

Erasmus Programme 2021-2027 Looking ahead

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Erasmus 2021-2027

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#EUBudget

After 2020 Erasmus will not only be bigger, but also better than ever: more inclusive, more accessible and more international.

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Erasmus 2021/2027*

Enriching lives, opening minds through EU-funded learning opportunities abroad, partnerships, support to reform

2014 - 2020

billion EUR

Opportunities abroad for over million people 2021 - 2027

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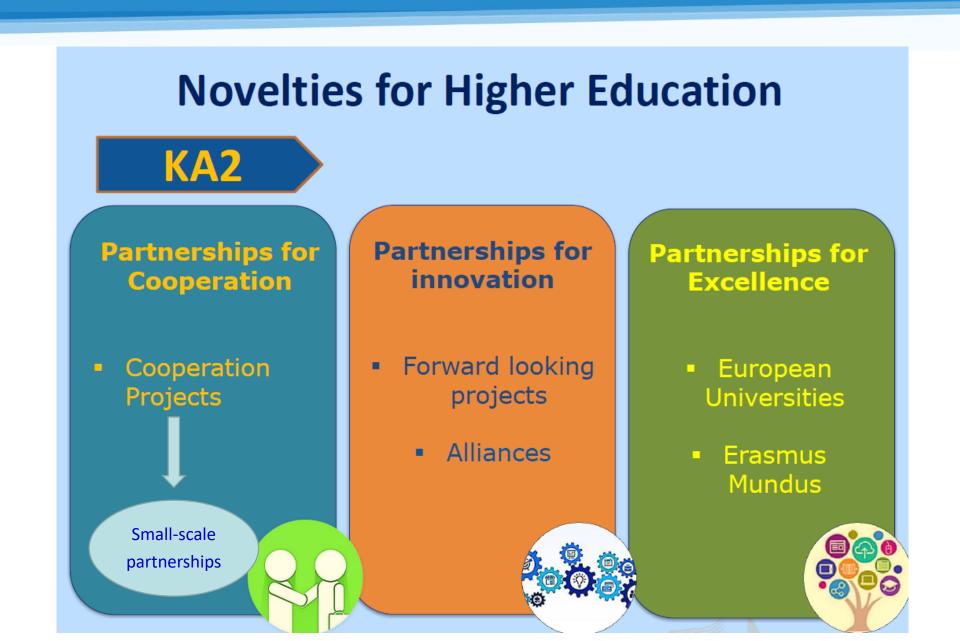
Novelties for Higher Education



- Improved access and inclusiveness
- More flexible mobility formats
- Simplification and Digitalisation
- Targeted mobility in forward looking skills
- International Dimension
- Active participation











Highlights "Evolution not revolution"

... While making it ...

- more inclusive and accessible
- broader and forward-looking
- more <u>participatory</u> and focused <u>on developing EU</u> <u>awareness*</u>
- more <u>international</u>
- in synergy with other EU instruments**
- simpler***







General objective



Support the educational, professional and personal development of people in education, training, youth and sport, in Europe and beyond, thereby contributing to sustainable growth, jobs and social cohesion and strengthening European identity

...and link with policy framework:

- Building a **European Education Area**, supporting the implementation of the European strategic cooperation in the field of **education and training***
- Advancing youth policy cooperation under the Union Youth Strategy 2019-2027**
- Developing the **European dimension** in **sport**





A more inclusive and accessible Erasmus



- **boosting mobility** of school pupils, VET learners and young people
- flexible activity formats, such as short term, group mobility
- adapting the grant levels for certain mobility actions
- blended mobility, virtual exchanges, and virtual cooperation making full use of digital innovations
- Small-scale partnerships for **newcomers** and **grassroots organisations** working directly with people with fewer opportunities





A broader and forward-looking Erasmus



- targeted mobility in strategic, forward-looking fields*
- new ambitious formats of cooperation, such as European Universities, Centres of Vocational Excellence and Partnerships for Innovation
- Introducing **mobility in the field of sport**** and
- ... in support of **other policy areas** (green Erasmus, entrepreneurs, public sector, etc.)***





A more participatory Erasmus



- Supporting new actions to empower young people to participate more actively in society - Youth participation*
- Bringing participants closer to the local communities –
 ErasmusAlumni**
- Launching new opportunities for young people to learn about and discover Europe through travelling – DiscoverEU***
- Promoting knowledge and awareness of the EU and its common values to a wider audience – Jean Monnet****





A more international Erasmus



- Boosting international **mobility** and **cooperation**
- Extending international dimension to new sectors, such as vocational education and training*
- Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees for European students at international level
- Erasmus international complemented by EU external instruments**





Erasmus in synergy with other EU instruments

- Structural Funds
- Horizon Europe
- Creative Europe
- European Solidarity Corps
- InvestEU

For example to...

