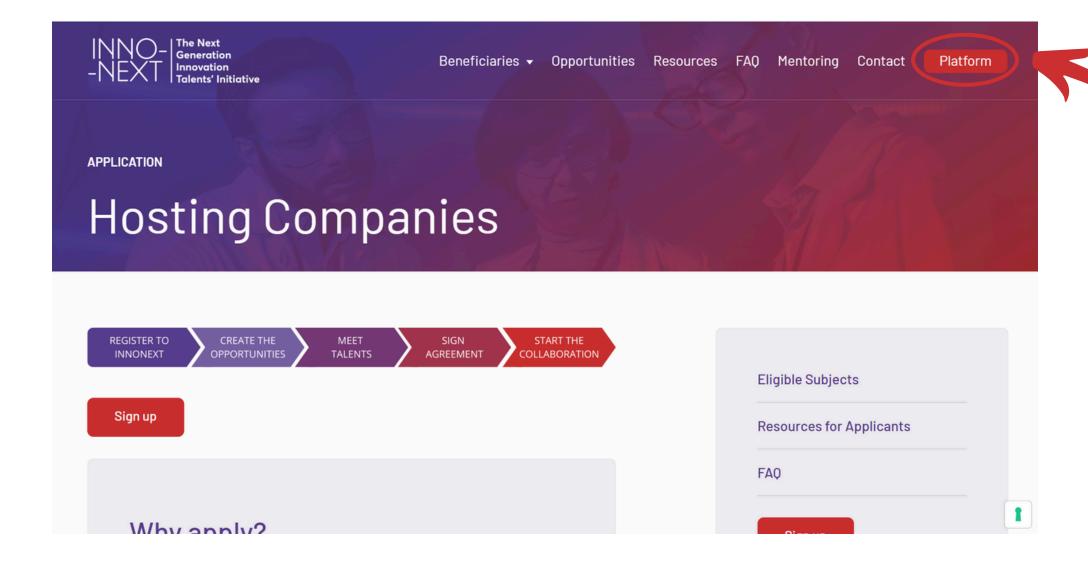






Find an Innovation Internship - matchmaking platform

After filling the registration form you will **receive the instuctions to access the matchmaking platform** for the first time and to set up your credentials.



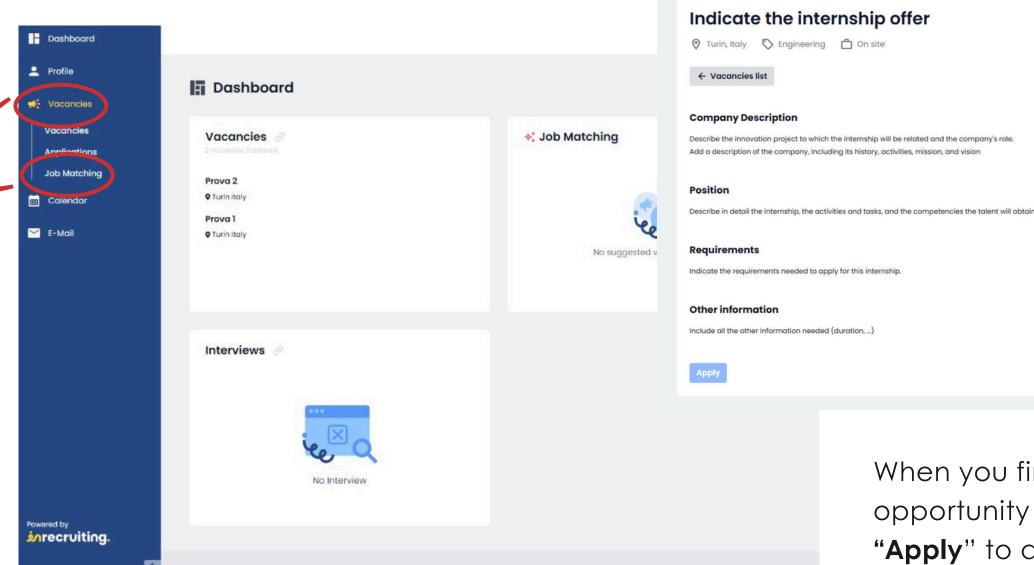
The matchmaking platform is a separate system from the InnoNext website, you can access it via this link or by clicking on the "platform" button on the InnoNext website.



Find an Innovation Internship - opportunities

Explore the **Innovation Internship opportunties** posted by Hosting Companies in the matchmaking platform.

Look at the Al suggested vacancies in the Job Matching section.
Or look at all the vacancies published in the Vacancies section



When you find an interesting opportunity click the button "Apply" to apply to it.

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The selection process: invitation



• The Hosting Company look at the application and decide which Talents to invite for an interview.

