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Introduction



## Social Impact Vouchers (SIV)



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# MAIN OBJECTIVES - 2 PILLARS



test the initiation of  
(philanthropic) **social impact  
funds**



establish a **voucher system** with the aim of creating an incentive system for employers to hire (long-term) unemployed people. Disadvantaged groups are supported through training, capacity building and activities fostering social integration

→ make use of private capital for integrating disadvantaged groups in the labor market, measure the impact of these activities and use the findings for improvement and scaling



# DIVERSE TARGET GROUPS

## Diverse target groups

In general: groups disadvantaged on the labour market, (long-term) unemployed (DE, HU, CZ)

Young people/ vocational schools graduates (SK, CZ)

Women/ (Re)-entry after longer absence from the labour market (PL, DE, CZ)

People with disabilities (HR, DE)

Unemployed people seeking retraining/ education (e.g. by pursuing a career in programming) (AT, PL, CZ)

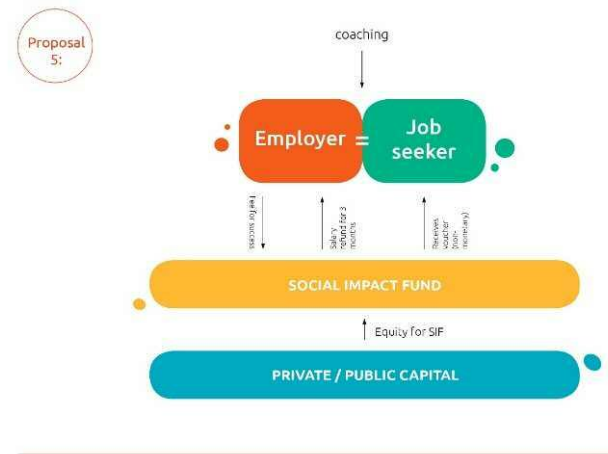
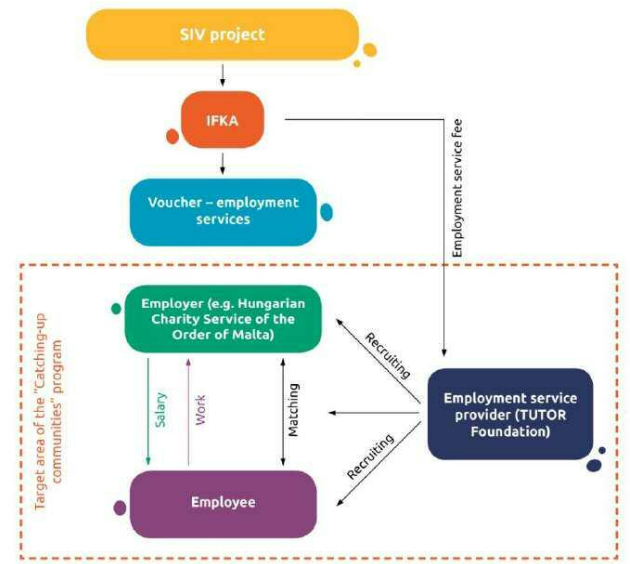
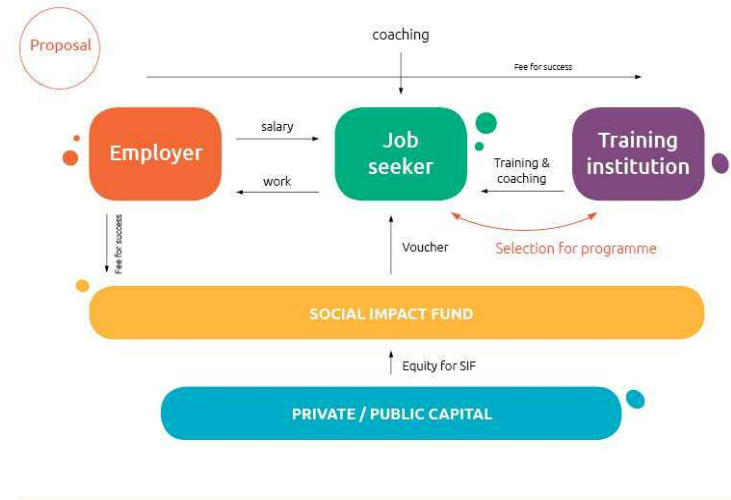
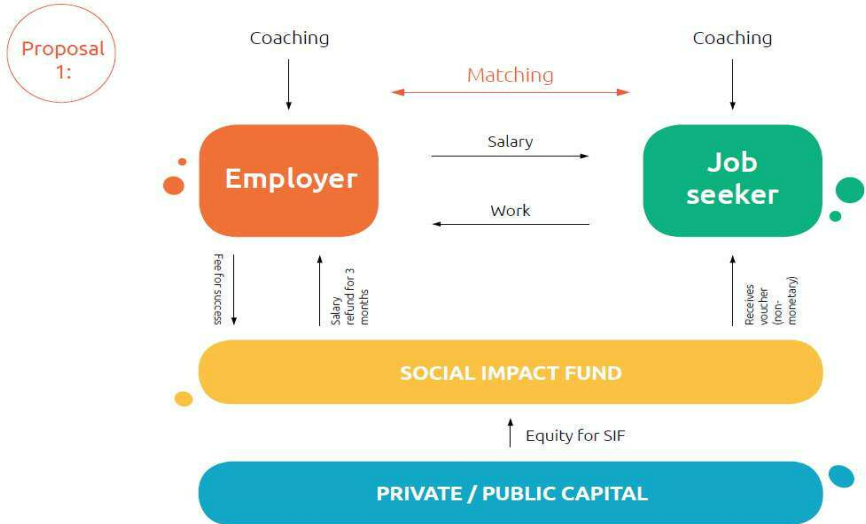
(future) entrepreneurs who (want to) run start-ups/micro businesses (CZ)

Migrants (with refugee status) (DE)

Etc.



# DIVERSE VOUCHER MODELS



As a financing means for the voucher models, we established a transnational and several national **social impact funds**, by addressing both private (philanthropic) and public investors

We **do not expect financial returns for the investors**, but partial monetary reflows to the funds through fees for successful recruitments

The **transnational fund** can offer the advantage of being able to support both national and transnational voucher projects



# MAIN MISSION GOALS



## **Sustainable quality of life**

by integrating unemployed people into society as well as into the labour market



## **Driving Innovation**

by exploring various voucher models in different countries



## **Generating impact**

by combining public and private resources more effectively than existing labour market instruments



## **Scaling impact**

by drawing from shared transnational experiences and learnings



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<https://www.interreg-central.eu/Content.Node/SIV-.html>



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