



# Welcoming international talents

Welcome Office

Inward Investment Division
Legal & Business environment unit

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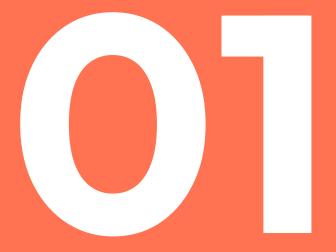
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**Business France** 





# We are a « Services Public agency » for:

- **Providing** long-term support for the international development of French and French-based companies, particularly growth-oriented ETIs and SMEs.
- **Promoting** France's sectors of excellence and the industries of the future, to boost competitiveness and innovation.
- Supporting the internationalization of French companies and young people by developing the Volontariat International en Entreprise program.
- **Prospecting and attracting** foreign investment to France to create value and jobs, welcoming and supporting international talent, with our regional partners.
- **Valuing** the economic image of France, its companies and its regions.



## **Business France in figures**

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employees

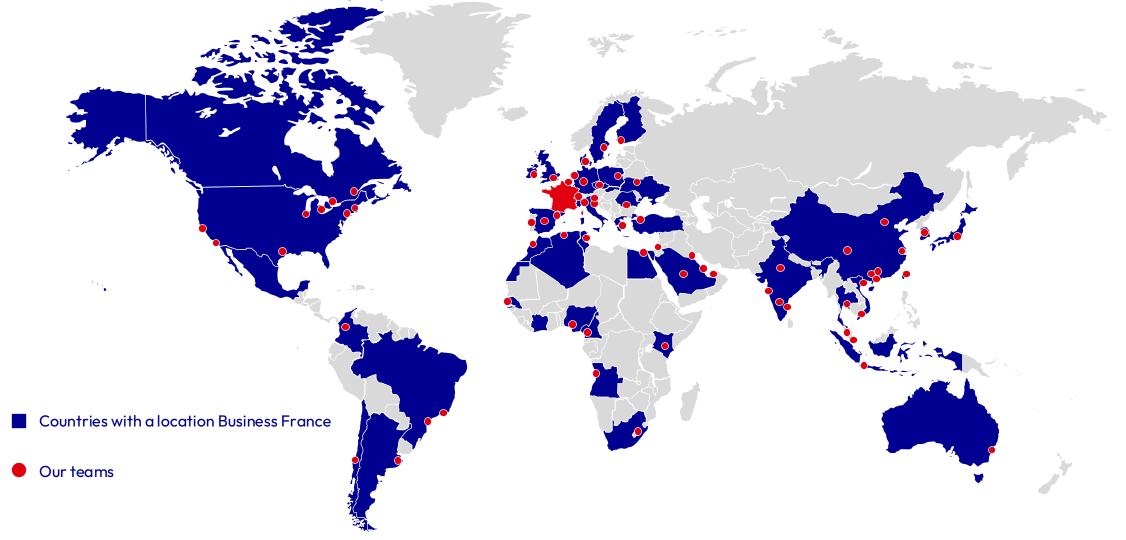
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offices in 52 countries

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## Our worldwide network

An international force with 750 employees in 52 countries



#### **Attractiveness**

# Accompany foreign companies in France

All value-creating projects are welcome in France! Business France teams meet with foreign companies to identify projects that could be set up in our territories, and support them throughout the process to ensure that their investments go smoothly.

With the Team France Invest, Business France and its partners are mobilized to:

**Promote** attractiveness of France **Prospect** foreign investors **Support** their establishment and their development in France

The 17 000 foreign companies who chose France employ 2,2 millions of employees, they represent 30% of our exportations and realyze 21% of French R&D expenses.

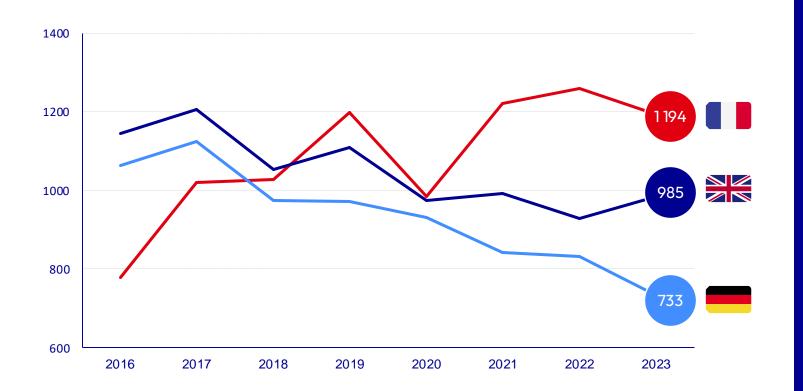
\*Source INSEE 2023



# France 1<sup>st</sup> destination for the foreign investment projects in European Union for the 5<sup>th</sup> running year

#### Report EY 2024

The annual growth of the projects of foreign direct investment



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European destination for the industrial investment projects

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European destination for the foreign investments in the AI in 2023





Legal and Business **Environment Department** 

#### Our scope of services

**Information** of investors

Support and analyze of the projects

Improvement of business environment





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## Our Welcome Office

Attract international talent to foster innovation and competitiveness in businesses.

