

DIALOGUE 5+5.

Action A3: "Technology transfer and improving intellectual property management capacity"

Trends in ERASMUS+

Madrid, 12th November 2021

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Spanish National Agency for Erasmus+

SPANISH NATIONAL AGENCY ERASMUS+ (SEPIE)

The Spanish Service for the Internationalization of Education (SEPIE) is the **National Agency** for the Erasmus+ program of the European Union in the fields of Education and Training (2021-2027).

Alongside these functions, the SEPIE manages **other national and international programs.**

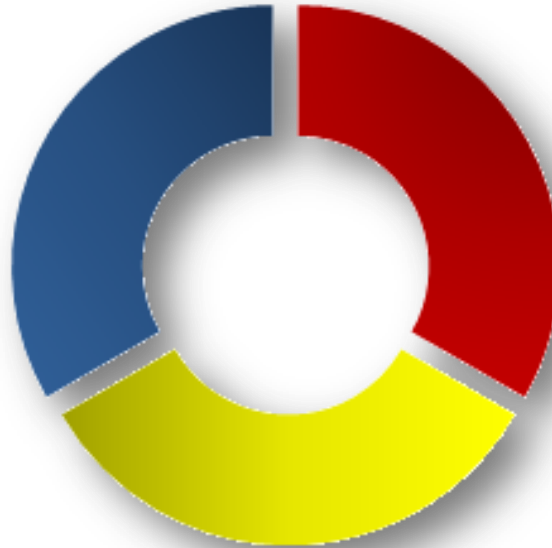


SPANISH NATIONAL AGENCY ERASMUS+ (SEPIE)



Erasmus+

The National Agency for the promotion, management and impact studies of the Erasmus+ programs of the UE



Internationalisation

Strategy for the Internationalization of Spanish Universities.
Management of international education programs

Other Programs and initiatives



ERASMUS+ 2014-2020

Competitive programme in budget support

Erasmus+ 2018 in numbers

€2.8 BILLION



BUDGET



853 000

PEOPLE STUDIED, TRAINED
OR VOLUNTEERED ABROAD



95 000

ORGANISATIONS



23 500

PROJECTS

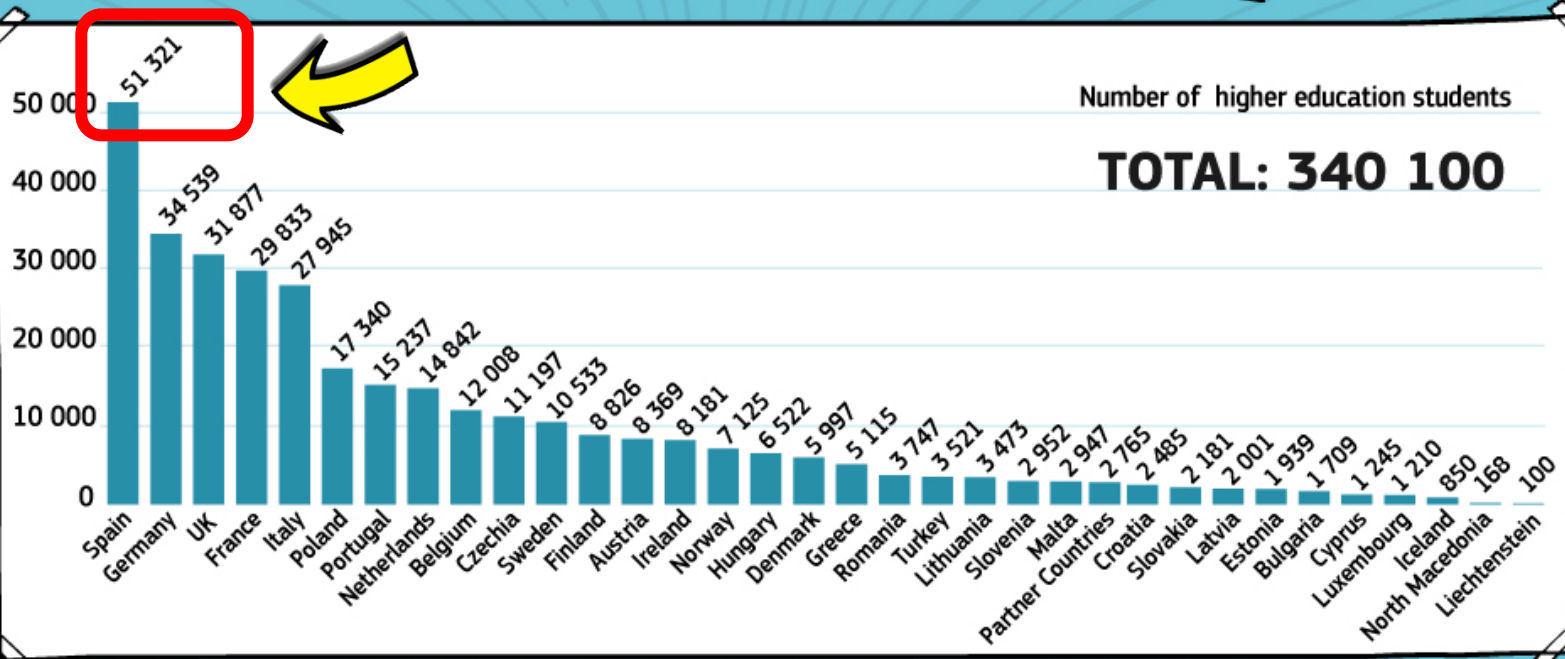
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SPAIN - FIRST HOSTING COUNTRY

