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Work together with European higher education institutions

Erasmus+ is the European Union's programme for education, training, youth and sport for 2021-2027.

It offers a number of opportunities for higher education students, staff and higher education institutions (HEIs) from around the world.



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ERASMUS MUNDUS IN COOPERATION WITH HEIS FROM EUROPE AND BEYOND



STUDENT AND STAFF EXCHANGE SCHEMES WITH ONE OR MORE EUROPEAN HEIS



- By concluding an interinstitutional agreement with European HEIs, your institution can send its own students or doctoral candidates for short-term mobility (up to 12 months) to your partner institutions. Your HEI must recognise the credits earned by your students while in Europe, which count towards their degree at home. Your staff can receive grants for teaching or training assignments (5 days to 2 months) at the European HEI.
- Under the same agreement, your HEI can host European students, doctoral candidates or staff for short-term mobility.



How to apply: Only institutions from EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme can submit a mobility project application that involves your HEI to the Erasmus+ National Agency in their country. If your HEI is interested in taking part in credit mobility, your European partner university should apply for funding on behalf of the partnership.

ERASMUS MUNDUS JOINT MASTERS

- Your HEI can take part in an Erasmus Mundus Joint Master, which is a **high-level integrated study programme at master level** delivered by an international partnership of HEIs from different countries worldwide. It includes at least two study periods for all enrolled students in two different countries. The successful completion of an Erasmus Mundus Master programme leads to the award of either a joint or double/multiple degree.
- You will receive a financial contribution to cover the costs linked to delivering the joint programme during the 6 years of the project, and you may offer EU-funded scholarships to the best-ranked students worldwide.

ERASMUS MUNDUS DESIGN MEASURES

- As an HEI you can also take part in a **smaller-scale cooperation project** lasting 15 months to support the design of a new, innovative and high-level integrated Master programme through contacts and collaboration between the participating HEIs from Erasmus+ programme and partner countries.



How to apply: HEIs worldwide may submit an application for both actions. Find out more: https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/opportunities/organisations/learning-mobility/erasmus-mundus-joint-master-degrees_en



CAPACITY-BUILDING PROJECTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION



- Your HEI can take part in capacity-building projects set up and managed by a partnership of higher education organisations from EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme on the one hand and organisations from particular regions of the world on the other. These include the Western Balkans, countries neighbouring the EU, Africa, Russia, Latin America and the Caribbean, the Asia-Pacific region, Central Asia and the Middle East. The coordinating institution can be located in Europe or in another region (special conditions do exist for some countries).
- These projects can develop and adapt curricula and teaching methods, support cooperation between universities and businesses, improve higher education skills, governance and management and assist policymaking and reform at national and regional levels. Projects are designed to boost the role that higher education plays in development.

STRAND 1 – FOSTERING ACCESS TO COOPERATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION:

- Smaller-scope projects with a focus on HEIs that reach out to newcomers and partners to boost capacities for internationalisation.

STRAND 2 – PARTNERSHIP FOR TRANSFORMATION IN HIGHER EDUCATION:

- Larger projects focusing on the benefits for HEIs in innovation, knowledge-sharing and governance.

STRAND 3 – STRUCTURAL REFORM PROJECTS:

- Large projects to support structural reforms and policy initiatives for governance of education systems, with the involvement of education authorities.



Find out more: <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/opportunities/organisations/cooperation-among-organisations-and-institutions/capacity-building-higher-education>

PROMOTING EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING AND RESEARCH IN EU STUDIES – JEAN MONNET ACTIONS



- The Jean Monnet activities support academic teaching and research (Chairs, Modules, Centres of Excellence and Networks), in the field of EU studies.
- Courses on European Union issues or promoting debate and exchanges on EU policy priorities are examples of activities that can be supported by this action.



How to apply: HEIs, organisations and associations from all over the world can apply to take part in Jean Monnet activities. Find out more: https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/opportunities/jean-monnet_en

PARTICIPATION IN DOCTORAL NETWORKS



- If your organisation is more interested in cooperating with international partners to offer training for highly skilled doctoral candidates, you should consider the Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions(*). Through selected projects, these offer individual grants to researchers from all over the world.



Visit the website of the Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions for more information: <https://ec.europa.eu/research/mariecurieactions/about-marie-skłodowska-curie-actions>

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THE MOBILITY AND COOPERATION PROJECTS OUTLINED ABOVE ARE BASED ON INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS().**

On one side of the partnership are institutions from the 27 EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme: 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, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Republic of North Macedonia, Serbia and Turkey.

Institutions from all other countries worldwide can take part on the other side of the partnership.

** Most Jean Monnet Actions are single-institution projects and not based on a partnership.

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