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Where do you begin?

YOU BEGIN WITH YOUR DREAM of course – because you want to make a better life for yourself, and you are not afraid to grab an opportunity when it comes knocking on your door. Your opportunity could be your education combined with your willingness to make changes by starting to learn a new language and all in all – **GET SET UP TO work & live in Denmark.**

Why can you do this? Because by 2030 Danish workforce will lack almost 100.000 educated people and we are already short of labor in areas as healthcare and IT, hairdressers etc. Other good reasons why you can do this is your beliefs in yourself and the support from the [“work & live in Denmark package”](#).

If you feel drawn to take this road, then your next step will be to visit the Danish governments website where you will find a [positive](#) list and other useful information. The positive list will show you **in what areas Denmark needs labor** - and as an EU-citizen you can freely come and work in such areas. If you are not an EU-citizen, the road to work & live in Denmark will be bumpier, but if you have an education we need in Denmark – it is doable!

*“Citizens of the European Union (EU) and the European Economic Area (EEA) also don't **need** a visa to live, **work**, or study in **Denmark**. ... All other citizens must apply for a visa, which will allow them to stay in the country for 90 days. Any person wishing to stay longer will **need** a residence and **work** permit to do so.”*

Next, you want to see how many jobs there are available in your category/your education and there are several options you can explore:

[Jobnet](#) – the Danish job-website for unemployed citizens has a page in English where you can find good information and a lot of other useful links.

[Jobindex](#) – a Danish website where you can also choose English as your language, plus add a résumé. Adding a resume here can be beneficial to you as you are likely to be contacted by employers. (Or let me help you set up your résumé)

[Indeed jobs](#) – an international job-website with excellent search criteria's and in your language if you choose.



EURES – you might already know the European website for jobs, but not all jobs are listed here. Apart from jobs this website has other useful information for you such as living circumstances.

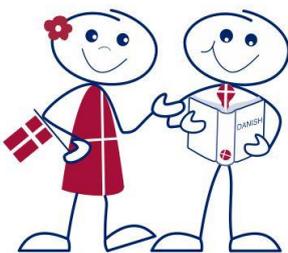
There are other opportunities to look for work such as temp-agency's offering work in limited periods. I will supply you with more information when you have bought services from me such as the "[work & live in Denmark package](#)". We could even look for a specific job in a specific area for you.

In addition to this information, you are also able to search for jobs in Denmark where English is the business language. The best way – I find – is for you to join [LinkedIn](#). Here you can write the search sentence: "**English Speaking i Danmark**" and lots of jobs will appear. (write the search term exactly as you see it here, maybe copy paste it into the search field)

If you want to read about Employment Law in Denmark, then this article from 2019 by Steen Rosenfalck may be useful: [Employment Law in Denmark](#).

You can also find a lot of good information on the website [NEW TO DENMARK](#).

Let's continue!



Danish, tailored for you

Have you found – by looking through the above links – that you have an education which is in demand in the Danish society and there are several jobs you can apply for, now is the time for you to think about learning some Danish – to prepare yourself on your way towards your goal. Most Danes understand English, but you *will not* be integrated very well, if you do not learn Danish. I highly recommend, that you, already now, begin to build up Danish vocabulary in order to master some basic Danish. Once you are here there are several language schools you can join.

To build Danish vocabulary you can e.g., use the free app [Duolingo](#) or the interactive picture dictionary at [Emu/Lexin](#).



To master your basic Danish, I recommend learndanishwithease.dk because this online teacher is flexible, **very** engaged and can tailor lessons to suit your individual needs e.g., your education.

This website also offers **FREE online Danish Meet & Greet sessions** and an affordable subscription to [THE LEARN DANISH WITH EASE COMMUNITY](#) where you will get support, while you focus on learning the Danish language.

A course to master basic Danish can be bought [here](#)

Birgit Månestråle, CEO of Learn Danish with Ease offers The Guide to FREE resources for learning Danish which contains 14 links to free resources for learning Danish. You get a copy of the guide via this link: [FREE GUIDE](#)

PD1 + PD2 + PD3 and other tests:

See examples via this link:

[Click and go to examples](#)

If you are educated in social- and healthcare

Then you need a Danish authorization, and you can apply for this on [THE DANISH PATIENT SAFETY AUTHORITY](#) homepage.

Several hospitals have favorable opportunities for employees to rent apartments at a very reasonable price. As I am not yet familiar with your destination, I cannot list any or provide you with further details – it's just "good to know" so you can ask about it at your destination.

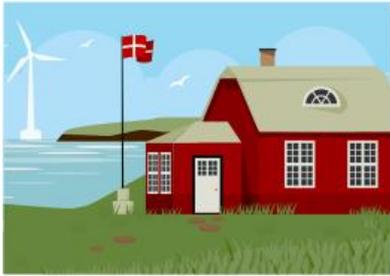
You can also find help at FOA – which is the social- and health care workers trade union – this will be good for you to know about in the future, when you work and live in Denmark:

[Go to FOA's English website](#)

It might also be interesting for you to look at the [Capital Regions](#) website and read this websites information [about working](#) in the Capital Region and you can even see [vacant jobs](#) (in Danish).



Where are you going to live in Denmark?