Competitive programme in N° mobilities



Erasmus+ in 2017/18: where did higher education students go?



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INTERNATIONAL MOBILITIES – PARTNER COUNTRIES

Since 2015

How international was Erasmus+ in 2018?

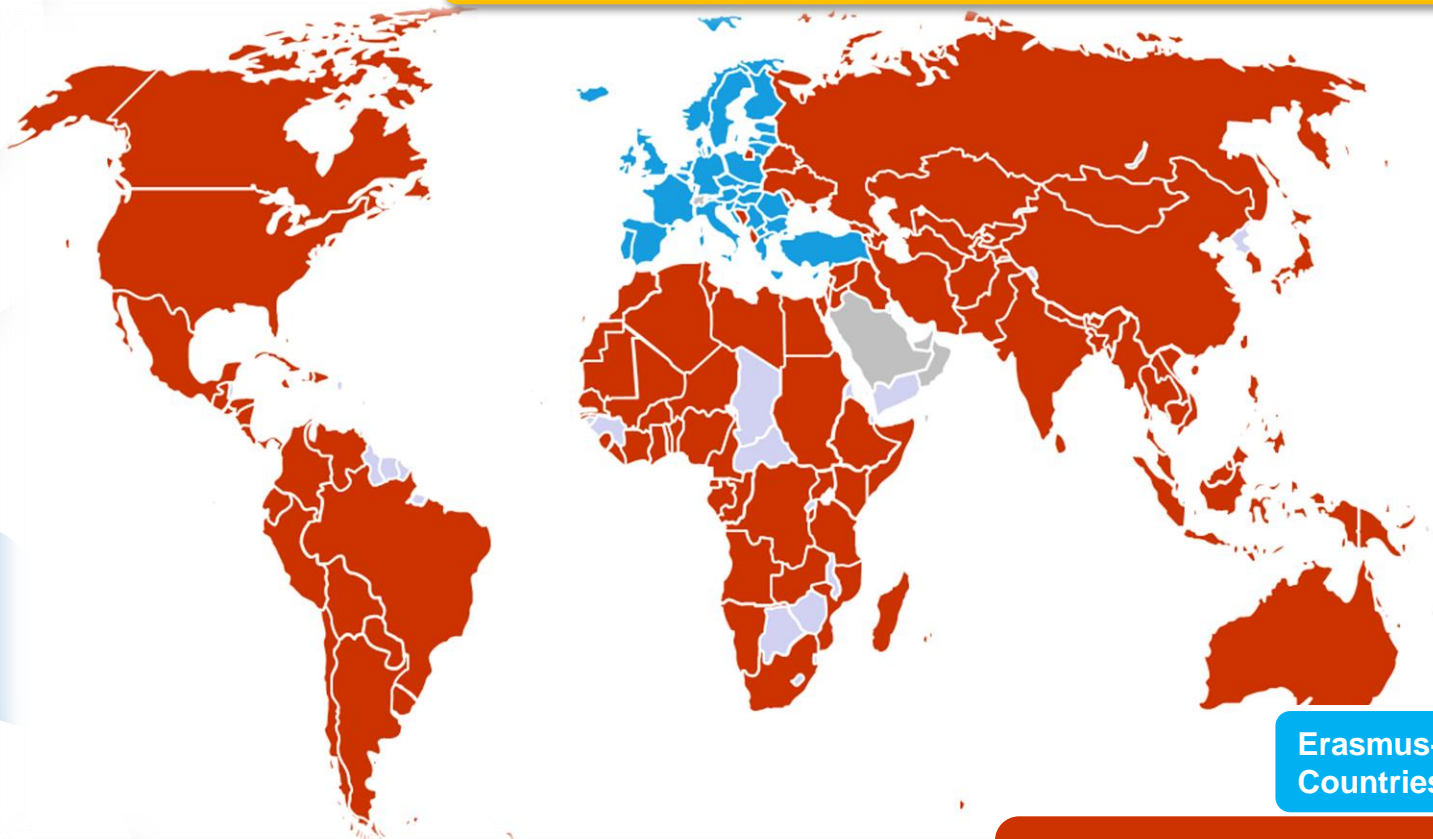
153 partner countries
worldwide took part
in mobility and
cooperation projects



