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The EUVP is an individual study programme for promising young leaders and opinion-moulders from countries outside the European Union to come to Brussels and Strasbourg for 5 to 8 days to gain a better understanding of the values, policies and functioning of the European Union.



The visitors meet with Members of the European Parliament, officials of the European Union Institutions as well as representatives of civil society to share perspectives and best practice on issues of mutual concern.

The EUVP has proved over the years to build an invaluable network of contacts for the many European Parliament and European Commission departments as well as the European External Action Service (EEAS).

Who are our visitors?



They are young politicians, government officials, media professionals (television, radio and newspaper), trade unionists, civil society actors and academics.

Visitors come from countries where the European Union has a Delegation (currently around 80), including the US, China, Russia, South Africa, Israel, Mexico, Australia, countries under the European Neighbourhood Policy, etc.

They are proposed by the European Union Delegations and selected by the EUVP Management Committee based in Brussels.

Since its establishment in 1974 by the European Parliament and the European Commission, the EUVP has welcomed thousands of guests. Some of them have risen to positions of high office or responsibility, including Prime Ministers of Canada, Slovakia, Romania and Hungary, Governors of US States, Ambassadors, etc.

You've got mail!

The EUVP will regularly send meeting proposals to you for a face-to-face meeting with our guests who work in the same field as you or have similar interests.

You are invited to meet them in your office in Brussels or in Strasbourg at your convenience.

Interlocutors who receive EUVP visitors recognise the value of exchanging ideas on issues of mutual interest with present and future policy-makers and opinion-moulders outside the EU.





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