

# Ireland



## General Information



### Population

4.830.392 (Eurostat 2018)

4.857.000 (STAT IRL 2018)



### Immigration

78.499 (Eurostat 2018)

90.300 (STAT IRL 2018)



### Emigration

802.084 (UN Emigration Stock 2017)

56.300 (STAT IRL 2018)



### Working-age population

3.100.164 (World Bank 2017)

3.174 900 (STAT IRL 2018)



### Unemployment rate

5.8% (Eurostat 2018)

5.0% (STAT IRL 2019)



### GDP

331.43 bn, current prices USD (World Bank 2017)

312.46 bn, current prices EUR (STAT IRL 2018)



### Refugees and IDPs

Refugees:

6.405 (UN Refugee Stock 2017)

Asylum Seekers

6.035 (UN Asylum Stock 2017)

3.670 (Eurostat 2018)

2.926 (JRS 2017)



### Citizenship

By Birth: Conditional

By Descent: Yes

Dual Citizenship: Yes

Years of Residency: 5



### Territory

70.273 km<sup>2</sup> (CIA World Factbook)

# Migration Authorities

## Responsible Body

Department of Justice & Equality

## Responsible Minister

Charlie Flanagan

## Line Ministries

- Ministry of Foreign Affairs & Trade
- Ministry of Employment Affairs & Social Protection
- Minister of Business, Enterprise & Innovation

## Agencies

- Naturalisation & Immigration Service
- Office for the Promotion of Migrant Integration
- Reception & Integration Agency

## Key Policy Documents

- 2015 International Protection Act
- 2004 Immigration Act
- 1996 Refugee Act
- 1935 Aliens Act

## Relevant Publications

- FM 2010
- UN DESA 2014