

# **FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT FOR WORKERS**

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**EURES helps workers to cross borders**

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Cooperation network of Public Employment Services

**Objective** : to facilitate the free movement of workers within the European Economic Area (EEA) (the 25 members of the EU, plus Norway and Iceland) and Switzerland.

Support and encourage the mobility of workers at **transnational** and **cross-border** level (EURES-T)

Partners at cross-border level : (regional) PES, social partners and other relevant organisations (regional and local administrations, universities, etc.)

Important role of **EURES advisors** - approx. **700** EURES advisors across Europe today

- Regulation (EEC) 1612/68, part II,
- EURES Decision (Dec. 2002)
- EURES Charter (Mar. 2003)

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- provides for the overall framework for the co-operation between the Member States and the Commission;

## EUROpean Employment Services to

- develop the exchange of information and cooperation
- support the European Employment Strategy
- strengthen the European Single Market

## Composition of EURES

- **EURES members (appointed by MS)**
- **EURES partners (employment offices in border regions, regional or specialised services)**

**EURES' objective is to seek to promote:**

- **European labour markets**
- **the transnational, interregional and cross-border exchange of job-vacancies and job applications**
- **transparency and information exchange**
- **the development of methodologies and indicators for this purpose**

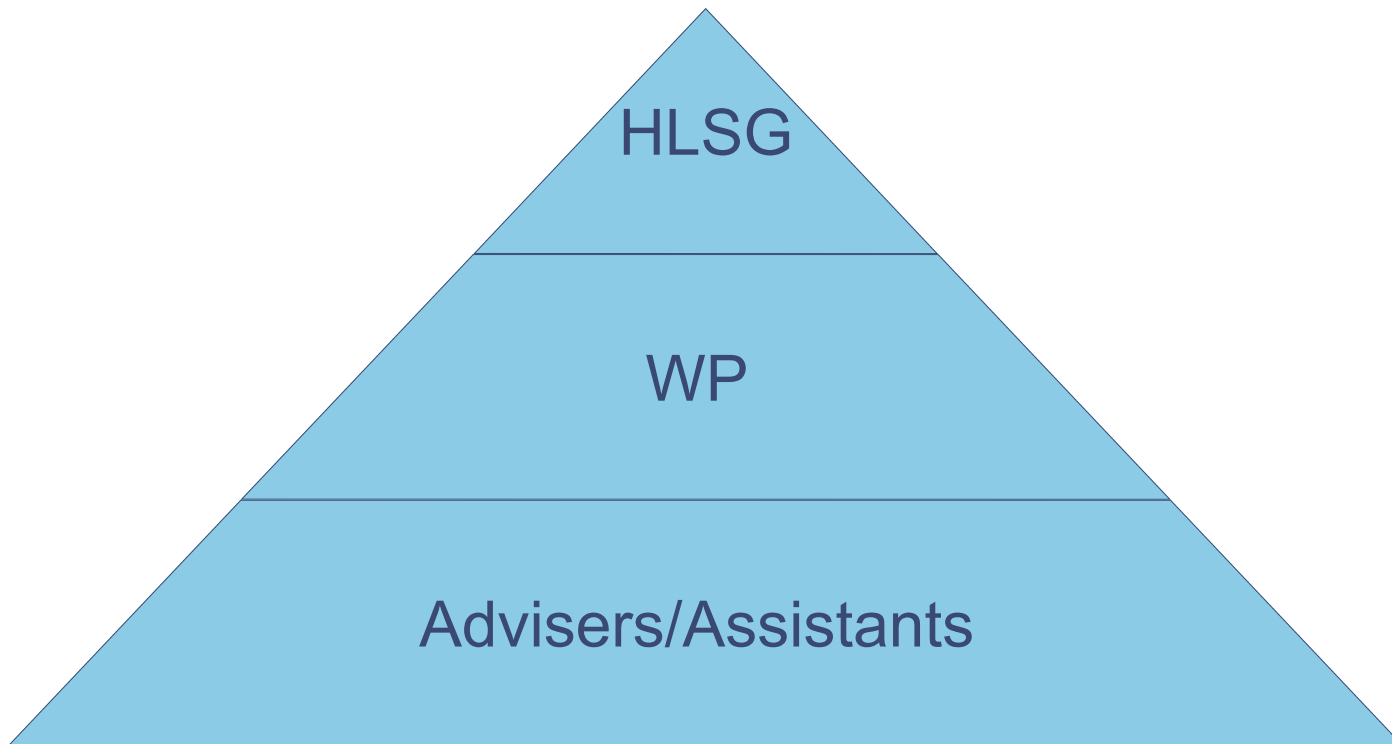
**European Coordination Office created to provide**