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INTERNATIONAL MOBILITIES – PARTNER COUNTRIES

Spain cooperates with 122 countries



Erasmus+ Programme Countries

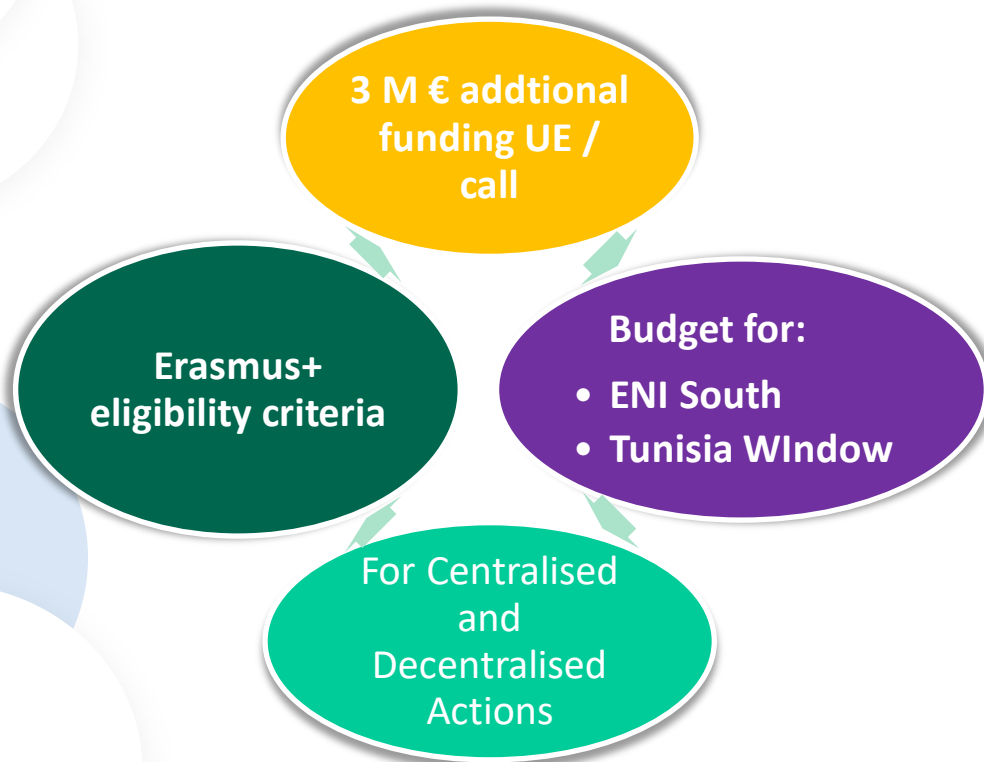
Partner Countries with projects coordinated by Spanish Higher Education Institutions

