

HELPING RURAL AREAS USING REMOTE WORK

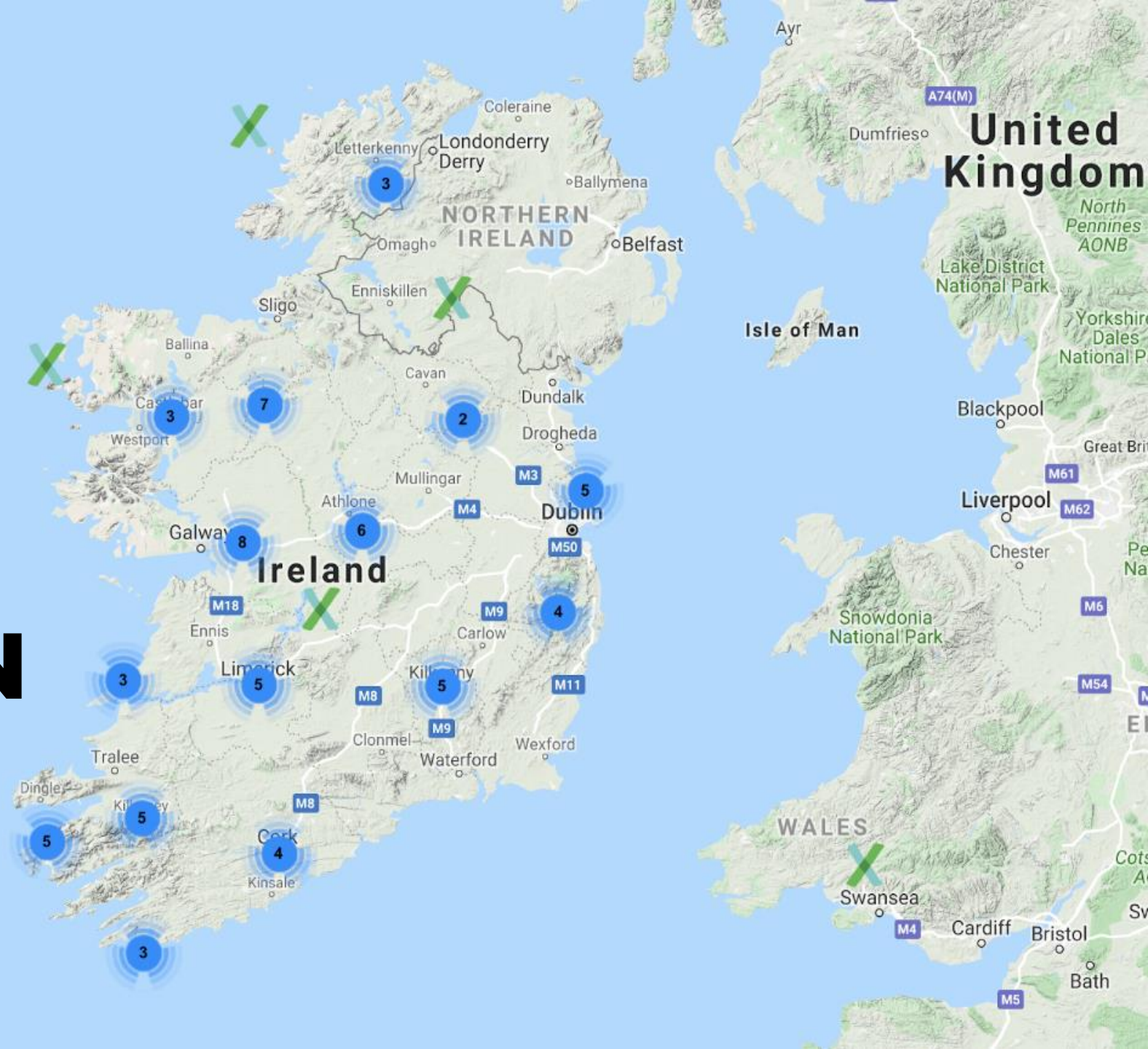
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THE REMOTE WORK MOVEMENT



