Erasmus+ Key Action 2:
Partnerships and cooperation projects

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## Erasmus+ Programme Structure

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<td>and EU policy dialogues</td>
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### Jean Monnet Activities
- Sport
Erasmus+ 2014-2020 budget for international actions (EUR million)

- Jean Monnet: 281 million
- International staff & student "credit" mobility: 761 million
- Capacity Building for Higher Education: 810 million
- Erasmus Mundus Joint MA Degrees: 1,000 million
Capacity Building in the field of Higher Education (CBHE)

- **Capacity-Building Projects are:**
  - transnational cooperation projects
  - between higher education institutions (HEIs)
  - from Programme and (eligible) Partner Countries,
  - aiming at modernizing the Partner Countries' higher education institutions and systems.

- 1,000 projects to be supported between 2014 – 2020
# CBHE Programme and Partner Countries

## Programme Countries
(33 countries paying a contribution to E+)

**EU Member States:**
Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, United Kingdom

**Other programme countries:**
Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey.

## CBHE Eligible Partner Countries
(> 150 countries)

- Region 1: Western Balkans
- **Region 2: Eastern Partnership**
- Region 3: South-Mediterranean
- Region 4: Russian Federation
- Region 6: Asia
- Region 7: Central Asia
- Region 8: Latin America
- Region 9: Iran, Iraq, Yemen
- Region 10: South Africa
- Region 11: African, Caribbean and Pacific
CBHE projects aim at achieving a long lasting impact on the Partner Countries HE institutions and systems through:

- Improving the **modernisation** and **quality of HE** and its **relevance** for the **labour market** and **society**;
- Improving the **competences and skills in HEIs** via innovative education programmes
- Enhancing the **management, governance and innovation capacities**, as well as the **internationalisation** of HEIs
- Increasing capacities of National Authorities to **modernise their higher education systems**
- Fostering **regional integration** and cooperation between different regions of the world
Capacity building – types of projects

Joint Projects:
- Curriculum development
- University governance & management
- Links between HE institutions and the wider economic and social environment

⇒ Impact institutions

Structural Projects:
- Modernisation of policies, governance and management of higher education systems
- Links between HE systems and the wider economic and social environment

⇒ Impact systems

For each call for proposals, national priorities for partner countries and/or regional priorities for partner regions are defined. Projects have to address one applicable priority.
Examples of selected projects

Joint Projects

• **Curriculum development**
  
  Applied curricula in space exploration and intelligent robotic systems (APPLE)

• **Modernisation of HEIs governance**
  
  Library Network Support Services: modernising libraries in Armenia, Moldova and Belarus through library staff development and reforming libraries (LNSS)

• **Strengthening relations of HEIs with society**
  
  Enhancing innovation competences and entrepreneurial skills in engineering education (InoCENS)
Examples of selected projects

Structural Projects

• Modernisation of policies, governance and management of HE systems

  Development of approaches to harmonization of a comprehensive internationalization strategies in higher education, research and innovation at EU and Partner Countries (HARMONY)

  Fostering Competencies Development in Belarusian Higher Education (FOSTEREC)
Capacity building projects – Consortium Structure

**Programme Countries**
- Min. 3 Countries
  - min. 1 HEI each

**Partner Countries**
- Min. 1 Country
  - min. 2 HEI /each

**At least as many**
Partner Country HEIs as Programme Country HEIs

**Structural Projects:**
Partner Country Ministries for HE must participate
Who can apply?

As **applicant / coordinator:**

- A **higher education institution** (HEI)
- An **association or organisation of HEIs**
- A legally recognised **national or international rector, teacher or student organisation** (for **Structural Projects ONLY**)

As **eligible participating organisation / partner organisation:**

- A **higher education institution** (HEI)
- Any **public or private organisation** active in the **labour market** or in the fields of **education, training and youth**

*Each participating organisation must be located in a Programme Country or in an eligible Partner country.*

**Associated partners** can contribute to the implementation of **specific project tasks/activities** or support the **dissemination** and **sustainability** of the project **without receiving funding.**
Budget and duration