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Cooperation with Tunisia

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION WITH TUNISIA

Additional Funding 2017-2020



Promotional events

Some examples of Contact Seminars

- e 14 November. 2016. Info-Day with Tunisian Universities.
 - e NEO Tunisia. Hammamet.
 - e Spanish Delegation - 14 HEIs
- e 18-19 October. 2017. Contact Seminar with ENI South Countries.
 - e European Commission. Rome.
 - e Spanish Delegation – 5 Universities.
- e 24 October. 2017. Info-Day with Tunisian Universities.
 - e NEO Tunisia. Tunisia.
 - e Spanish Delegation - 10 HEIs
- e 25 October. 2017. Networking Session with HE Stakeholders.
 - e Spanish Embassy in Tunisia.
 - e Spanish Delegation – 10 HEIs.



Erasmus+ data

Individual Credit Mobilities (KA107)

	DEMAND			FINANCED		
	BUDGET	MOBILITIES	PROJECTS	BUDGET	MOBILITIES	PROJECTS
2015	330.075 €	70	8	166.090 €	45	5
2016	523.088 €	142	10	279.090 €	91	8
2017	3.327.838 €	824	29	870.796 €	289	19
2018	2.706.830 €	686	25	920.970 €	280	24
2019	2.713.849 €	777	28	699.495 €	209	18
2020	2.666.805 €	751	31	799.550 €	242	25
	12.268.486 €	3.250	131	3.735.991 €	1.156	99

Erasmus+ data

Capacity Building for Higher Education (CBHE)

- ☉ **33** projects **SPAIN+TUNISIA**. 2015-2020
- ☉ More information on **E+ Platform Results**:
- ☉ https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects_en

The screenshot displays the Erasmus+ website interface. At the top, the 'Erasmus+' logo is visible. Below it, a navigation bar includes links for 'Search', 'Contact/Support', 'Priorities 2019-2024', 'Projects overview', 'Manage my projects', and 'My Searches'. The main content area features a banner with the text 'ERASMUS+ PROJECT RESULTS' and the tagline 'Enriching lives, opening minds', accompanied by an image of diverse young people celebrating. At the bottom, there are search filters for 'Search for projects' and 'Search for results', a search input field with the placeholder 'Find projects...', and buttons for 'Search' and 'Advanced Search'.

Erasmus+ data

Capacity Building for Higher Education (CBHE)

Euro-African Network of excellence for entrepreneurship and innovation

9 Participating countries:         

Coordinator

 UNIVERSIDAD DE LAS PALMAS DE GRAN CANARIA

The Euro-African Network of **Excellence for Innovation and Entrepreneurship** - INSTART – aims to improve the capacities, create and reinforce **structures of Innovation** at the MED Universities, the project will develop a training Program including a visit period in Europe, and thus starting a **best practice transfer Systems for long-term cooperation** between MED-EU Universities.

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Capacity Building for Higher Education (CBHE)

South Mediterranean Tunisian Maintenance Centre of Excellence

6 Participating countries:      

Coordinator

 SFAX UNIVERSITY

The ultimate goal of the SM-TMC is to **modernize and vitalize the educational and training system**. Some outputs and results of SM-TMC are: **New curricula** for maintenance specialization; **Training programme**, **TMC-VET** for industry personnel; **Innovative learning methodology**; **TMC-Knowledge Platform** with LMS for OERs, **E-learning** and tools for communication and information.

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Erasmus+ programme. 2021-2027

ERASMUS+ 2021-2027

New programme launch: 25 March 2021



**Erasmus+
2021-2027**
Enriching lives,
opening minds
through the EU programme
for education, training,
youth and sport

ERASMUS+ 2021-2027

2/3 of Budget for mobilities

Erasmus+ has an estimated budget of
€26.2 billion,
nearly doubling the funding compared
to its predecessor programme (2014-2020),
complemented by around

€2.2 billion
from the EU external
cooperation Instrument².

70% of the budget
will support mobility
opportunities for all,
in a lifelong learning perspective.