IT ALL STARTED IN RURAL IRELAND



REMOTE BUT CONNECTED

We are building an ecosystem around
remote workers



16

Countries

111

**Local
Chapters**

174

**Local
Volunteers**

Six Irish social entrepreneurs awarded €240,000 to support their projects

by Kelly Earley

9 OCT 2019 1.01K VIEWS



The SEI Award winners. Image: Julian Behal Photography



This year's winners at the SEI Awards include a project to connect remote workers in rural areas, a programme to help understand and treat anxiety, and



social entrepreneurs
IRELAND

AWARDS CELEBRATION 2019

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About Celebrating Courage

Tracy Keogh

Founder of Grow Remote

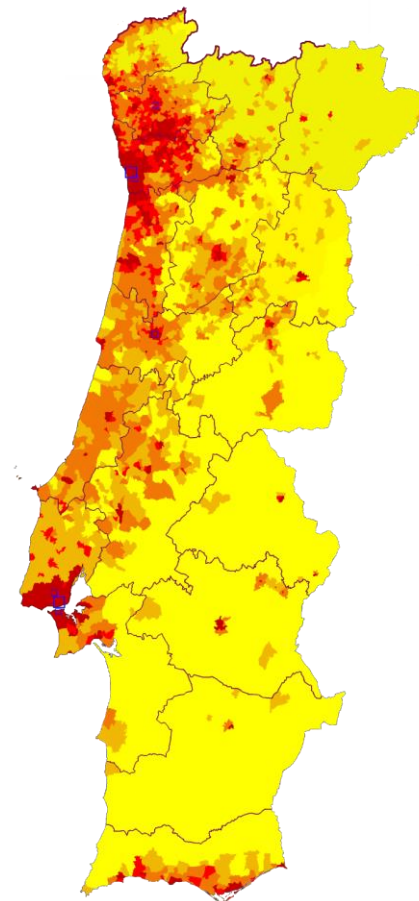
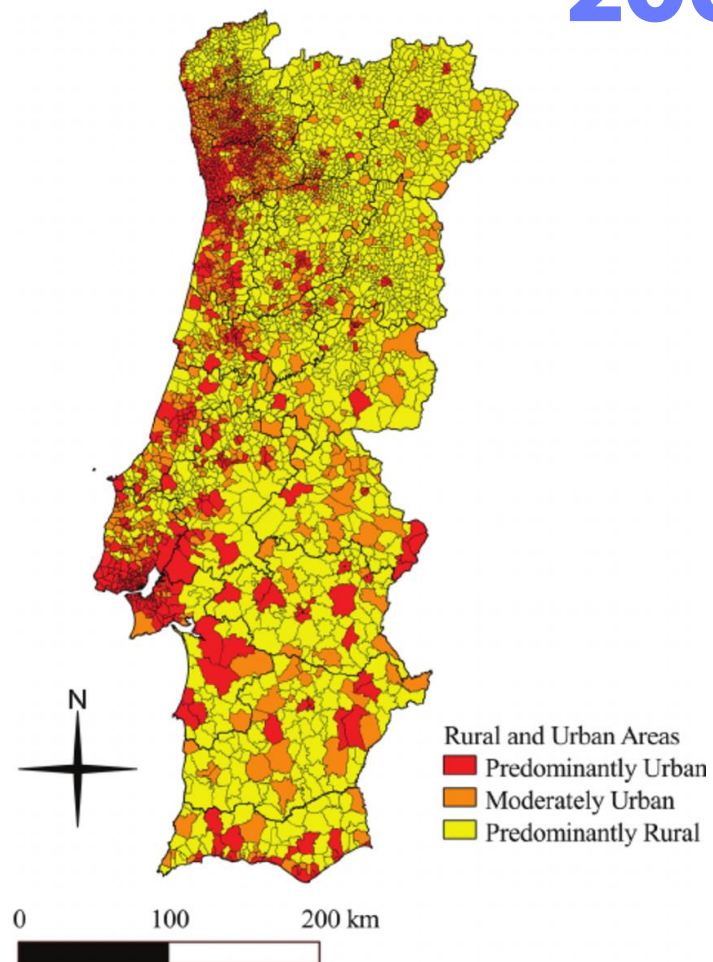
Grow Remote connects remote workers, companies, and local communities so that people can choose to work where they want to live, and not vice versa.

SO HOW CAN REMOTE WORK IMPACT RURAL AREAS?



PORTUGAL'S POPULATION DENSITY

2005 vs 2018



WE MAKE REMOTE WORK LOCAL



WHY REMOTE WORK?

