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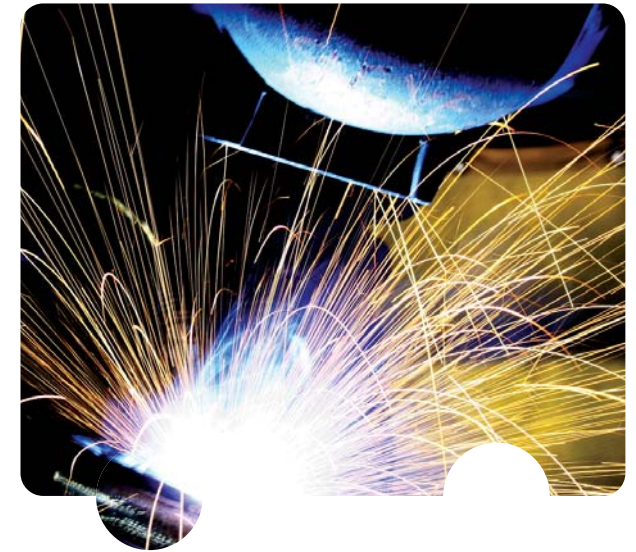
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WISE PROJECT

Improving the Sustainability of
Engineering Companies through
Practical Support and Interaction.

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What can the WISE project do for my business?

The project can provide you with support from best practice experts, through an interactive process, to enhance leadership, management, innovation, product and service development and environmental best practice at all levels to support and improve sustainability in your company.

How does the project work?

If you join the programme your company will be involved in undertaking an assessment process followed by a specific dedicated action plan.

How does the support work?

Your company will receive up to 10 days expert support and interaction specially selected in collaboration with you to meet your requirements.

How much does it cost?

The support is provided through the WISE project fund at no cost to your company.

Is my business eligible?

In Wales, any Engineering Construction or related sector SME, working or having an office in the Ireland Wales INTERREG area.

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How do I get involved?

Contact the Project team for an informal discussion. If you then wish to proceed a specially trained company assessor will be allocated to your company to undertake the assessment work with you. This process will take 1 to 3 days and will result in the development of an action plan. If you are satisfied that the proposed plan with its specialist inputs will make a real difference to your company then you will be provided with an agreed support package.

Quality of support provided?

The team of experts to support this project have been drawn from industry and universities in Wales and Ireland. All have been chosen for their proven experience in the SME sector. Both project partners have extensive successful records of enterprise development support to industry in the areas of training and support services with substantial outcomes.

How do I make contact?

In Ireland Project Coordinator:
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Support available

The following support is available to assist with the development of your company and additional support may be available if appropriate:

- leadership and management enhancement
- workforce development
- administration improvement
- contract management
- finance systems
- health and safety
- new product/service
- environmental audit
- human resources
- use of new technology
- developing new areas of work
- design issues
- energy efficiency
- diversification