Of course, you are going to live where there is work for you and we don't know where that is yet. However, there is an overall opportunity to visit a website that gathers available apartments and houses:

Lejebolig.dk – at this website you can choose a city and find housing for rent. It is FREE to use until you want to contact a landlord/owner and then you can buy access for only 29 DKK.

Another thing worth looking into when you want to come and work - and you don't want to bring your furniture - then you can rent a furnished apartment. Maybe this is a good idea to start with and find out what it's like to work and live in Denmark. This will always be a more expensive solution, but on the other hand you are relatively free to leave soon again.

[At home apartments](#) I connected to the city Århus. (Search for your favorite city, yourself)

[Downtown Aarhus](#) also offers furnished apartments.

Living in Copenhagen is expensive and almost impossible if you are alone without a really well-paid job, but I am going to give you a link for furnished housing in Copenhagen as well:

[Housing Denmark](#)

[Mitula](#) – this website is in Danish but offers a broader range of prices.

When you have bought my service, the ["work & live in Denmark package"](#) I will of course be able to provide you with specific information on housing in the location where you are going to work and live.

It is by far much more economic to live in the outer areas of the cities as well as in the western part of Denmark, however the salary is not as high in the western part of Denmark, as in the larger cities.

In addition to this information, you can think ahead by registering yourself for an apartment in the city you are moving to. There will be more than one "boligselskaber" (housing companies) in each city – you can use the search term boligselskab + "the name of the city"..

A national "boligselskab" (housing company) is called [Lejerbo](#) – here you can look for housing and register for a fee and get notice when a room or apartment is available. Normally, when you rent in Denmark you pay a deposit plus rent for one month ahead.



Do you own your own business?

Or maybe you want to start one? In any case here are some links for you because a good network is important as an independent business owner. Most cities in Denmark also have what is called a "Erhvervsråd" – which is guidance for self-employed citizens or those who wants to be.

[Guide for self-employed](#) – this website is in Danish.

[Growth in your business](#) – this website is also in Danish but holds really good information and guidance.

[Register your business](#) – this is a government website, and you can find information in English.

It is hard to say goodbye to your Country!



Leaving your country and settling in a new can give you many questions and insecurities.

Maybe you have children and need help to find out who can look after your precious child(ren) while you work. What kind of daycare opportunities do you have where you want to live and work? And how expensive is it?

And you might also be a single mother so this could be especially important to you.

As a family, what opportunities do you have in the city you are going to live in – apart from childcare it could be good to know where to meet people, how to join sports, where to buy specific things etc. and also why Danes do certain things a certain way. Your questions can be many, *before* you come to Denmark, but also once you are here.

This is why I have made this "[work & live in Denmark package](#)" so you can benefit from my support, get your questions answered, get information you need or I could make negotiations on your behalf. To live in Denmark, you'll need social ID and other ID's too and



the communication with Danish authorities might also give you challenges which I will do my very best to help you with, as of my knowledge and ability.

On Facebook you can find groups where you can ask questions:

[# Foreigners in Denmark](#)

["Expats in Copenhagen"](#).

Danish Holidays

It is nice to know when there are short working weeks or long weekends, and I found this link that – among other countries keeps track of Danish bank Holidays:

[Holidays in Denmark](#)

Danish ways of doing "things"

It would be quite the novel if I had to describe all Danish traditions to you and it isn't very important to you before you are actually here, but I will just mention a few things for you.

Help – if you ask a Dane for help, most of them will do their very best to help you.

Courtesy – the Danes are informal so there is no need to bow or to curtsy when introduced to each other, a simple hi will do. Towards elderly people we are more formal in our approach and introduce ourselves with a handshake and present us by our name.

How are you – if a Dane meets you with this sentence "how are you" they generally mean it and are actually asking you how you are – in the contrary to English speaking countries where the sentence often just means hello.

Religion – Danes are Christian Protestants - for the most part. - In the western regions of Denmark people tend to be more religiously active than in the eastern parts. When it comes to other religions Danes are open but dislike it when a religion suppresses individuals such as women, children and human rights in general – we just don't get it.



Digital Denmark – yes, we do almost anything on a computer, tablet, or a smartphone – also our communication with the authorities is for the most part digital - so to live in Denmark you'll need some kind of device to help you with this, or you can visit the library where you can access computers.

Women – you don't have to be a family to make it in Denmark as the Country in many ways support the growth of women, protect women's rights and gives many discounts for single mothers.

Who I am and what I can offer you

Do I work for free? No, and neither should you! The reason why I write this is to tell you that you are worthy of a great job and great living conditions – it is simply your birthright! If you find yourself in a spot where you don't have this and want to achieve that for yourself – I WILL DO ANYTHING within my ability to support you towards your goal - within the frames of my "[work & live in Denmark](#)" package.

I have a formal education with graphic design, communication and interpreting and **I've for many years served as a life coach with special focus on setting goals and reaching them step by step.**

Your Success is my success!



My name is Mrs. Lotte Jensen,

I'm Danish, I'm a "doer",

I don't wait for things to happen.

I put ideas into action now.

Do you put your ideas into action?

If you feel inclined to, you can reach out to me anytime via

Email: email@lotte-jensen.dk



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[Danish Teacher Birgit Månestråle](#)



DENMARK INFOGRAPHIC

AREA
42,933
km²

POPULATION
5,837,213
Millions



CAPITAL REGION



ZEALAND



SOUTH JUTLAND



MIDDLE JUTLAND



NORTH JUTLAND



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