- Duration 24 or 36 Months
- Min. 500,000 - Max. 1,000,000 €
- Real Costs and Unit Costs
- 5 Budget Headings
## Budget Categories

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<th>Category</th>
<th>Description</th>
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| **Staff costs**           | **max 40%**  
4 Staff Categories (Manager, Researcher/Teacher/Trainer, Technician, Administrator)                                                                 |
| **Travel costs**          | Students/staff from partners from their place of origin to the venue of the activity and return. Activities and related travels must be carried out in countries involved in the project. |
| **Costs of stay**         | Subsistence, accommodation, local and public transport, personal or optional health insurance.                                               |
| **Equipment**            | **max 30%**  
Exclusively for the benefit of HEIs in the Partner Countries                                                                                     |
| **Sub-contracting**      | **max 10%**  
For services /competences that can't be found in the consortia                                                                                 |
## Selection results 2016

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<th>Stage</th>
<th>1 Western Balkans</th>
<th>2 Eastern Partnership</th>
<th>3 South Med</th>
<th>4 Russian Federation</th>
<th>6 Asia</th>
<th>7 Central Asia</th>
<th>8 Latin America</th>
<th>9 Iran, Iraq, Yemen</th>
<th>10 South Africa</th>
<th>11 ACP</th>
<th>Total*</th>
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<td>Reception</td>
<td>109</td>
<td>238</td>
<td>169</td>
<td>78</td>
<td>78</td>
<td>101</td>
<td>78</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>53</td>
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<td>93</td>
<td>219</td>
<td>146</td>
<td>77</td>
<td>68</td>
<td>93</td>
<td>72</td>
<td>8</td>
<td>13</td>
<td>42</td>
<td>653</td>
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<td>Sent to Consultation</td>
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<td>64</td>
<td>80</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>57</td>
<td>49</td>
<td>31</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>287</td>
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<td>Proposed for funding</td>
<td>18</td>
<td>24</td>
<td>36</td>
<td>16</td>
<td>53</td>
<td>19</td>
<td>14</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>9</td>
<td>147</td>
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<td><strong>Success rate</strong></td>
<td><strong>17%</strong></td>
<td><strong>10%</strong></td>
<td><strong>21%</strong></td>
<td><strong>21%</strong></td>
<td><strong>68%</strong></td>
<td><strong>19%</strong></td>
<td><strong>18%</strong></td>
<td><strong>50%</strong></td>
<td><strong>36%</strong></td>
<td><strong>17%</strong></td>
<td><strong>20%</strong></td>
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(Selected project in 2015) % 2016 as compared to 2015

- 17% (15) +20%
- 10% (23) +4%
- 21% (40) -10%
- 21% (13) +23%
- 68% (27) +96%
- 19% (23) -17%
- 18% (19) -26%
- 50% (2) +100%
- 36% (4) +25%
- 17% (0) -

(140) +5%

* The number of projects by region cannot be added considering that a project can cover different regions.
Participation of the Programme countries in the 2016 selected projects
Participation of the Partner countries in the 2016 selected projects

- Partner & Coordinator
- Coordinator

Countries: Russian Federation, Vietnam, Morocco, Cambodia, Malaysia, India, Kazakhstan, Thailand, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Serbia, Georgia, China, Indonesia, Egypt, Ukraine, Israel, Jordan, Tunisia, Philippines, Uzbekistan, Brazil, Colombia, Turkey, Armenia, Afghanistan, Montenegro, Palestine, Kyrgyzstan, Argentina, Costa Rica, Mexico, Panama, Uruguay, South Africa, Kosovo, Moldova, Lebanon, Nepal, Myanmar, Nicaragua, Ecuador, Chile.

