

THE INTERNATIONAL DIMENSION OF ERASMUS+ 2021-27: overview of 2021 Call

| First Call launched in March 2021 | | | | More information on these and other international opportunities will be shared when the second Call is launched later in 2021 | |
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| Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters (EMJM) | Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Design Measures (DM) | Jean Monnet Actions (JMA) | Capacity-building in the field of youth (CBY) | International Credit Mobility (ICM) | Capacity Building in Higher Education (CBHE) |
| What does it offer? | What does it offer? | What does it offer? | What does it offer? | What does it offer? | What does it offer? |
| High-quality international integrated master degree programmes with EU-funded scholarships to attract the brightest students | This new project contributes to the costs of collaboration activities to design and set up joint programmes. | Excellence in teaching and research in the field of European Union studies worldwide | Support for non-formal learning and mobility, and activities to raise capacities of youth organisations in partner countries covered by the action. | Student and staff mobility between Programme and Partner countries. A study period or traineeship abroad must be part of a student's study programme to complete a degree | Support to modernise and reform higher education institutions and systems in the eligible countries worldwide. |
| Who can apply to manage a grant? | Who can apply to manage a grant? | Who can apply to manage a grant? | Who can apply to manage a grant? | Who can apply to manage a grant? | Who can apply to manage a grant? |
| Any higher education institution may submit an application on behalf of the consortium that delivers the EMJMD | Any higher education institution may submit an application on behalf of the partnership. | Higher education institutions, organisations and associations around the world are eligible to apply for Jean Monnet actions | NGOs working in the field of youth or public authorities established and located in a Programme Country. | Higher education institutions established in a EU Member State or country associated to the programme* | Higher education institutions, associations, an organisation of HEIs, national/international rector, teacher or student organisations can apply on behalf of the consortium |
| Where to apply | Where to apply | Where to apply | Where to apply | Where to apply | Where to apply |
| To the EC's Funding & Tender Opportunities portal: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/seen/programmes/eplu2027 | To the EC's Funding & Tender Opportunities portal: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/seen/programmes/eplu2027 | To the EC's Funding & Tender Opportunities portal: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/seen/programmes/eplu2027 | To the EC's Funding & Tender Opportunities portal: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/seen/programmes/eplu2027 | To the National Agency of the Programme Country* in which the applicant organisation is based. | To the EC's Funding & Tender Opportunities portal: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/seen/programmes/eplu2027 |
| Call for Proposals | Call for Proposals | Call for Proposals | Call for Proposals | Call for Proposals | Call for Proposals |
| Opens: 25 March 2021 Closes: 26 May 2021 | Opens: 25 March 2021 Closes: 26 May 2021 | Opens: 25 March 2021 Closes: 2 June 2021 | Opens: 25 March 2021 Closes: 1 July 2021 | Opens: October/November 2021 Closes: Spring 2022 | Opens: October/November 2021 Closes: Spring 2022 |
| Who else can participate in the project? | Who else can participate in the project? | Who else can participate in the project? | Who else can participate in the project? | Who else can participate in the project? | Who else can participate in the project? |
| Other organisations such as enterprises, public bodies, NGOs and research institutes may also participate in the EMJM consortium as partners or associated partners. | Other organisations such as enterprises, public bodies, NGOs and research institutes. | With the exception of networks, Jean Monnet projects typically involve one organisation only. | Organisations working for or with young people, established in an Erasmus+ Programme or Partner country covered by the action. | These are typically bilateral partnerships involving a HEI from a Programme Country on the one hand and one from a Partner Country.. | Higher education institutions and any public or private organisation active in the labour market or in the fields of education, training and youth. |

* Programme countries comprise all EU Member States plus Iceland, Liechtenstein, North Macedonia, Norway, Serbia, and Turkey. Partner countries are all other countries worldwide.

N.B. The Programme Guide 2021 is the definitive guide to all Erasmus+ opportunities. <https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/programme-guide>

Access of Partner Countries to Erasmus+ activities, 2021-27

Organisations from non-associated third countries (Partner Countries) can take part in the actions of the new Erasmus+ programme as follows. Programming for the much of the international dimension is ongoing in the first half of 2021. When the 2022 call is launched in autumn 2021, a new version of this table will be prepared showing regional eligibility. Bear in mind that partner-country access might not be worldwide for all the actions that are marked as open.

| Action | Open to partner countries? | First opportunity in 2021 Call or 2022? |
|---|----------------------------|---|
| KA1 Mobility project for higher education students and staff ("classic Erasmus") | Yes ¹ | 2021 |
| Mobility project for higher education with partner countries (ICM) | Yes | 2022 |
| Mobility for learners and staff in VET | Yes ² | 2021 |
| Mobility of pupils and staff in school education | No | 2021 |
| Mobility of staff in adult education | No | 2021 |
| - Mobility projects for young people 'youth exchanges' - Mobility projects for youth workers - Youth participation activities | Yes ³ | 2021 |
| Mobility of sports coaches | No | 2022 |
| KA2 Cooperation partnerships | Yes* | 2021 |
| Small Scale Partnerships | No | 2021 |
| Capacity-building in the field of higher education | Yes | 2022 |
| Capacity-building in the field of VET | Yes | 2022 |
| Capacity-building in the field of youth | Yes | 2021 |
| Capacity-building in the field of sports | Yes | 2022 |
| Centres of vocational excellence | Yes** | 2021 |
| Erasmus teacher academies | No | 2021 |
| Erasmus Mundus Actions | Yes | 2021 |
| Alliances for innovation | Yes** | 2021 |
| Forward-looking projects | Yes** | 2022 |
| Virtual exchanges in higher education and youth | Yes | 2022 |
| Non-for-profit European Sports events | No | 2021 |
| KA3 Support for policy reform | No | 2021 |
| European youth together | No | 2021 |
| JM Jean Monnet actions in the field of higher education | Yes | 2021 |
| Jean Monnet actions in other fields of education | No | |

* Organisations from Partner Countries can be involved as partners (not applicants) if their participation brings an essential added value to the project.

** Organisations from Partner Countries can be involved as a partner only, not as applicants.

¹ Up to 20% of the grant may be used to finance outgoing mobilities to Partner countries and when required for reciprocity, incoming mobilities also.

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³ Also open to Neighbourhood region.

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