

## EUROPEAN CENTRE FOR SOCIAL WELFARE POLICY AND RESEARCH

Short-term consultancy in Poland (Lot 1) / Portugal (Lot 2) / Slovenia (Lot 3)	
Project title	Contracting chains and recruitment patterns of posted third- country nationals within the European Union
Location	Warsaw, Lisbon, Ljubljana
Application deadline	March 4, 2024
Implementing organizations	This is a study commissioned by the European Labour Authority and implemented by the European Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research, an UN-affiliated intergovernmental organisation in Vienna and Milieu Consulting SRL.
Period	March-May 15, 2024
Contract type	Short-term consultancy contract (with deliverables)
Reports to	<b>Project Coordinator</b> , European Centre for Social Welfare Policy and Research
Budget	Best value for money: price per interview
Project goal	The project aims to advance knowledge on the posting of TCN workers, regarding contracting and recruitment practices, among Member States. Its objectives include: to map and analyse the contracting chains involved in the posting of TCNs: the structure of the chain, the practices of recruitment, transfer of workers, and the terms of their posting; and to outline the different public and private, formal and informal actors involved in the contracting chains of posted TCN workers starting at the recruitment stage with particular attention paid to the role of labour market intermediaries, such as temporary work agencies.
Scope and activities	<ul> <li>In close collaboration with European Centre staff, the consultant will:</li> <li>Conduct 10 interviews with third country (Ukrainian/Brazilian/Bosnian) workers based in Poland/Portugal/Slovenia that have been posted by their company/temporary work agency in another country one or more times</li> <li>2-5 interviews with temporary agencies/posting</li> </ul>
	companies/stakeholders



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Deliverables	12-15 audio files of the interviews
	Fieldwork notes
	Transcripts in English of the 12-15 interviews conducted
Qualification and Experience	University degree (Masters' mandatory, PhD an advantage) in the social sciences or any related field.
	• Experience with qualitative interviews with vulnerable groups.
	• Experience with research work on the posting of workers is an advantage.
	• Excellent oral and written knowledge of English and Portuguese/Ukrainian/Bosniak.
Application	For further information on this consultancy, please contact
	Sonila Danaj; e-mail: danaj@euro.centre.org.
	Please send your application with your C.V., your offer (price
	per interview including fieldwork notes and transcript in
	English), and a one-page letter of motivation (all in English)
	to danaj@euro.centre.org by March 4, 2024.