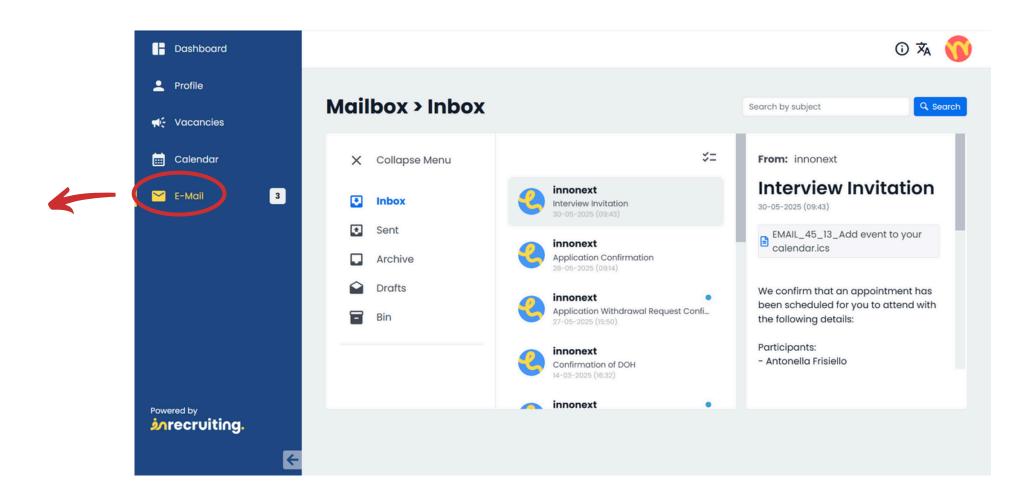


2. The Company can contact you directly on your email or throught the platform to arrange the interview.

You might receive invitation through the platform, in this case do not answer directly to the notification email.

Go to the email section in the platform and answer from there.

Otherwise the Company will not receive your answer.





The selection process: interviews

3. During the interview you and the Company can discuss and agree on the details of the internship (i.e. period, starting date, work modality).





4. If you accept the Innovation Internsip offer the Company must inform the InnoNext team by changing the aopplication status. You will then receive by e-mail all the documents and information to activate the internship.





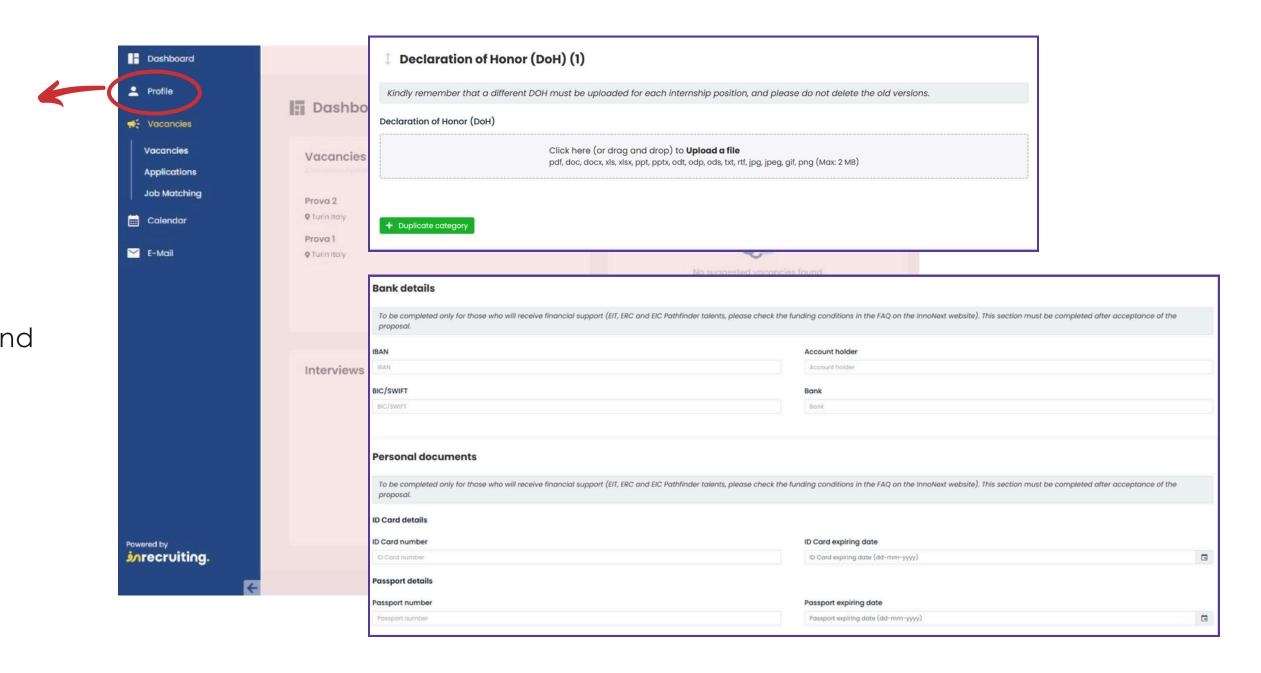
What to do when I accept an Innovation Internship?

