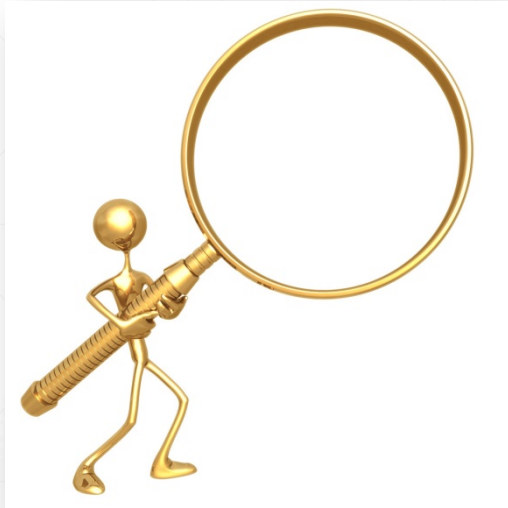


Presentation of EU Funding Programmes that could support projects for refugees



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European Funding Programmes

Characteristics

- ✦ **European Dimension**
 - ✦ **Competitive**
 - ✦ **Transnational Cooperation**
 - ✦ **Support of projects or organisations which further the interests of the EU or contribute to the implementation of an EU programme or policy**
 - ✦ **Non profit character**
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Information how to get started

- ⊕ *Am I eligible for this programme?*
 - ⊕ *Does my idea fit in one of the eligible actions*
 - ⊕ *What is the timeframe?*
 - ⊕ *What kind of funding can I receive?*
 - ⊕ *Who are the partners of the consortium?*
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An overview of the EU funding programmes that could support projects for refugees

- ***HORIZON 2020***
 - ***ERASMUS+***
 - ***COSME***
 - ***3RD HEALTH PROGRAMME***
 - ***CREATIVE EUROPE***
 - ***ASYLUM, MIGRATION AND INTEGRATION FUND***
 - ***RIGHTS, EQUALITY AND CITIZENSHIP***
 - ***JUSTICE***
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HORIZON 2020 Framework Programme 2014-2020

Main pillars of Horizon 2020:

Horizon 2020 is the biggest EU
Research and Innovation
programme ever with nearly €80
billion of funding available over 7
years (2014 to 2020)



Excellent
Science

PILLAR 1

Industrial
Leadership

PILLAR 2

Societal
Challenges

PILLAR 3

Structure of HORIZON 2020:

Excellent Science

European Research Council (ERC)

Future and Emerging Technologies (FET)

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA)

Research Infrastructures

Industrial Leadership

Leadership in Enabling and Industrial Technologies (LEIT) - ICT, KETs, Space

Access to Risk Finance

Innovation in SMEs

Societal Challenges

Health and Wellbeing

Food security

Transport

Energy

Climate action

Societies

Security

Widening Participation; Science with and for Society, Mainstreaming of Social Sciences and Humanities (SSH) and ICT; Fast Track to Innovation

European Institute of Innovation and Technology (EIT)

EURATOM

Joint Research Centre (JRC)

STOCK-TAKING AND VALORISATION OF RESEARCH RESULTS

International Conference "*Understanding and Tackling the Migration Challenge: The Role of Research*" organised by DG RTD in Brussels on 4-5 February 2016 to

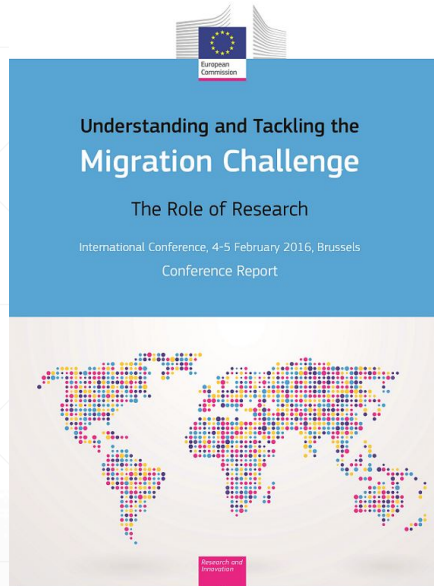
- assess challenges and opportunities from migration
- advance valorisation and exploitation of existing research for policy-making
- identify research needs and gaps to feed into a future migration research agenda
- present and encourage uptake of Science4Refugees
- launch the policy review "Research on Migration: Facing Realities and Maximising Opportunities"

A **Conference Report** was published following the event.

