Erasmus+

Mobility for higher education students and staff

Information Days Bosnia and Herzegovina
International Banja Luka 13/11/2014
What is Erasmus+?

2007-2013

- Tempus
- Erasmus Mundus
- Edulink
- Alfa
- Youth in Action
- Leonardo
- Comenius
- Grundtvig

international

2014-2020

ERASMUS+
Almost €16.5 billion
40% budget increase
EU and external budget

1 Mobility
2 Cooperation
3 Policy Support

Jean Monnet
Sport
International dimension

Programme Countries & Partner Countries

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<th>Programme Countries</th>
<th>Partner Countries</th>
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<td><strong>EU Member States:</strong></td>
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Opportunities for HE institutions from Partner Countries

International dimension?
Learning Mobility of Individuals:
Mobility projects for higher education students and staff

Overview of possibilities & application process
Mobility for HE Students and Staff

What is a mobility project?

Student mobility:
- Study period
- Traineeship*

Staff mobility:
- Teaching period
- Training period

- Who can participate?
  - Applicant organisation, sending & receiving organisations

- What is the budget?
  - 2015: EUR 121.3M, split into 10 budget envelopes
  - WB: EUR 22.4M
Mobility for HE Students and Staff

Types and duration

Student mobility

- All levels of HE (short cycle, Bachelor, Master, PhD)
- All disciplines
- From 3 to 12 months (traineeships: 2 to 12 months)
- Each student can benefit up to 12 months per study cycle

Staff mobility

- From 5 days to 2 months (excl. travel days)
- Minimum 8 teaching hours per week
Mobility for HE Students and Staff

Supporting documents

- Erasmus Charter for Higher Education (ECHE)
- Inter-Institutional Agreement
- Learning Agreement for students
- Mobility Agreement for staff

ec.europa.eu/education/opportunities/higher-education/quality-framework_en.htm
- Programme Country HEIs
- General quality framework for cooperation activities
- ECHE principles:
  - Non discrimination;
  - Full recognition;
  - No fees charged;
  - Publication of course catalogues;
  - Good preparation of mobile students (language, documents, logistics);
  - Assistance for visas, accommodation, insurance;
  - Guidance to incoming participants;
  - Equal academic treatment & services;
  - Integration into the local society;
  - Mentoring;
  - Language support.

2013 call: 4308 awarded
Between Programme & Partner Country HEIs
Before start of the mobility
Sets mobility flows and preconditions
Partner Countries agree to ECHE principles
Signed by the student, the sending and the receiving institution

Defines target learning outcomes; specifies recognition provisions; lists rights and obligations of each party
ERASMUS+ mobility agreements

Mobility Agreement is the equivalent of the Learning Agreement for staff
Programme Country HEI applies on behalf of the partnership to their National Agency.

**Pre-requisites**

- **HEIs in Programme Countries**
  - ECHE

- **HEIs in Partner Countries**
  - national accreditation

**Award criteria**

- **Mobility within Programme Countries**
  - none

- **Mobility between Programme and Partner Countries**
  - relevance
  - quality of cooperation
  - quality of activities
  - impact and dissemination

**ERASMUS+ mobility project applications**
Award Criteria

- **Relevance of the mobility project (30 pt)**
  - Internationalisation strategy
  - Types of mobility

- **Quality of cooperation (30 pt)**
  - Previous experience
  - Definition of responsibilities and tasks
  - Selection, support and recognition

- **Impact and dissemination (20 pt)**
  - Impact on different levels
  - Dissemination measures
ERASMUS+ Funding Rules

Grant support for students

- **Incoming (from Partner Country)**
  - €850, €800, €750

- **Outgoing (to Partner Country)**
  - €650

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## ERASMUS+ Funding Rules

### Grant support for staff

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### Travel

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Top-up amounts to cover travel costs
ERASMUS+ Budget

2015 Call €121.3 million

4 funding instruments; 10 budget envelopes

- **ENI**: South-Mediterranean, Eastern Partnership, Russia
- **DCI**: Latin America, Asia, Central Asia, South Africa
- **IPA**: Western Balkans
- **PI**: North America, Industrialised Asia
ERASMUS+ Budget

- 2015-2020: 135,000 grants
- 2015: 19,000 expected mobilities
- WB: min. 3,600
- 93% student
- 7% staff

Mobilities per region*

Calculation method: 6 months x Group 1 + >8000km + 350€ OS
5 days x Group 1 + >8000km + 350€ OS

* Based on one semester for a student
How to apply?

- HEIs from the 33 **Programme Countries** apply to their National Agency (Jan 2015)
- Choose the **right partner**
- **Newcomers**: staff mobility
- Deadline: **4 March 2015**
- Sign **inter-institutional agreement**
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