

STARTING STRONG.

BUILDING BETTER

ONBOARDING

Supporting European SMEs for Stronger Teams
and More Resilient Future



WELCOME!

Shaping the Future of SME Onboarding!



The **OnBoard** project has officially started, bringing together partners from across Europe with a shared mission:

to help SMEs improve onboarding processes, reduce employee turnover, and build stronger, more resilient teams.

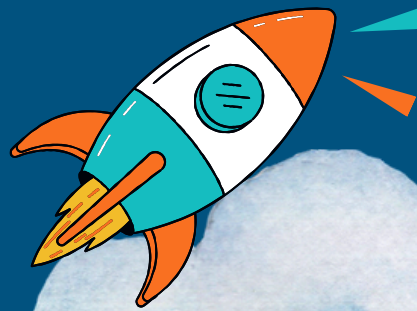
In this first edition of our newsletter, we share key milestones, recent events, exciting news, and what's coming next!

PROJECT LAUNCH

ONBOARD PROJECT

OFFICIALLY STARTED IN 2025!

OnBoard aims to support European SMEs by creating practical tools, training, and recommendations that make onboarding smarter, easier, and more effective.



WE FOCUS ON:



Reducing
Employee
Turnover



Improving
Onboarding
Processes



Strengthening
Team Integration



Developing
Practical & Digital
Tools



Promoting
Inclusive Learning
& European
Cooperation



LATEST NEWS

NEWS #1

PRELIMINARY KICK-OFF MEETING

Laying the Foundation for Collaboration



Partners gathered for the preliminary kick-off meeting, aligning expectations and defining the key objectives of the project.

KEY HIGHLIGHTS:

- ✓ Alignment of partner expectations
- ✓ Discussion of initial activities
- ✓ Coordination of upcoming work

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NEWS #2

OFFICIAL KICK-OFF MEETING

A Shared Vision, A Clear Roadmap

The official kick-off meeting marked the formal start of the OnBoard project

PARTNERS:

- ✓ Presented their roles
- ✓ Discussed implementation strategy
- ✓ Outlined the roadmap for the next phases



A strong focus was placed on collaboration and real impact for SMEs.

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WHY ONBOARDING MATTERS MORE THAN EVER?



30%

of employees leave within the first months due to poor onboarding.

Source: Brandon Hall Group



Strong onboarding increases retention, productivity and employee engagement.



SMEs face the biggest challenges in creating structured onboarding - and that's where

Onboard makes the difference



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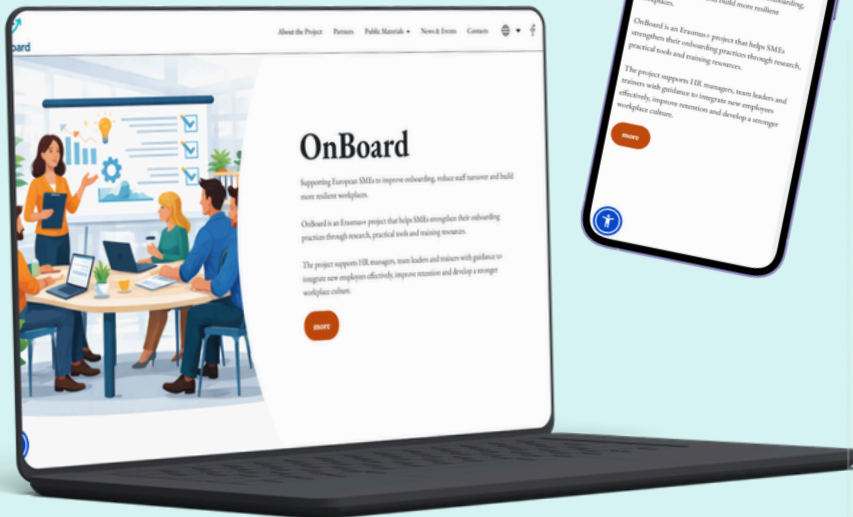
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SAVE THE DATE

INTERNATIONAL ONLINE WORKSHOP

Join us to learn, share & grow together!

- ✓ Discover onboarding best practices
- ✓ Exchange experiences with international partners
- ✓ Explore how to build stronger teams



13 May 2026



16:00 CET

ONLINE EVENT

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