Participation: 16, 15, 11, 11, 11, 10, 10, 9, 9, 9, 9, 8, 7, 7, 7, 7, 7, 7, 6, 6, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4, 4.
## Indicative Budget for the 3rd Call

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<tr>
<th>Region</th>
<th>Budget allocated 2016 (in Mio €)</th>
<th>Budget allocated 2017 (Indicative) (in Mio €)</th>
<th>Indicative number of selected projects under the assumption of national projects</th>
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<td>REGION 1 - Western Balkans</td>
<td>13,17</td>
<td>13,82</td>
<td>17</td>
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<td>REGION 2 - Eastern Partnership countries</td>
<td>13,66</td>
<td>13,51</td>
<td>16</td>
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<td>REGION 3 - South-Mediterranean countries</td>
<td>28,57</td>
<td>27,84</td>
<td>35</td>
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<td><strong>Additional allocation for Tunisia</strong>*</td>
<td>0</td>
<td>3,00</td>
<td>4</td>
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<td>REGION 4 - Russian Federation</td>
<td>6,89</td>
<td>6,72</td>
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<td>REGION 6 - Asia</td>
<td>35,38</td>
<td>39,55</td>
<td>48</td>
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<td>REGION 7 - Central Asia</td>
<td>9,2</td>
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<td>REGION 8 - Latin America</td>
<td>13,1</td>
<td>13,20</td>
<td>16</td>
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<td>REGION 9 - Iran, Iraq, Yemen</td>
<td>1,9</td>
<td>2,00</td>
<td>2</td>
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<td><strong>Specific allocation for Iran</strong></td>
<td>0,69</td>
<td>0,69</td>
<td>1</td>
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<td>REGION 10 - South Africa</td>
<td>3,42</td>
<td>3,91</td>
<td>5</td>
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<td>REGION 11 - ACP countries</td>
<td>5,29</td>
<td>5,64</td>
<td>8</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
<td><strong>131,47</strong></td>
<td><strong>138,68</strong></td>
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*An additional allocation for Tunisia might become available subject to the relevant Commission decisions being taken.*
**Joint Master programmes, delivered by consortia of a minimum of 3 HEIs from different Programme Countries and (if relevant) Partner Country - HEIs**

**Objectives:**

- Foster excellence, quality improvements, innovation and internationalisation in HEIs
- Increase the quality and attractiveness of the European Higher Education Area (EHEA) by offering full degree scholarships to the best master students worldwide
- Improve the level of competences and skills of master graduates and in particular the relevance of the Joint Masters for the labour market
EMJMD - Overview

- 350 EMJMDs ➔ 25,000 scholarships for students till 2020
- **Full degree scholarships** to the best master students worldwide
- **Study visits** to a min. 2 programme countries that participate in the programme
- integrated international study programmes with **full acceptance in participating countries**
- Awarding **double, multiple or joint degrees**
- **Duration**: 12 – 18 – 24 month (60 – 90 – 120 ECTS)
EMJMD – Who can apply?

- Only Programme-Country HEIs can apply for funding of an EMJMD
- HEIs from Partner-Countries can be Partners
- Submission of applications to EACEA in Brussels
- Budget: € 2-3 Mio. per EMJMD (lump sum for management costs + scholarships)
- Indicative Budget 2017: € 113 Mio, 40 projects

- Students apply directly to the EMJMD of their choice
Selected EMJMDs 2016: Programme Country Institutions

[Bar chart showing the number of applicant organisations, partner organisations, and number of PA-ASC for different countries: AT, BE, CZ, DE, DK, EE, EL, ES, FI, FR, HR, HU, IE, IT, LT, LV, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, SE, SI, SK, TR, UK.]