Internship Activation - additional details

After accepting the offer the Company will change your application status on the platform and at that point you will receive an email with the next steps to verify your eligibility and activate the internship.

- Go to your profile in the matchmaking platform and complete the "post-match" section by:
 - Signing and uploading the Declaration of Honor (DOH)*
 - Filling the Bank information and the personal documents sections (if the financial support is applicable)

*Discover more about the DOH in the dedicated section of this Guide





Internship Activation - signature

- 2. InnoNext will verify your eligibility and check the validity of the Declaration of Honor and of the EIT Certificate.

 If everything is correct they send to the Company the Internship Agreement.
- 3. The Company will sign the Innovation Internship Agreement* (Annex 2 of Letter of Commitment) and send it to you so that you will also sign it.

The document must be **sent back to InnoNext** with both signatures

- 4. If applicable, you will receive the **Financial Agreement** to be signed and sent back.
- 5. After verifying the signature of the Agreement the InnoNext team will change your application status in HIRED and the internship can start!



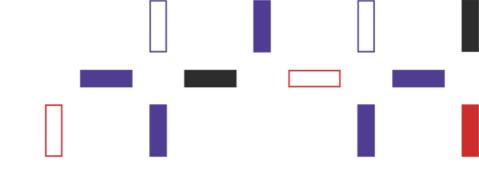


^{*}More details in the <u>dedicated section of this Guide</u>





Financial support: types of funding



Funding varies by programme:

EIC Transition: Covered by the grant of the originating programme.

MSCA: Covered by the grant of the originating programme.

RI: Covered by the grant of the originating programme.

EIC Pathfinder: 2300€ gross/month

ERC: PhD students: 4300€ gross/month

Postdocs: 5300€ gross/month

EIT: 2000€ gross/month

+ 750 € one-time mobility allowance

Covered by InnoNext funding

Max 3 months (until funds are exhausted)

From 3 to 6 months (until funds are exhausted)

Read more on EU Funding and Tenders Portal



Financial support: conditions

In order to receive the fundings some actions are required:

- You must **add your bank information** and **personal documents** in the dedicated sections of your profile in the matchmaking platform.
- You must complete the **self-assessment form**, based on the European Entrecomp framework on entrepreneurial skills. It will be sent to you **before and after the internship**.
- You must fill the InnoNext experience evaluation form. That will be sent to you before and after the internship.
 - You must fill the monthly report and send it to administrative@innonext-project. eu by the end of each month of the Internship.
- This include a **timesheet** where indicate the worked hours per month. Yuo will receive the template by email after the internship activation.
 - Note that the timesheet must be signed by both you and the Company.







Documents - Certificate or Engagement Letter (EIT)



All the beneficiaries affiliated with EIT.



It is a document that proves the current or past participation in an EIT programme (e.g. Contract, Grant Agreement, Acceptance Letter) and must include the EIT logo or a clear reference to the Educational programme related to EIT.

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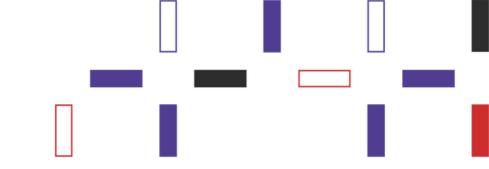
It must be **uploaded** in the application form during the registration.

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It is necessary to verify the eligibility of participants.



Documents - Declaration of Honour (DoH)





EIC, ERC, MSCA, RI talents

It declares that the talent:

EIT talents



- ? Who
- agree to the general requirements included in the InnoNext GA, as set by the European Union, for
 - participation in the InnoNext initiative.
- Is **not receiving double remuneration** for being involved both in a previous research initiative funded by the EU and for participating in the InnoNext initiative.
- have informed and obtained the permission to participate from their PI/project coordinator/employer.

It declares that the talent:

- is eligible for the InnoNext project
- agree to the general requirements included in the InnoNext GA, as set by the European Union, for participation in the InnoNext initiative.
- is **not receiving double financing** for being involved both in a previous research initiative funded by the EU and for participating in the InnoNext initiative; or in the case of double financing, that **it respects the conditions** that allow for the coexistence of two financing



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Documents - Innovation Internship Agreement



Talent and Company that are activating an Innovation Internship.

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The Innovation Internship Agreement is included in the Letter of Commitment as Annex 2.

It defines the agreements between the interested parties, including:

- description of the internship,
- duties to be performed
- the duration
- hours and working arrangements
- protection of intellectual property
- confidentiality.

