

The Business Machine:

A fictitious profile of the European team

This is just an example, like our team might look like. It is completely fictitious and it will give you an advantage if you find some similarities between you and the described person.

The example wants to show that being an entrepreneur is not a matter of age, gender or education. Everybody has some talents that make him/her a good entrepreneur. Try to underline your talents and your motivation in the application form!



Age: 19
Sex: male
Education: Just finished apprenticeship in bakery
Experience: none
Special skill: Leader of a rock band, has organised several big parties



Age: 41
Sex: male
Education: Laboratory assistant
Experience: Worked 5 years in a big enterprise. Today independent consultant for different small and medium enterprises.
Special skill: experience how to set up an enterprise. Hobbies: Surfing.



Age: 66
Sex: female
Education: retired Kindergarten teacher
Experience: working as a teacher for 40 years
Special skill: mother of 3 children, lots of practical experience in gardening/ vegetables/ fruits



Age: 28
Sex: female
Education: Master international law
Experience: internship with United Nations
Special skill: Able to write juristic documents. Immigrant, speaks 6 different languages.

General skills expected from everybody:

- Highly motivated
- Spirit of entrepreneurship (Innovative, independent, creative, ready to take risks)
- Eager to work in a culturally mixed environment
- Ability to express yourself in English
- Willingness to make a certain investment (money and/ or time) to the business