

# ERASMUS + PROGRAMME- STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP 

## 'Youngsters Nowadays. Where from, Where to?'

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## THE SURVEY ON THE ROMANIAN JOB MARKET

In Romania, the situation of the job market is to be viewed as a process between the qualifications that people have, the salaries that are offered, the new positions that are made available in the companies who manage to find suitable contracts for their products on the European market which is in a continuous change.

The average annual rate of job vacancies according to the economic activity In 2017

| Informations and <br> communication | $4 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Education | $5 \%$ |
| Administrative and support <br> services | $6 \%$ |


| Transportation and storage | $6 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Wholesale or retail <br> automotive repair and <br> motorcycles | $10 \%$ |
| Public administration and <br> defense | $17 \%$ |
| Health and social assist <br> activities | $18 \%$ |
| Industry | $31 \%$ |
| Constructions | $\mathbf{3 \%}$ |

Average annual by economic activity:

| Others <br> job <br> activities | Art and <br> Divertisment | Transport <br> and <br> Storage | Public <br> Administrationand <br> and Defence | Mining <br> and <br> Quarries | Building | Agriculture <br> Siviculture <br> and <br> Fishing | Infor <br> and <br> Com |
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| $249.4 \%$ | $90.9 \%$ | $88.1 \%$ | $-57.2 \%$ | $-64.8 \%$ | $-69.2 \%$ | $-59.8 \%$ | 199.9 |

In terms of job offer, it is noticeable that the population will continue declining with about $\mathbf{1 0 \%}$ in comparison with last 20 years.

| Year | 2015 | 2020 | 2025 | 2030 | 2035 | 2040 |
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|  | 19,877 | 19,388 | 18,927 | 18,464 | 17,974 | 17,463 |

In the year 2016, the medium number of employees from the public sector represented $26 \%$ of the total number of employees, with the South-West and Nord East Regions having the biggest percent.

- The Number of Employees: Private vs Public

Year
Public
Private

| 2016 | $1227(26 \%)$ | 3532 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2012 | $1266(28 \%)$ | 3177 |
| 2008 | $1454(29 \%)$ | 3592 |

The Productivity Index adjusted to the Salary Level 2015 vs 2008

| North-West | $24 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Center | $24 \%$ |
| Nord-East | $34 \%$ |
| South-East | $27 \%$ |
| South- <br> Wallachia | $27 \%$ |
| Bucharest- <br> llfov | $21 \%$ |
| South-West <br> Oltenia | $37 \%$ |
| West | $22 \%$ |


| Administrative and Support activities | $-19 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Professional, Scientific and Technical <br> Activities | $-24 \%$ |
| Real Estate | $-27 \%$ |
| Information and Communication | $-29 \%$ |
| Accommodation Activities and Food <br> Services | $-26 \%$ |
| Transport and Storage | $6 \%$ |
| Wholesale or Retail Trading, Vehicle <br> or Motorcycle Repair | $-17 \%$ |
| Construction | $0 \%$ |


| Water supply, Sewarage, Waste | $-14 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Management, and Fixing Activities |  |
| Electric Energy Supply, gas, steam and <br> Air Conditioning | $31 \%$ |
| Industry | $-13 \%$ |
| Mining | $0 \%$ |

The Work-Productivity Rate adjusted to the salary equals the resulting amount divided by the personal costs.It is afterwards adjusted to the number of paid workers.

How will the number of employees in a company change in 2019?

For 2 consecutive years, only $3 \%$ of companies estimate that the number of employees in the company will drop.

| DROP | $3 \%$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| REMAIN CONSTANT | $23 \%$ |
| INCREASE BELOW <br> $10 \%$ | $34 \%$ |
| INCREASE UNDER <br> $10 \%$ | $40 \%$ |

What kind of candidates are most important in 2019?
The percentage of jobs for juniors increased by 5\% in 2019.
The distribution of jobs for eperienced specialists and managers is similar to last years's solvents.

| MANAGERS (TEAM |  |
| :--- | :---: |
| LEADER, <br> DEPARTMENT <br> MANAGER) | $12 \%$ |
| SPECIALISTS (OVER 3 <br> YEARS EXPERIENCE) | $38 \%$ |
| JUNIORS <br> (STUDENTS, UNDER <br> 3 YEARS <br> EXPERIENCE) | $50 \%$ |

## Which are the fields most likely to make recruitments for jobs employment in

 2019?After 3 consecutive years of maintenance in top, SALES have declined on the second position, being surpassed by the IT Software domain. These are followed by Custommer support-Client section.

In addition, the area focused on Contability-Finances has flourshingly risen on the 4 th position reporting to the one from last year.

| LEGAL | $1,36 \%$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| ACQUISITIONS | $3,98 \%$ |
| IT HARDWARE | $4,66 \%$ |
| MARKETING-PR- | $5,11 \%$ |
| ADVERTISING |  |
| OTHERS | $5,45 \%$ |
| ADMINISTRATIVE | $6,48 \%$ |
| PRODUCTION | $7,39 \%$ |
| HUMAN | $8,41 \%$ |
| RSOURCES- |  |
| TRAINING |  |


| ENGINEERING- <br> TECHNICAL | $9,00 \%$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| ACCOUNTING- |  |
| FINANCES |  |$\quad 10,00 \%$


| IT SOFTWARE | $13,18 \%$ |
| :---: | :---: |

How many Internship/ training programs will be opened in 2019?

| ANSWERS | PERCENTAGES |
| :---: | :---: |
| We want to find more over 10 interns | 15\% |
| We want to find between 3 to 10 interns | 21\% |
| We want to find maximum 3 interns | 27\% |
| No | 37\% |

Statistics show that 63\% of the companies which had taken part in this survey declared they will recruit interns in the year 2019.

