



L'Origine chill out in the sun!

'Sunny, relaxing, delightful garden and charming cafes', are the comments of Origin's Care Director, Linda and her mum, Mrs. Adamsen who have just returned from a week's holiday at L'Origine.

'We thoroughly enjoyed our relaxing break spending much of our time in the beautiful, sunny and quiet L'Origine garden. Because L'Origine is only a few hundred yards from the town centre we were able to walk to the little seafont cafés and relax with a coffee and watch the boats. A little train runs up to the fort on the top of the hill above Collioure where there is a stunning view across the bay. If you want to take a few drives out of Collioure, it is well worth the effort with stunning scenery right on the doorstep and with fabulous restaurants both just out of town and in the town centre itself this is an ideal holiday destination where you can't help but relax. We particularly enjoyed the traditional French food at La Marinade, which is just off the main street.'

If you have a holiday planned at L'Origine and would be happy to write a brief review of your stay, please let us know.

PA's get on course!

Clients and PA's agree that Origin's training course is first class – for clients this means PA's are capable, confident and immediately job ready.



Having undertaken a thorough training course PA's have the benefit of useable skills that can be transferred into their future career and also the security of knowing they are equipped to efficiently support their clients.

Origin's course is designed to be fun as well as informative; challenging as well as confidence boosting. Our May course was attended by Jill and Jan from the Origin office who took a few photos to show you how much fun they had and the real hands on learning experience.

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Welcome



Origin is pleased to welcome Kristina Manifattori to the team. After several months temping for Origin, she has taken over from Kathryn as Secretary & PA to the Directors. Kristina recently moved back to the UK after many years living in the South of France. When she's not working, she enjoys walking, photography, cooking and is also partial to the occasional pub quiz.

Run Patryk, Run!



Back in April one of our PA's took part in the London Marathon, Patryk has been with us for 4 years and was running in aid of Spinal Research. He completed the race in 3hours and 4mins and to date has raised £900.00.

'It was a great experience to run that famous course with 35 thousand other participants, its definitely something I will never

forget. Sport had always been my passion and whats better than combining something you love with a great cause. I am hoping to enter the Iron Man distance triathlon next year so will keep everyone at Origin informed!'

Clients may have noticed that Origin has recently recruited a number of Danish PAs. We now have around ten Danes working with us, thanks to our Care Director, Linda's home links with Denmark.

'Many of our Danish PAs have come to England on a gap year before going back to university studies in subjects such as nursing, physio and teaching. Because I interview them in Denmark they are able to get straight onto our training course and then be ready for work. Because English is taught in all Danish schools all our Danish PAs speak fluent English. Danes also seem to have a natural aptitude for this kind of job too (but as a Dane myself, I may be a little biased!)— so if you have any Danish friends, please let them know about working for Origin.' says Linda Adamsen.

Vi ses. Ha' en god dag!

(See you. Have a good day)



Helle

Joined Origin in 2011 after seeing an advert on gumtree, Helle is 27 from Slagelse, Denmark

Before I joined Origin I was working as a kitchen manager for a Danish hostel in London, I studied human nutrition and health and am now looking to explore other fields of study which is why I chose Origin as I wanted to get experience in the healthcare profession as i may go back to study nursing.'

'Origin is a good company to work for its great to be able to help people and gain experience at the same time. Origin are so helpful and understanding, the flexibility of the job works well for me as I get a week off at a time I can go and do whatever I want.'

Anne

Joined Origin in March after seeing a job advert on a Danish website, Anne is 22 from Denmark Nr. Broby.

I was working in a supermarket back home after graduating in the summer and realised I wanted to do a job that meant more to me, eventually I would like to train as a nurse so working for Origin is giving me great experience."

"Working for Origin is great, you get to work with different people, doing different things everyday. All though the job is challenging both mentally and physically it is very rewarding. A particular highlight for me was the training course, it was excellent and gave me a real insight into what the job would be like."



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