**- Analysis**

**- Formulation of the Overall Approach**

**- Monitoring**





## High level Strategy Group (Heads of EURES members)

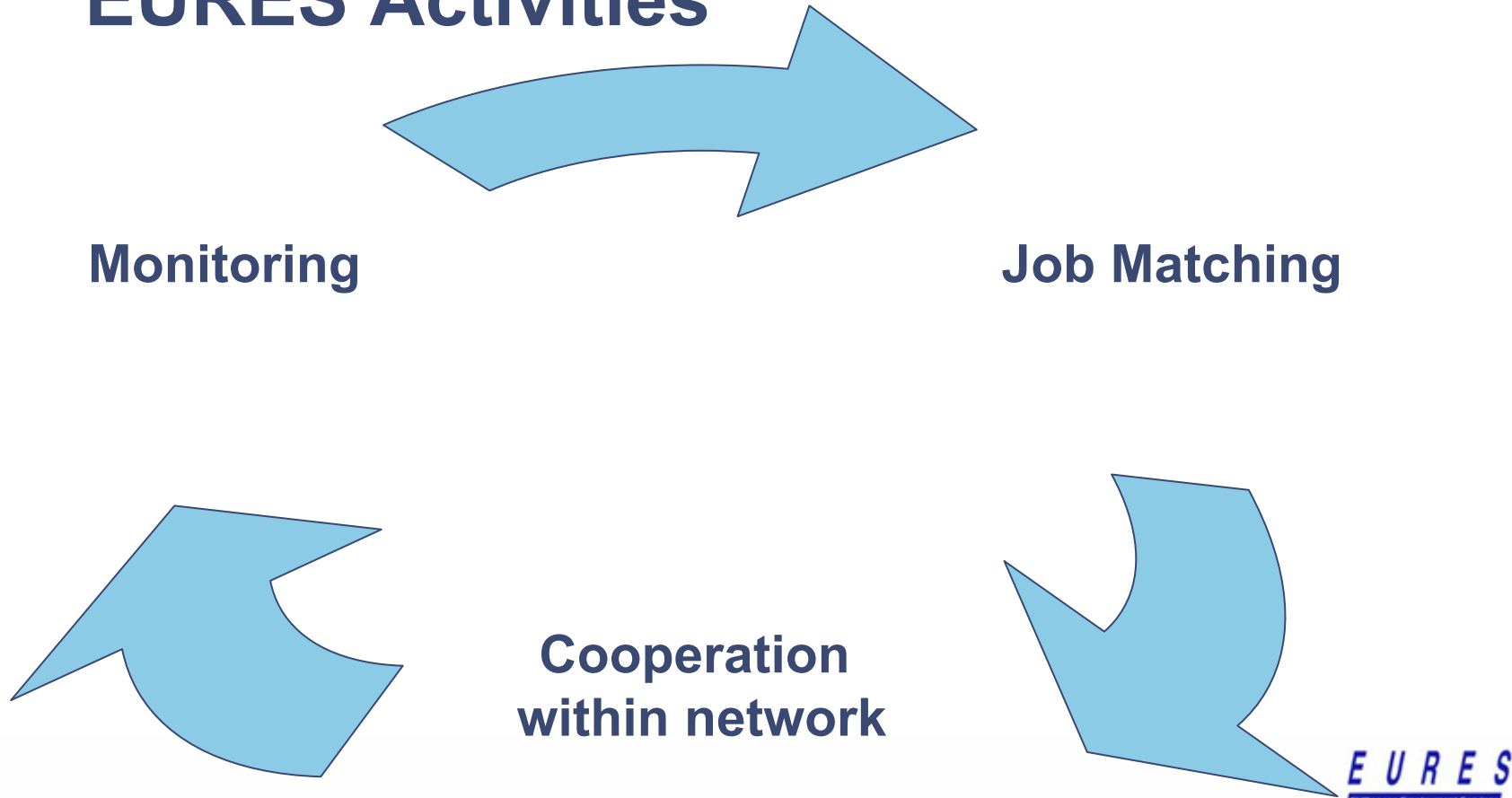
- Strategy,
- Planning,
- Implementation
- Monitoring

