

Talent Attraction in Ireland



Ireland has the youngest population in the EU

Age 0-9 20s 40s 60s 80s

Irish population 2022

5,123,536

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highest since 1851 **8%** since 2016



176,200

Increase in full-time employment in Q1 2022



2,505,800

Total employed Q1 2022



17%

of total persons employed in Q4 2021 were non-Irish. 5th highest share in the EU



13,000+

employment permits issued between 2020 & 2021 for workers in ICT, manufacturing, finance, scientific and technical activities.



70%

of people moving to Ireland had a 3rd level education



Total employment in IDA supported MNCs is **275,384**, highest since records began in 1972.



IDA client companies across Ireland grew employment by between **3%** and **10%** in 2021.



Across the IDA client base employment grew:

- +9% I&C Services
- +4% Modern Manufacturing
- +8% Business, Financial and other Services
- +2% Traditional Manufacturing

The world's top companies have chosen Ireland as the location to scale their business in Europe

















Sources: Census 2022; CSO Labour market Insights Q1 2022; C SO Migration estimates April 2022; Eurostat April 2022.



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