What the most important qualities for recruting juniors are

| Past work experience | $20.04 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Internship | $18.76 \%$ |
| Faculty specialization | $12.82 \%$ |
| Extracurricular activities | $10.38 \%$ |
| Involvement in student NGO | $10.48 \%$ |
| Bilingualism | $10.00 \%$ |
| Possession of certifications | $5.47 \%$ |
| Studies abroad | $4.31 \%$ |
| Other | $3.84 \%$ |
| Good academic results | $3.72 \%$ |

In the last three years internship programs were on the top of the classament, and this year past work experience is the most important quality that will count on hiring.

The percentage of the companies that care about certifications doubled.

How many students stay in the company at the end of an internship

| Percentage of students that stay in <br> the company | Number of employers that <br> responded |
| :--- | :--- |
| $5 \%$ | $4 \%$ |
| $5-10 \%$ | $10.60 \%$ |


| $10-30 \%$ | $16.80 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| $30-50 \%$ | $17.70 \%$ |
| $70-90 \%$ | $34.00 \%$ |
| $90-100 \%$ | $13.20 \%$ |

34\% of the employers want to hire over 70\% of the students that were involved in one of the internship or trainee programs of their company.

## RECRUTING SENIORS

The numebr of the positions available for the experienced specialists in 2019 in each company

| More than 50 new posts | $8 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Between 10-50 new posts | $32 \%$ |
| Less than 10 new posts | $54 \%$ |
| We will not have | 65 |

94\% of employers are looking for experienced specialists. There is an increase of $2 \%$ compared to last year

| Certifications | $2.11 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| The reputation of the companies they <br> worked in the past | $1.11 \%$ |
| Another one | $1.03 \%$ |

## The avarage time of the recruitment process

$42 \%$ of the employers have declared that the process of recruitment takes about 1 month.

| 2 weeks | 1 month | 2 months | More than 2 <br> months | Other |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $32 \%$ | $42 \%$ | $11 \%$ | $8 \%$ | $7 \%$ |

The steps for recruitment process

| Interview <br> with the <br> manager | Interview <br> with the <br> recrutier | Probation <br> test | Phone <br> interview | Skype <br> Interview | Group <br> Interview | Psychological <br> test | Assesment <br> Center | O |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Other answears: technical interview; verification of references, going through videos of the E-learning platform.

Almost half of the companies include the interview with the manager and the interview with the recrutier in the process of recruitment.

The "soft skills" abilities the recrutiers want

| Flexibility, adaptation | $15,21 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Communication skills | $14,67 \%$ |
| Proactivity | $10 \%$ |
| The orientation toward <br> results | $9,70 \%$ |
| Continious learning <br> capacity | $9,38 \%$ |


| Teamwork | $7,55 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Problems solving | $6,14 \%$ |
| Efficiency | $5,07 \%$ |
| Analyzing capacity | $4,31 \%$ |
| Time and priorities <br> management | $3,77 \%$ |
| Social intellignce | $2,66 \%$ |
| Multitasking | $2,48 \%$ |
| Stress management | $2,26 \%$ |
| Independent work capacity | $1,29 \%$ |
| Project management ability | $1,83 \%$ |
| Leadership | $0,21 \%$ |
| Others |  |

- In 2019, the flexibility and adaptation requirement reached the first position followed by the communication skills on the second place in TOP 3.
- The least important requirments are: leadership, project management and independent work.
- As in previous years, the communication skills and the social ones, remain the most important requirement on the basis of which companies will choose their future employeers in 2019.
- Continious learning capacity is for the first time in top with a procent of $9,38 \%$; which is determined by the fact that the majority of jobs come with a period of development at the work environment


## Top of industries according to wages offered

| Service activity in information technology, | 6.380 |
| :--- | :--- |
| computer service activities |  |
| Air transport | 5.390 |
| Financial intermediation and insurance | 4.654 |
| Telecomunications | 3.902 |
| Extractive industry | 3.700 |

The possibility to work remotely that the companies give

| $10-15$ days | $3.53 \%$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 days | $8.00 \%$ |
| 3 days | $8.03 \%$ |
| More than 5 <br> days | $8.03 \%$ |
| Outher | $10.61 \%$ |
| 1 day | $11.25 \%$ |
| It's not <br> efficient in <br> our <br> organization | $24.75 \%$ |
| We don t <br> offer | $26.04 \%$ |

Half of the companies say it gives them the possibility of higher education employees to work remotely.
We appreciate the candidates who are curious not only about job responsibilities and how they can grow in the company, but who also want to know about the company's culture, about the values (or principles) we follow here, what kind of team we have and about way of working. But we also enjoy
when we are asked about what we do in our free time, or about different projects they have seen on our website or online, or whether we are open to new ideas or proposals from them. A candidate who does the themes well before coming to the interview has an advantage at first/

As for the questions that should not be asked by candidates, it would be those related to salary and benefits before discussing the job itself and the expectations of everyone and ours. It was happening to be asked about the salary offer before we know the candidate in person.
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