What Remote Work Brings To The Table



1

FLEXIBILITY

2

**LOCATION
INDEPENDENCE**

3

**GLOBAL
ACCESS TO
JOBS**

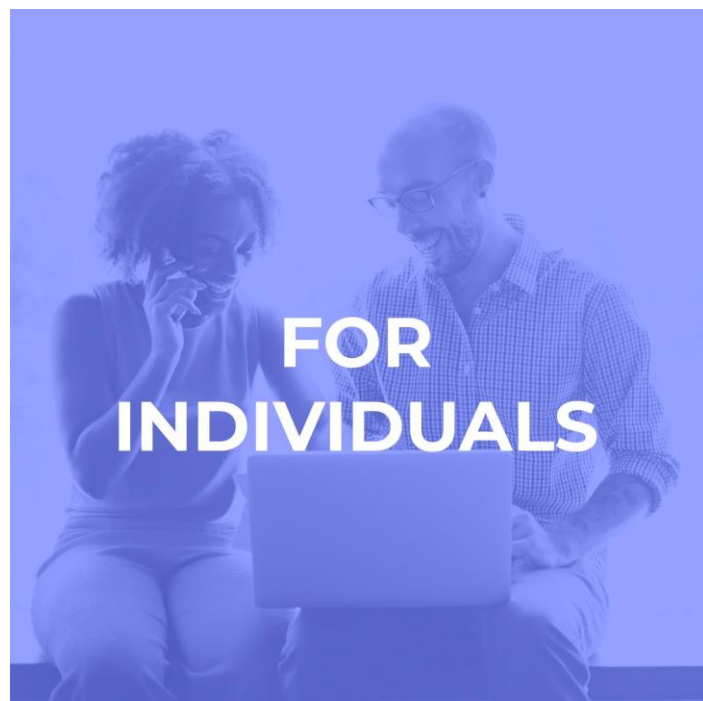


We help Reskill/Upskill
INDIVIDUALS
in rurals so they can find jobs online

We help
COMPANIES
train their teams to work remotely

We help
COMMUNITIES
setup their local chapter

CONNECT THE DOTS



Reskill & Upskill Training

Free Online Job Boards

Offline Job Board

Local Meetups

BRIDGE THE GAP



Free Initial Consultation

Free Online Job Boards

Collaborations & Partnerships

Remote Leaders Meetups

SUPPORT THE CHANGE



Town Tasters

Job Fairs

University Talks / Workshops

Assistance in Opening a Chapter

WHAT'S THE IMPACT

What can 100+ volunteers do?



130

Local awareness events

120

People trained to find work
online

1

At Least 1 job is posted in
the local job board

1

QQI course created

1m

Unique visits on our
website

10k

Est. total # of attendees on
all Grow Remote Events

**Each chapter will have
different needs.**

**Partnership with local
government officials is
crucial.**

**A better more streamlined
onboarding for the chapter
leads is needed**

KEY LESSONS LEARNED



HELP US OPEN MORE LOCAL CHAPTERS!

WE MAKE REMOTE WORK LOCAL

We're a non-profit organization founded by a group of amazing people who wanted to help repopulate and revitalize their rural areas.

We call it "Remote Work In-a-Box", our process makes it easy for future community managers to implement remote working locally.

LET'S GET STARTED

WHAT WE PROVIDE:

- We help individuals get started working online via setting and training with Workpoint.ie
- you help you complete your local Council challenge nomination to receive funding
- We conduct local discussions, workshops and other Grow Remote events

FOR INDIVIDUALS

WHAT WE PROVIDE:

- We have field experts and organizational strategies available for consultation
- We host monthly meetings for business owners to gather, share knowledge and discuss relevant topics regarding managing flexible and remote teams
- We help promote remote working opportunities so people can find them

FOR COMPANIES

WHAT WE PROVIDE:

- We provide a starter kit to willing community leaders which their application for a chapter gets approved
- We created an online job board for remote positions so companies can post their listings and individuals can also find these jobs
- Help coordinate town talks to promote local areas and help them revitalize rural towns

FOR THE COMMUNITY





DON'T BE SHY AND SAY HI!

I'M FRIENDLY, SOCIAL AND RARELY BITE :D

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