It is a private document and, only if is necessary, according to **mandatory rules of applicable law**, the template **can be amended** accordingly.

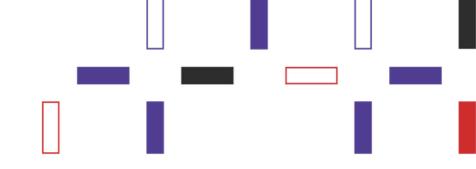


It must be **sent back to InnoNext** with both signature, after accepting the internship offer. The Company will send it to you: **template here**

Please note: InnoNext does **not manage** or provide support for **visa or work permit** procedures.



Documents - Financial Agreement





EIC Pathfinder, EIT, ERC Talents, eligible for Financial Support.

? What

There are **different versions** of the Financial Agreement with specific details, according to the affiliate programme.

These agreements include the following details:

- Identification of the contracting parties
- Selection procedure and eligibility criteria
- Type of financial support (internship reimbursement or mobility allowance)
- Conditions and deadlines for disbursement
- An Annex "Declaration of Receipt of FSTP" that inform the FSTP beneficiary about the tax management of the grant received through InnoNext



It must be signed and **send back** to InnoNext, after accepting the internship offer: **template here**

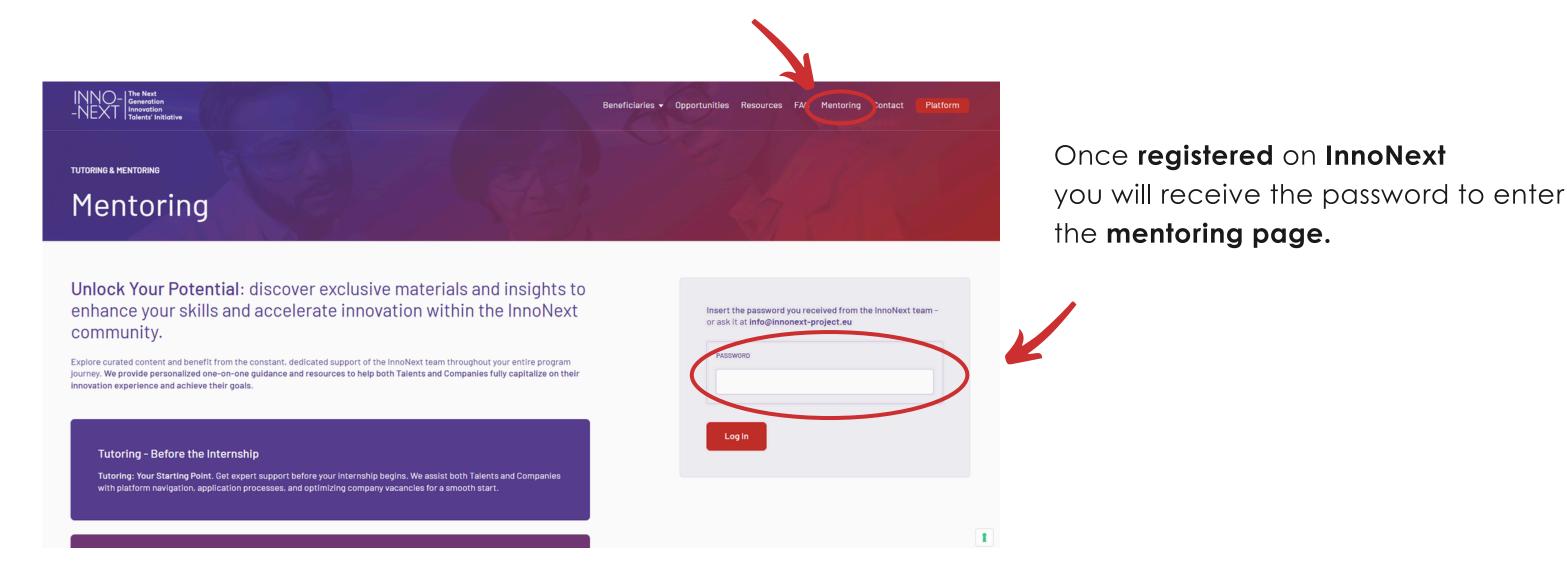






Mentorship resources

In the Mentoring section of the website you will find recordings of workshop sessions that have already taken place.



By e-mail you will receive invitations for **future sessions** that you can participate in via **live streaming**; and if you can't follow them, you can always **watch them later in this section**.



Resources

You can find more information consulting:



Dedicated section of **questions and answers**, covering every phase of the InnoNext journey and EU Partner Programmes specific requirements. https://www.innonext-project.eu/en/faq



Resources

Templates of the **needed document**, to get prepared in any phase.

https://www.innonext-project.eu/en/resources



Contacts

For any other issue, please **contact** InnoNext at **info@innonext-project.eu**









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