

A background photograph of a business meeting in a bright, modern office. A man in a dark blue shirt and tie is gesturing with his hands while speaking to a group of people. Another man in a plaid shirt is listening intently. Large windows in the background let in natural light.

Driving Ireland's Competitiveness through innovative learning

Dave Flynn, Executive Director

Taking Care of Business - 25 September 2018

What does Skillnet Ireland do?

We are the **national agency** responsible for the promotion of **workforce learning** in Ireland.

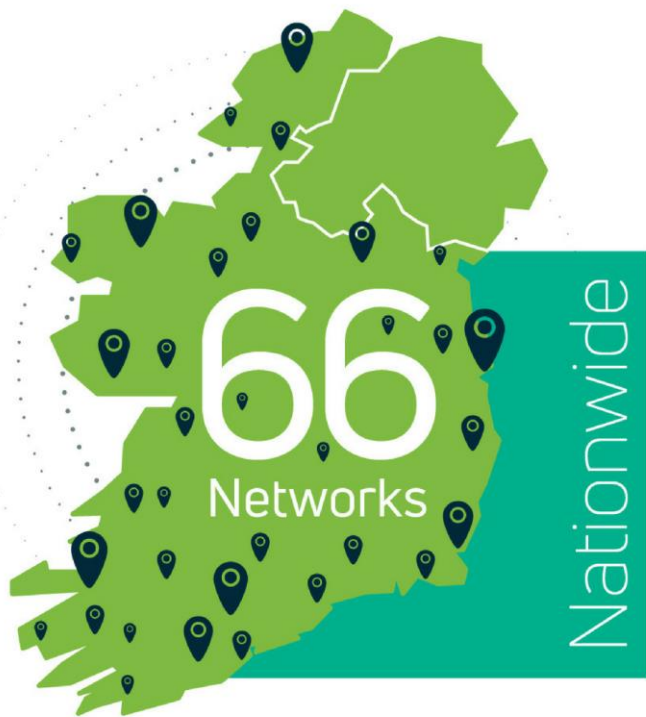
We allocate **funding** to groups of companies in the **same sector or region** to deliver **subsidised training** for their teams.

How do we help Irish Businesses?

Through our 60+ Learning Networks, we assist to:

- Identify training needs specific to their sector or region
- Find relevant, flexible and affordable solutions
- Save money through shared costs and subsidised training
- Maximise the impact of investment in training
- Adapt quickly to new opportunities and challenges
- Network with, and learn from, other businesses

2017: A Year in Review



5,892

Total Training Programmes

381,982
Training days

€30.21m
Total Investment

€15.91m
Enterprise Contributions

€14.3m
Skillnet Ireland Funding

49,194

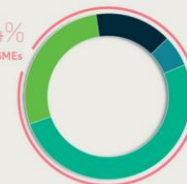
people undertook
training



15,012 Member Companies

94%

SMEs



Members by Business Size

Micro 0-9	51%	Medium 50-249	15%
Small 10-49	28%	Large 250+	6%

Member Company Testimonials

“Since joining the Irish Medtech Skillnet, Zenith Adhesive Components has been able to inexpensively access a huge range of training for its employees. This has greatly helped us adapt and respond to the many challenges we face as a fast-growing, small Irish start-up with a lot of new staff.”

Pat O Neill,
Managing Director

ZENITH
adhesive components

“ It’s an absolute gift to have an entity such as Learning Waves Skillnet available as an asset that our radio station can depend on. It provides us with the most up-to-date industry focused training, a resource that we simply could not function without.”

Adele Nolan,
Programme & Content Director

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Next Steps

Want to make your business the best that it can be?

Talk to us at our stand today.



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