Business France supports companies in their mobility and recruitment processes for international talent, thanks to a team of specialists and a dedicated website: welcometofrance.com.

Attracting foreign talent in strategic sectors and enabling companies in France to recruit the necessary skills is essential for our competitiveness.

In partnership with Mission French Tech, Business France supports startups to help them internationalize their skills.

Audience of welcometofrance.com since 2017 1.1 million visitors in 2024

Requests processed since 2017

International Talent Referees within Team France Invest



#### Support employers

#### **Our Target Audiences**



# Welcome Office

- ✓ Inform employers about mobility or recruitment processes
- Streamline the installation process for international talent
- ✓ Facilitate the mobility of workers within major projects
- ✓ Guide startups in partnership with Mission French Tech

#### Support employers

Welcoming international talents

## **Information**

#### A dedicated website

www.welcometofrance.com

**Welcome to La French Tech Desk** – a dedicated service for the Tech sector

# Support

#### **Individual support**

Responding to inquiries, one-on-one meetings Engaging with French authorities

#### **Collective support**

Hosting webinars, workshops, masterclasses

## **Attractiveness**

Identifying issues in the experience of international talents and suggestions for improvement

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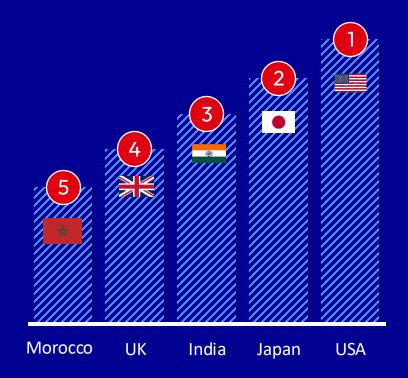
A team of international mobility experts to inform and support HR Teams, international talents and their families about global mobility.



## Origin of companies contacting our Welcome Office

# 21% Europe 29% Asia 24% 26% **Americas** Africa/ Middle East

# Nationalities represented



Figures of Welcome Office requests 2024



2024

# Moving to France

An attractive destination



A mobility thanks to the Talent permit

Residence permits for the talent and his/her family (up to 4 years, renewable)



High quality social security

74 bilateral agreements and social security treaties



Attractive personal tax regime

A dedicated taxation scheme for impatriates for up to 8 years (impatriation bonus)



Booming international education

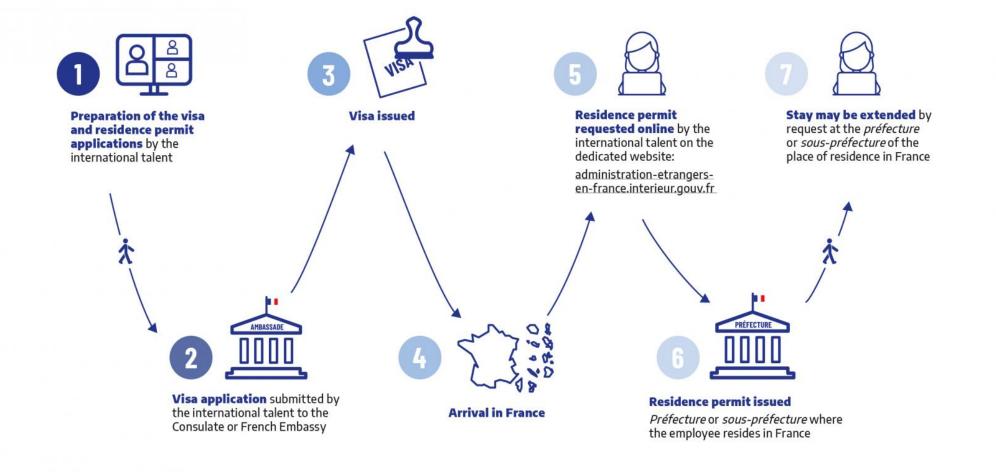
More than 550 international programs taught in 18 languages



An attractive
ecosystem for
startups with
dedicated procedures
for Tech talent to
obtain the Talent
permit

2024

#### RESIDENCE PERMITS «TALENT PASSPORT»





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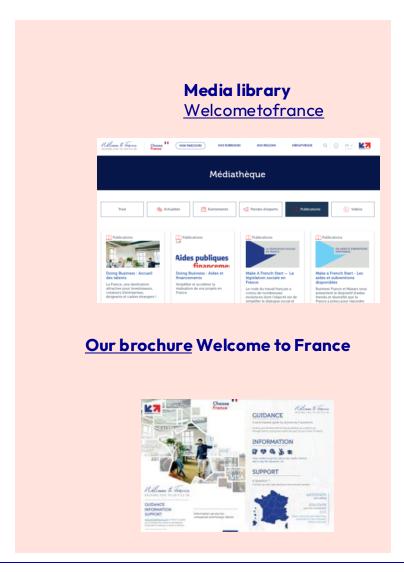
#### For you and the talents that you hire

# Welcome To France, a website regularly updated organized in sections Welcome to France



#### **Videos**





#### **Doing Business**

<u>Doing Business : Accueil des talents -</u> Welcome to France

# IN FRANCE Accueil Talents



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