TASK FORCE ON MIGRATION

Set up in February 2016 by the Directorate General for Research & Innovation.

Part of its mandate is to oversee development of a research agenda on migration to be fed into the revised 2017 Work Programme and into the preparation of the 2018-20 Work Programme of Horizon 2020.



MIGRATION IN THE REVISED 2017 WORK PROGRAMME

A revision of Work Programme 2017 of Horizon 2020 was made to include **5 additional topics on migration**

1. Variations in asylum laws and their implementation
2. Employability and labour market access of migrants
3. Cultural impact of migration on European societies
4. Platform on currently running European research
5. Social platform on migration and asylum

The revision was carried out on the basis of the conference report and after discussion with the Migration Task Force.

HORIZON 2020 2018-20 Work Programme

The Expert Advisory Group for the Societal Challenge 'Europe in a changing world – Inclusive, innovative and reflective societies' has identified migration as one of three main research areas for 2018-20.

Migration is expected to be an important line of research across various other parts of the 2018-20 Work Programme.

EURAXESS - Science4Refugees page -

Refugee researchers can:

- search for **refugee friendly jobs**
- sign-up and **post their CV** (searchable by recruiters)
- find a partner through the **Science4Refugees Research Buddy Programme**
- browse through a collection of **research dedicated trainings**
- contact the **EURAXESS Career Development Centres** for support in the development of their careers
- read about and get in touch with **NARIC** (designated network for the recognition and comparison of international qualifications and skills)
- read about and get in touch with **DG Home–Migration and home affairs**



science4refugees

Helping
refugee scientists
and researchers
find suitable jobs



EURAXESS - Science4Refugees page -

Research organisations & universities can:

- search the database for **suitable refugee researchers**
- post job offers on EURAXESS indicating that the **position offered is refugee friendly**
- find a partner through the **Science4Refugees Research Buddy Programme**

The **Science4Refugees Research Buddy Programme** is a collaboration tool designed to help refugee researchers connect with regular researchers to discuss problems, find solutions and study together.

Science4Refugees web-app:

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/science4refugees/index.cfm>

S4R page at the EURAXESS website:

<http://ec.europa.eu/euraxess/index.cfm/jobs/science4refugees>



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Pillar 1. Excellent science

Why:

- World class science is the foundation of tomorrow's technologies, jobs and wellbeing
- Europe needs to develop, attract and retain research talent
- Researchers need access to the best infrastructures

The Excellent Science pillar consists of the following schemes:

- ❖ **European Research Council (ERC)**
- ❖ **Future and Emerging Technologies (FET)**
- ❖ **Marie-Sklodowska-Curie Actions**
- ❖ **Research Infrastructures**

Pillar 1. Excellent science

Open calls

	Call	Deadline
EUROPEAN RESEARCH COUNCIL (ERC)	ERC-2017-STG: ERC Starting Grant	18 October 2016
	ERC-2017-PoC: ERC-Proof of Concept	Cut-off dates 19 January 2017 25 April 2017 5 September 2017
	ERC-2017-COG: ERC Consolidator Grant	9 February 2017
	ERC-2017-AdG: Advanced Grant (<i>forthcoming</i>)	31 August 2017
MARIE SKŁODOWSKA CURIE ACTIONS (MSCA)	MSCA-ITN-2017: Innovative Training Networks	10 January 2017
	MSCA-RISE-2017: Research and Innovation Staff Exchange	5 April 2017
	MSCA-IF-2017: Individual Fellowships	14 September 2017
	MSCA-COFUND-2017: Co-funding of regional, national and international programmes	28 September 2017

Pillar 1. Excellent science

Open calls

There are 62 research projects funded by the MSCA that relate to issues such as migration, refugees, integration, and conflict resolution. In total these projects have received EUR 20.3 million of funding from the MSCA. **Example of successful project:**



TRANSIT

Project ID: 656198

Funded under:

H2020-EU.1.3.2. - Nurturing excellence by means of cross-border and cross-sector mobility

The daily governance of transit migration in Turkey at European Union borders: The two-way influence of Turkish-European Union border and migration management practices

