

## Our Partners

The RISE partner organisations have been working with refugees and employers to identify the gaps in key skills that are creating barriers to employment for refugees.



Coordinator and technological lead partner of the RISE Project. NTU's main areas of activity are teaching undergraduate and postgraduate students, and research.



Greenhat Interactive Limited is a Social Enterprise, working in the field of social regeneration conducting research and developing projects to make education and employment more accessible to disadvantaged groups.



The Integration Centre is a NGO that is committed to the integration and inclusion of people from immigrant backgrounds in Ireland. The Centre specializes in planning, monitoring and advocacy at city, local, national and international levels.



The Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt is situated in the South of Germany, in Bavaria. A high degree of internationalisation characterizes KU, thanks to the many international partnerships (more than 200 partner universities).

If you are a refugee, an employer or part of an organisation that works with refugees, then the RISE project is for you!



For further information and to keep up to date with the progress of the project, please visit the website:  
[www.rise-project.eu](http://www.rise-project.eu)

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## Tackling barriers to employment

Assisting refugees to improve their employment skills



**RISE** is an exciting European project that has been developed in response to the high levels of unemployment in our target group of refugees.



The in-depth research we have conducted with end user groups and key stakeholders in the RISE partner countries: the UK, Ireland and Germany; has highlighted a number of skills gaps that are creating barriers to the employment of refugees.

- Language, particularly relating to vocational and written language.
- Cross cultural and professional communication, affecting work applications and interview techniques.
- Understanding the work culture and workplace protocols of the host country
- Understanding of how to access and use public services
- IT skills & computer know how
- Understanding of rights and responsibilities as an employee

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The RISE project will assist refugees to improve their employment skills.



Workshops have been held with groups of refugees from the three partner countries and following a process of co-design with our end users, the RISE project end products will be:

- Four educational computer games, 2 for desktop and 2 for mobile platforms, that will be engaging, relevant and accessible to the target group.
- A curriculum to meet identified skills gaps for the employment of refugees.
- A project website and learning portal.
- A trainers' handbook.

These resources will help to:

- Reduce gaps in language and computer skills.
- Improve cross-cultural communication skills.
- Increase employability prospects for refugees.