

## The role of the Greek mum when placing candidates abroad

Sometimes she calls me first, to find out if her son or her daughter have the right skills in order to find a job abroad. If they will earn a lot, in order to send an important amount back to Greece each month. I shall call their son or daughter and explain them how important it is to stand up and fight for their future. They tell me the reasons they want their children to go out and develop their career but they are also telling me how they will miss them. One other Greek "Máva" brought me her famous cheese pies for 6 months in a row because her boy got a great job in Switzerland. Hours and hours we discuss on the phone, and we cannot get enough of her! The uniqueness of her passion for her kids, which is good and also bad at the same time for the overall development of each personality. The tears on the phone, if her son is not experiencing the easiest part of his life getting used to the new environment and she sits on packed bags in order to follow him and take care of it...She is a part of our life, and we have utmost respect for her!

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