



Welcome. Working for refugee integration is a UNHCR project carried out in collaboration with the Ministry of Labor, Confindustria and the Global Compact Network Italy, to promote the resilience and self-sufficiency of refugees by involving society as a whole.

Since 2017, thanks to the involvement of numerous stakeholders (institutions, trade unions, civil society organisations, etc.), UNHCR has been fostering the work placement of refugees in 3 ways:



Awarding companies and organizations that have distinguished themselves in promoting the employment of refugees with the "Welcome. Working for refugee integration" logo



Raising awareness among companies and other labor operators on issues of international protection and diversity in the work environment, through webinars and specific training tools and events



Linking companies with specialized partners to co-design inclusion programmes and the activation of a network of national and local support associations (WelcomeNet)

Over 13,000 refugees

since 2017 have benefitted from job inclusion pathways by the companies in the Welcome Network

355 companies

awarded in Italy since 2017 with the Welcome Working for Refugee Integration logo (107 in 2020/21) for their commitment to a more inclusive society

Over 90 associations

mediating between companies and refugees with integration expertise to achieve the best possible outcomes

Find out more at welcome.unhcr.it

