



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS | Startups

1. What can the Acceleration Programme offer me?

- Collaboration with a local partner in Spain to develop a specific technology need.

A comprehensive acceleration programme:

- Training
- Access to investors
- Information on support programmes in Spain
- Legal advice
- Visibility
- Administrative procedures
- Visa facilitation
- Cooperation with other startups

2. How much does it cost to register?

- Registration is free of charge.

3. What criteria are used to select startups?

A team of experts evaluates:

- The team
- Innovation
- Scalability
- Economic and financial viability

taking into account how viable implementation is in Spain.

4. I do not speak Spanish

- The programme is bilingual: Spanish and English.
- Away from the programme, you will need to communicate in Spanish in Spain.



5. My startup is not generating revenue yet. Can I still participate?

- Of course.

6. Will Rising UP in Spain provide me with a visa?

- All travel must comply with legal requirements. The programme provides startups with the necessary legal advice to facilitate the visa process.

7. Do I have to travel to Spain?

- Yes, Rising UP in Spain's acceleration activities are offered to startups that come to Spain.

8. Who bears the costs of travel and implementation?

- The startup.

9. Do I have to invest in Spain?

- In order to participate in the programme, it is necessary to submit a viable plan for establishment in Spain.

10. What is the Collaboration Agreement?

- This is the document that sets out the terms of collaboration between the foreign startup and the local partner in Spain. It is neither a commercial nor an employment agreement, but the start of a collaborative relationship.

11. How do I find the right local partner?

- Registered startups will be able to consult registered local partners and search for matches with the help of a specialised management team.

12. How do I choose the local partner?

- By voluntary agreement between the registered local partners and the startup.



13. Does the local partner reward our collaboration?

- The Collaboration Agreement is freely arranged.
- Collaboration typically starts with a demonstration of what the startup can bring to the local partner. Depending on initial results, parties assess whether a financial agreement is appropriate.

14. Do I have to set up a company in Spain?

- The programme provides startups with legal advice to determine the best way to establish themselves in Spain. Initially, it is not essential to set up a company in Spain.

15. Useful documents

The “Documents” section of the programme website www.investinspain.org/risingup includes the following documents:

- Standard form for local partners.
- Conditions for participation.
- Standard application form for startups (available soon).
- Standard collaboration agreement.

16. Are you in?

- www.investinspain.org/risingup

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