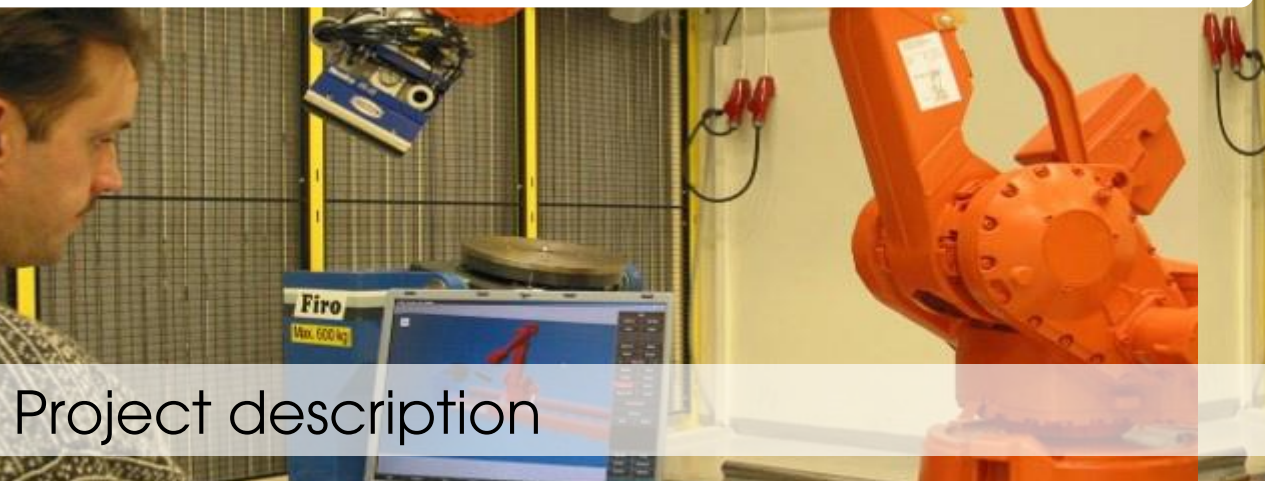


Regeneration across generations

Socially Inclusive & Sustainable Development of the Atlantic Seaboard

SUPPORT TEAM for the
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Project description

The [TARGET Project](#) is led by South West College, Ireland, and is funded under the EU Northern Periphery and Arctic (NPA) Programme. TARGET is designed to strengthen the manufacturing sector by supporting small manufacturing companies across the NPA region to compete on a global scale with the introduction of innovative technology, knowledge and skills. The project will share and transfer existing innovation and technology support components that have been developed and tested by the partners in their own regions for their manufacturing industries, in order to increase the absorptive and innovative capacity of these firms to become more globally competitive and export focused.

The project aims to develop a comprehensive and embracing suite of manufacturing innovation supports using a regional and interregional collaborative approach, which is an innovative method for manufacturing companies to speed up transfer and implementation through trust and cooperation.

Outcomes of the project

- TARGET Project Partners have completed a **benchmarking of manufacturing SMEs** in each of their regions.
- **30 companies have been recruited** to develop the TARGET toolbox of innovation supports with their Project Partner.
- **Prototype Toolkit** has been developed and is currently being tested and piloted.

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