



# ATC Newsletter Corona Special

## April 2020



### CEO's Greetings

The way we live and how we experience the world has changed. The UK is in a Coronavirus lockdown and our thoughts are with the people putting their own health and wellbeing at risk to take care of ours, and with the vulnerable people we are trying to shield.

Our businesses are also changing. Busy offices are deserted, and teams meet virtually. It's important to stay connected, and to keep informed of the right things, the things that keep your business going.

Stay well and stay safe!

Raisa McNab

Chief Executive Officer



## Coronavirus Financial Support

A full range of business support measures have been made available to UK businesses and employees.

This page helps businesses find out how to access the support that has been made available, who is eligible, when the schemes open and how to apply.

Some aspects of business support are devolved. For business support outside of England go to [Scotland](#), [Wales](#) and [Northern Ireland](#).

### Scheme Information

Each of the pages below can help you find what you are looking for. They provide information on financial support packages for businesses, advice on how to operate your business, support for your employees, for example workers' wage costs and information on changes to planning and regulations.

[Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme](#)

[Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme](#)

[Self-employment Income Support Scheme](#)

## Coronavirus financial support

The UK Government has made a range of financial support measures available to UK businesses, employees and self-employed people. These include the Coronavirus Business Interruption Loan Scheme, the Coronavirus Job Retention Scheme and the Self-employment Income Support Scheme.

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## HR, H&S and legal advice from Croner

The ATC's partner Croner provides measured, practical and accurate HR, H&S and legal guidance on how to manage the impact of coronavirus on your workforce. ATC members can additionally access further guidance and reach Croner's experts via a direct, free telephone helpline.

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## The 2020 Language Industry Survey – Covid-19 Annex

When the 2020 Language Industry Survey was closed a few weeks ago, we could not foresee that Covid-19 would have such a global and dramatic impact on our private and professional lives.

The Language Industry Survey is primarily about expectations and concerns, which may have been severely impacted in this short period of time.

We therefore want to know if and how the recent events have changed your outlook on 2020 and your expectations about the business.

### Covid-19 in the European Language Industry Survey

The 2020 European Language Industry Survey has reopened for questions on Covid-19 and how such global and dramatic changes impact our private and professional lives. The Survey Annex is open until Sunday 5th April, please share your expectations and concerns!

[TAKE THE SURVEY](#)



### The role of interpreters in the fight against corona

UK schools are now closed due to the pandemic to all but the children of key workers and vulnerable children.

The ATC calls for public sector interpreters to be universally recognised as key workers, to enable them to undertake critical interpreting assignments, safe in the knowledge that their children can continue to attend school.

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