



Supporting conference interpreter training in the Western Balkans

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What does DG Interpretation do?

Provision of conference services and interpreters to meetings organised in different EU Institutions:

- European Commission
- Council of Ministers and European Council
- European Economic and Social Committee
- Committee of the Regions
- Other Institutions

Employment opportunities

Inter-institutional accreditation test (EC + EP + CoJ) for freelance interpreters.

<https://europa.eu/interpretation/freelance.html>

Enlargement languages

Top-level professionals needed now for acquis negotiations and enlargement path.

Role of countries in capacity-building in the context of their commitments for accession



Support offered by DG Interpretation

- Assistance in setting-up MA and post-graduate courses
- Financial support: grants to universities
- Pedagogical assistance: seminars offered by experienced trainers
- Training for trainers' modules
- Digital offer: dedicated platforms

Our platforms

- Knowledge Centre on Interpretation (KCI)

<https://knowledge-centre-interpretation.education.ec.europa.eu/en>

- Speech Repository

<https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/sr/>



EMCI consortium

European Master's in Conference Interpreting

<https://www.emcinterpreting.org/emci/>



Thank you

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