Erasmus+ mobility has positive effects on educational, social, personal and professional development, in that it enhances knowledge, skills and attitudes, improves employability, helps confidence-building and independence, stimulates curiosity and innovation, fosters the understanding of other people, and builds a sense of European belonging.

30% of the budget will be invested in cooperation projects and policy development activities

where organisations gain experience in international cooperation, strengthen their capacities, produce innovative approaches, exchange good practices and network. Through these actions, Erasmus+ will play an important role in strengthening resilience and supporting recovery and innovation in the fields of education, training, youth and sport.

ERASMUS+ 2021-2027

3 Horizontal Priorities



Inclusion and diversity

The new programme seeks to increase the qualitative impact of its actions and to ensure equal opportunities. To this end, the programme will reach out to people of different ages and from diverse cultural, social and economic backgrounds. It will focus on people with fewer opportunities, including those with disabilities, educational difficulties, or a migrant background, as well as those living in rural and remote areas.



Digital Erasmus+

In line with the Digital Education Action Plan's priorities, the programme will develop accessible and high-quality digital learning, foster the capacity of teachers, trainers and youth workers, etc. to use digital tools and content, test and promote distance, as well as blended learning. The mobility actions of the programme will provide an increased number of opportunities to acquire and develop digital skills through initiatives such as the Digital Opportunity Traineeships scheme.

The implementation of the programme will be significantly digitalised and simplified for participants, in particular through the European Student Card Initiative and a revamped IT architecture for beneficiaries and implementing bodies.



Green Erasmus+

In line with the European Green Deal, the programme will lead by example, by encouraging participants to use lower-carbon transport as an alternative to flying. Erasmus funding will also be channelled into building up knowledge and understanding of sustainability and climate action, so that Europeans acquire the world-leading competences needed to create sustainable societies, lifestyles and economies.

ERASMUS+ 2021-2027. Higher Education

3 Key Actions

➤ MOBILITY (KA1)

- Consortia Accreditation of Higher Education (KA130-HED)
- Mobility Projects for Staff and Students (KA131-HED)
- Mobility Projects for Staff and Students between Programme and Partner Countries (KA171-HED)

➤ COOPERATION (KA2)

Partnerships for Cooperation:

- Cooperation Partnerships in Higher Education (KA220-HED)

Partnerships for Excellence :

- Erasmus+ Teacher Academies
- Centre of Vocational Excellence
- Erasmus Mundus Action
- European Universities

Partnerships for Innovation:

- Alliances for Innovation

Capacity Building in Higher Education

➤ POLICY (KA3)

- Support to Policy Development and Cooperation

➤ Jean Monnet Actions

- Modules
- Centres of Excellence
- Chairs

ERASMUS+ 2021-2027. Higher Education

Third Country Role

Partner

Alliances for Innovation

Partner

International Credit Mobility

Applicant

Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters

Applicant

Capacity Building for Higher Education

Applicant

Jean Monnet

Added value

Others (Cooperation Partnerships ...)

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Capacity Building for Higher Education

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

Purpose

Focus on the needs of the third countries not associated to the E+ programme

Targeting the priorities of the third countries not associated to the programme and matching them with the EU priorities for these countries

Maximising benefit to third countries not associated to the Programme

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

Objectives



CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

3 types of projects by objectives

Strand 1.

- Fostering access to cooperation in Higher Education

Strand 2.

- Partnerships for transformation

Strand 3.

- Structural Reform Projects

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 1: Fostering access to cooperation in Higher Education

Facilitate access to newcomers.

First step for participating organisations to enhance and increase means to reach out to people with fewer opportunities.

Reduce the internationalisation gap of HEIs from the same country/region.

Fostering social inclusion.

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 1: Fostering access to cooperation in Higher Education

Target groups

- HEIs from least developed countries
- HEIs located in remote regions/areas
- Newcomers or less experienced
- Individuals with fewer opportunities.