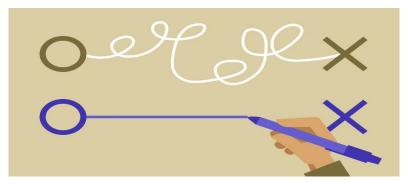
- scale-up successful projects
- **top-up funds**: additional support to specific target groups or actions







A simpler Erasmus



- Lighter application forms
- Shorter reports
- Improved on-line tools
- Less administrative requirements for beneficiaries
- Further improve the use of simplified grants
- Digitalisation of all key steps of the management of Erasmus+ exchanges > Erasmus without Paper





Actions of the programme – E&T

NEW

MOBILITY

- mobility of higher education students and staff
- mobility of VET learners and staff
- mobility of school pupils and staff
- mobility of adult education staff
- language learning opportunities

COOPERATION

- cooperation partnerships, including small-scale partnerships
- partnerships for excellence, including European universities, Centres of vocational excellence, Joint Master Degrees
- partnerships for innovation
- online platforms and tools for virtual cooperation

POLICY DEVELOPMENT

- preparation and implementation of the EU general and sectoral policy agenda in education and training
- quality, transparency and recognition of skills and competences
- policy dialogue and cooperation with stakeholders
- qualitative and inclusive implementation of the programme
- cooperation with other EU instruments and support to other policy areas
- dissemination and awarenessraising activities

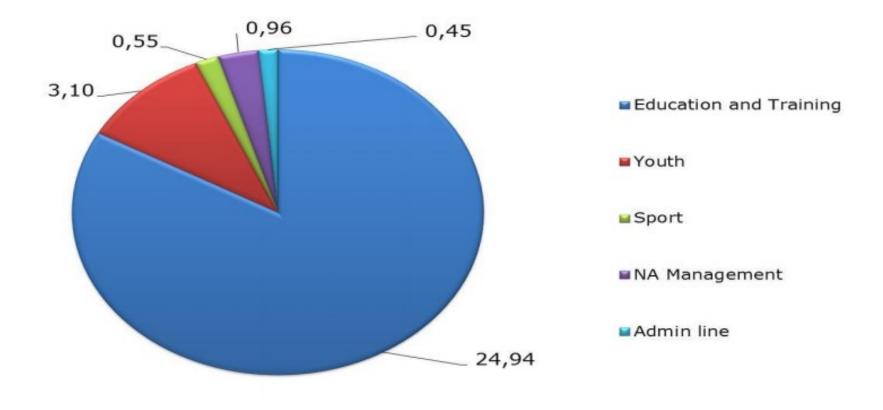
JEAN MONNET ACTIONS

- Jean Monnet in the field of higher education
- Jean Monnet in other fields of education and training





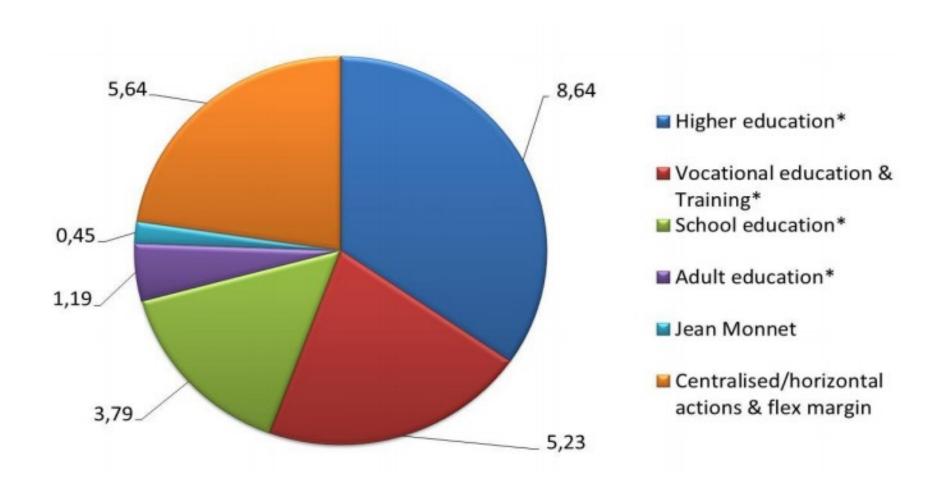
Total Budget (in bln EUR)







Budget E&T (in bln EUR)







Erasmus Programme 2021-2027 Challenges



- Making the programme more inclusive by tripling the number of participants should not come to the detriment of the quality of Erasmus in terms of outcomes and impact;
- The **diversity of initiatives** provided (European Universities, blended mobility, digital skills and forward-looking fields, DiscoverEU, JM in other sectors than HE, etc...) needs to be aligned with the **simplification** advocated in the proposal;
- Striking a balance between **excellence and inclusion**: although inclusion can be seen an element of excellence, combining these objectives in concrete projects and activities has to be the priority.





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