## Working Party (Managers)

## Obliges EURES to:

- adopt the EURES Charter
- establish the Guidelines enabling the members to create their annual action plans

## EURES Activities



## Objectives and Standards

- Integration of vacancy database
- Exchange of information
- Training
- Guidelines and Activity Plans
- Promotion
- Monitoring

**EURES**

The European Job Mobility Portal



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The easy way to find information on jobs and learning opportunities throughout Europe.

Job vacancies in 29 European countries, CVs from interested candidates, what you need to know about living and working abroad and much more brought to you by the EURES network.



26/04/2006: 956817 job vacancies, 99589 CVs and 5470 employers registered.

#### The EURES network

- › What can EURES do for you?
- › EURES advisers
- › EURES in cross-border regions
- › National EURES members

#### Jobseekers



- › Search for a job
- › Your CV On Line
- › Register for a free My EURES account

#### Employers



- › Search CVs
- › Advertise a job
- › Register for a free My EURES account

#### Log in to My EURES

Username:

Password:



- › Forgotten your user name or password??
- › Members



2006 - European Year of Workers' Mobility

#### Living & Working

Moving to another country guide:



#### Learning

- › Search for learning opportunities

#### EURES Highlights

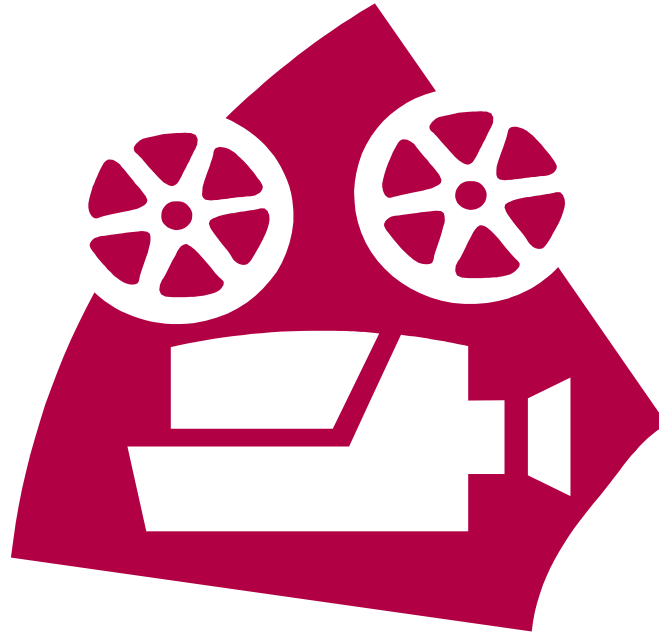
- › Welcome to the revamped EURES Job Mobility portal!

#### Tell us your opinion

Why would you consider changing your job?

- To get paid more
- A new challenge
- Better work/life balance
- I would like to

- Preparations (Bulgaria and Romania)
- Experiences of EU 10
- Steps to be taken



<http://europa.eu.int/eures>