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Selected EMJMDs 2016: Partner Country Institutions

N° partner organisations
NR of PA-ASC

Argentina 3
Australia 5
Burkina Faso 6
Brazil 4
Bhutan 2
Canada 6
Switzerland 6
Chile 6
Colombia 4
Egypt 3
Georgia 3
Guinea 1
Indonesia 3
Israel 1
Japan 1
Kenya 1
Kyrgyzstan 1
St.-Kitts & Nevis 1
South Korea 1
Morocco 2
Madagascar 1
Mexico 1
Nigeria 1
Peru 1
Philippines 1
Puerto Rico 1
Palestine 1
Serbia 1
Russian Federation 1
Rwanda 1
Singapore 4
Thailand 4
Taiwan 4
Uganda 4
United States 7
Uruguay 2
Vietnam 2
South Africa 1

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Example of EMJMD – selected under the 2016 call for proposals

**EUROPEAN MASTER IN MIGRATION AND INTERCULTURAL RELATIONS**

- **Coordinator:** CARL VON OSSIETZKY UNIVERSITAET OLDENBURG, DE
- **Partners (6):**
  - JIHOCESKA UNIVERZITA V CESKYCH BUDEJOVICICH - (CZ)
  - UNIVERSITETET I STAVANGER - (NO)
  - UNIVERZA V NOVI GORICI - (SI)
  - UNIVERSITY OF THE WITWATERSRAND JOHANNESBURG - (South Africa)
  - AHFAD UNIVERSITY FOR WOMEN - (Sudan)
  - MBARARA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - (Uganda)
- **Associated Partners (39):**
  - 21 from Programme Countries: BE, HR, CZ, DE, IT, NL, NO, AT, PL, SI
  - 18 from Partner Countries: Egypt, Georgia, Ghana, India, Israel, Jordan, Nigeria, Serbia, South Africa, Sudan
- **Grant Awarded:** 2.900.000 € - 58 EMJMD scholarships for 3 intakes:
  49 scholarships (8 Programme C. + 41 Partner C.) + 9 additional for targeted regions
- **Duration:** 60 months (5 years)
Jean Monnet Activities

- Jean Monnet Programme 1989 Introduction of European integration studies in universities
- Dedicated to the memory of Jean Monnet (1888-1979)
- Jean Monnet continues under Erasmus+ as a separate activity
- Managed centrally in Brussels
- Programme and Partner Country HEIs can apply
Jean Monnet – Objectives

- Promote excellence in teaching and research in the field of European Union Studies worldwide
- Foster the dialogue between the academic world and policy-makers
- Equip students and young professionals with knowledge of European Union subjects relevant for their academic and professional lives and enhance their civic skills
- Promote innovation and teaching and research (e.g. cross-sectoral and/or multi-disciplinary studies, open education, networking with other institutions)
- Improve the quality of professional training on EU subjects
Jean Monnet Activities (Higher Education)

Teaching and research in the field of EU studies

- Modules: max. 30,000 €
- Chairs: max. 50,000 €
- Centres of Excellence: max. 100,000 €

Policy debate with academic world and exchange

- Projects: max. 60,000 €
- Networks: max. 300,000 €

Support to Associations

- Associations: max. 50,000 €
Jean Monnet – Example of Activities

Land-use systems in the EU - science, management and policy

Action Type: Jean Monnet Academic Modules
Start: 01-09-2014   End: 31-08-2017
EC Grant: 29.988 EUR
Coordinator: BELORUSSKIY GOSUDARSTVENNIY TEHNOLOGICHESKIY UNIVERSITET, MINSK, www.belstu.by
Jean Monnet-Selection 2016
(Core budget: 11.3 Mio. € + additional funds of 4 Mio €)

Jean Monnet selection 2016
Distribution by activities

Anträge  Bewilligte Vorhaben

Module: 504  Anträge  101  Bewilligte Vorhaben
Projekte: 213  Anträge  57  Bewilligte Vorhaben
Lehrstühle: 165  Anträge  64  Bewilligte Vorhaben
Exzellenzzentren: 68  Anträge  26  Bewilligte Vorhaben
Netzwerke: 61  Anträge  14  Bewilligte Vorhaben
Vereine: 23  Anträge  8  Bewilligte Vorhaben

Average success rate: 26%
More information

Information on Erasmus+

➢ European Commission  https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/
➢ Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency  
  https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus_en

Call for proposals

➢  http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/funding_en

Selection results and information on funded projects

➢ Erasmus+ Project results platfform  
  http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/
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