Activities

- Enhance management/administrative capacity
- Ensure high quality and relevant education
- Increasing the accessibility of the students/staff with fewer opportunities

Funding and duration

- 24 or 36 months
- 200.000 and 400.000 Euro

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 1: Fostering access to cooperation in Higher Education

2

Ensure high quality and relevant education

- modules or **study programmes**, technical or professional orientations of programmes
- establishing **intensive study programmes** bringing together students and teaching staff from participating HEIs for shorter study periods
- developing capacities **for postgraduate student and academic staff** as well as promoting postgraduate students and/or staff mobility
- implementing **training courses for HEI staff**

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 2: Partnerships for transformation

Innovation with business involvement to maximize societal impact.

Modernizing HEIs by promoting reform.

Introducing practical learning schemes with a link to business.

Implementation of new learning methods.

Innovative curricula linked to business.

Introducing practical learning schemes

Reform governance and management at HEIs.

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STRAND 2: Partnerships for transformation

Target groups

- HEIs
- Local actors with a link to industry.
- Individuals - students, staff, learners
- Bodies responsible for HE at local and national level

Activities

- Innovation in higher education
- Promoting reforms in HEIs

Funding and duration

- 24 or 36 months
- 400,000 and 800,000 Euro



CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 2: Partnerships for transformation

1

Innovation in higher education

the design of innovative curricula and introducing innovative elements in the existing curricula

the implementation of innovative learning and teaching methods (i.e. learner-centred and real problem-based teaching and learning);

the active engagement with the business world and with research, the organisation of continuing educational programmes and activities with and within enterprises;

network effectively in research, scientific and technological innovation.



CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 2: Partnerships for transformation

2

Promoting reforms in HEIs

Institutional reforms

New governance and management systems and structures, readiness in terms of digital skills, modern university services, quality assurance processes, tools and methods for professionalization and professional development of academic, technical and administrative staff

Development

Development of an **entrepreneurial mind-set** and improved competencies and skills within the institutions, transversal skills learning, entrepreneurship education and the practical application of entrepreneurial skills

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 3: Structural Reform Projects

Mutual learning between public authorities of the countries associated to the Programme and those of the third countries

Promote inclusive Higher Education systems

Increase capacities of bodies in charge of Higher Education

Identify synergies with ongoing EU initiatives

Foster national ownership

Efficient and effective policy making

Foster common regional strategies in Higher Education

Introduction of funding mechanisms

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

STRAND 3: Structural Reform Projects

Target groups

- National competent authorities in Third Countries not associated to E+
- Higher education sector
- Bodies /associations responsible for HE
- HE institutions

Funding and duration

- 36 or 48 months
- 800,000 and 1 Million Euros

Activities

- **Policy making**
Policy and expert advice, training on policy issues, establishment of representative bodies etc.
- **Implementation of tools**
Quality assurance, credit systems, accreditation procedures, recognition etc.
- **Internationalisation**
Bologna type reforms, surveys and studies etc



CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

3 types of projects by geographical scope

National projects	Multi-country regional projects	Multi-country cross-regional projects
HEIS from one third country not associated to the Erasmus+ programme	HEIs from several countries not associated to the Erasmus+ programme from one Region	HEIs from countries not associated to the Erasmus+ programme belonging to several Regions

At least 2 institutions from two countries associated to Erasmus+ (EU Member States and associated countries)

CAPACITY BUILDING FOR HIGHER EDUCATION (CBHE)

APPLICATION FORM

Capacity Building

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GRANTS TENDERS

Submission status

Forthcoming Open for submission (2) Closed (23)

Programming period

2021 - 2027 (25)

Erasmus+ Programme (ERASMUS+)



EU Programmes

Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF)	Border Management and Visa Instrument (BMVI)	Customs Control Equipment Instrument (CCEI)	Connecting Europe Facility (CEF)	Citizens, Equality, Rights and Values Programme (CERV)	Creative Europe (CREA)
Customs Programme (CUST)	Digital Europe Programme (DIGITAL)	Europe Direct (ED)	European Defence Fund (EDF)	European Parliament (EP)	EU Anti-fraud Programme (EUF)
European Solidarity Corps (ESC)	Erasmus+ Programme (ERASMUS+)	European Social Fund + (ESF)	European Maritime, Fisheries and Aquaculture Fund (EMFAF)	Euratom Research and Training Programme (EURATOM)	Fiscalis Programme (FISC)

- <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/home>

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