From 2015-09-01 **to** 2017-08-31, ongoing project

Project details

<p>Total cost: EUR 165 598,80</p> <p>EU contribution: EUR 165 598,80</p> <p>Coordinated in: Netherlands</p>	<p>Topic(s): MSCA-IF-2014-EF - Marie Skłodowska-Curie Individual Fellowships (IF-EF)</p> <p>Call for proposal: H2020-MSCA-IF-2014 See other projects for this call</p> <p>Funding scheme: MSCA-IF-EF-ST - Standard EF</p>
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Objective:

The project examines the daily governance of ‘transit’ migration by Turkish political and security professionals at the European Union (EU) borders. It draws upon a sociological approach that focuses on migration and border management practices by Turkish authorities within everyday forms of ‘risk’ governance. In particular, the research explores the two-way influence of EU and Turkish risk ‘perceptions’ and risk ‘technologies’ in relation to transit migration and investigates how such interaction affects daily experiences of migrants and gives way to new intentions, struggles and mobilities.

Pillar 3. Societal challenges

Why:

- Concerns of citizens and society/EU policy objectives (climate, environment, energy, transport, etc) cannot be achieved without innovation
- Breakthrough solutions come from multi-disciplinary collaborations, including social sciences & humanities
- Promising solutions need to be tested, demonstrated and scaled up

Societal challenges:

- ❖ **Health, demographic change and wellbeing**
- ❖ **Food security, sustainable agriculture and forestry, marine and maritime and inland water research and the bioeconomy**
- ❖ **Secure, clean and efficient energy**
- ❖ **Smart, green and integrated transport**
- ❖ **Climate action, environment, resource efficiency and raw materials**
- ❖ **Europe in a changing world - inclusive, innovative and reflective societies**
- ❖ **Secure societies - protecting freedom and security of Europe and its citizens**

Pillar 3. Societal challenges

Open calls

SOCIETAL CHALLENGES	Call	Budget	Deadline
<p>SC6: Europe in a changing world - inclusive, innovative and reflective societies</p>	<p><u>CALL: REVERSING INEQUALITIES AND PROMOTING FAIRNESS</u></p> <p>REV-INEQUAL-11-2017: Current European and cross-national comparative research and research actions on Migration</p> <p>REV-INEQUAL-12-2017: Research Social Platform on Migration and Asylum</p> <p>REV-INEQUAL-13-2017: Research on employability, skills and labour market integration of migrants</p> <p><u>CALL: ENGAGING TOGETHER GLOBALLY</u></p> <p>ENG-GLOBALLY-01-2017: Strengthening Europe's position in the global context: science diplomacy and intercultural relations</p> <p>ENG-GLOBALLY-03-2017: The European Union and the global challenge of migration</p> <p>ENG-GLOBALLY-10-2017: Migration and asylum systems</p> <p><u>CALL: CO-CREATION UNDERSTANDING EUROPE - PROMOTING THE EUROPEAN PUBLIC AND CULTURAL SPACE</u></p> <p>CULT-COOP-12-2017: The significance of cultural and core values for the migration challenge (two stage proposal)</p>	<p>EUR 2 million (CSA) (total budget and per project)</p> <p>EUR 2 million (CSA) (total budget and per project)</p> <p>EUR 2.5 million (RIA) (total budget and per project)</p> <p>EUR 27 million (total budget of the call - 6 topics total-)</p> <p>EUR 2.5 million/project (RIA)</p> <p>EUR 5 million/project (RIA)</p> <p>EUR 2 million/project (RIA)</p> <p>EUR 27.5 million (total budget of the call -8 topics total-)</p> <p>EUR 2.5 million/project (RIA)</p>	<p>2 February 2017</p>

Other Horizon 2020 sections

Forthcoming calls

	Call	Budget	Deadline
Science with and for Society	<p>New calls opening on 12 April 2017</p> <p>SwafS-26-2017: Science4Refugees - Support to highly skilled refugee scientists</p> <p>Financial and employability support to initiatives that support the integration of refugees into their new employment settings and culture, and to prepare refugees for the highly competitive and highly skilled job market.</p>	<p>EUR 1 million (CSA)</p> <p>EUR 100 000 /project</p>	<p>30 August 2017</p>

"Erasmus+" aims to boost skills and employability, as well as modernising Education and Training.

ERASMUS+ Programme 2014-2020

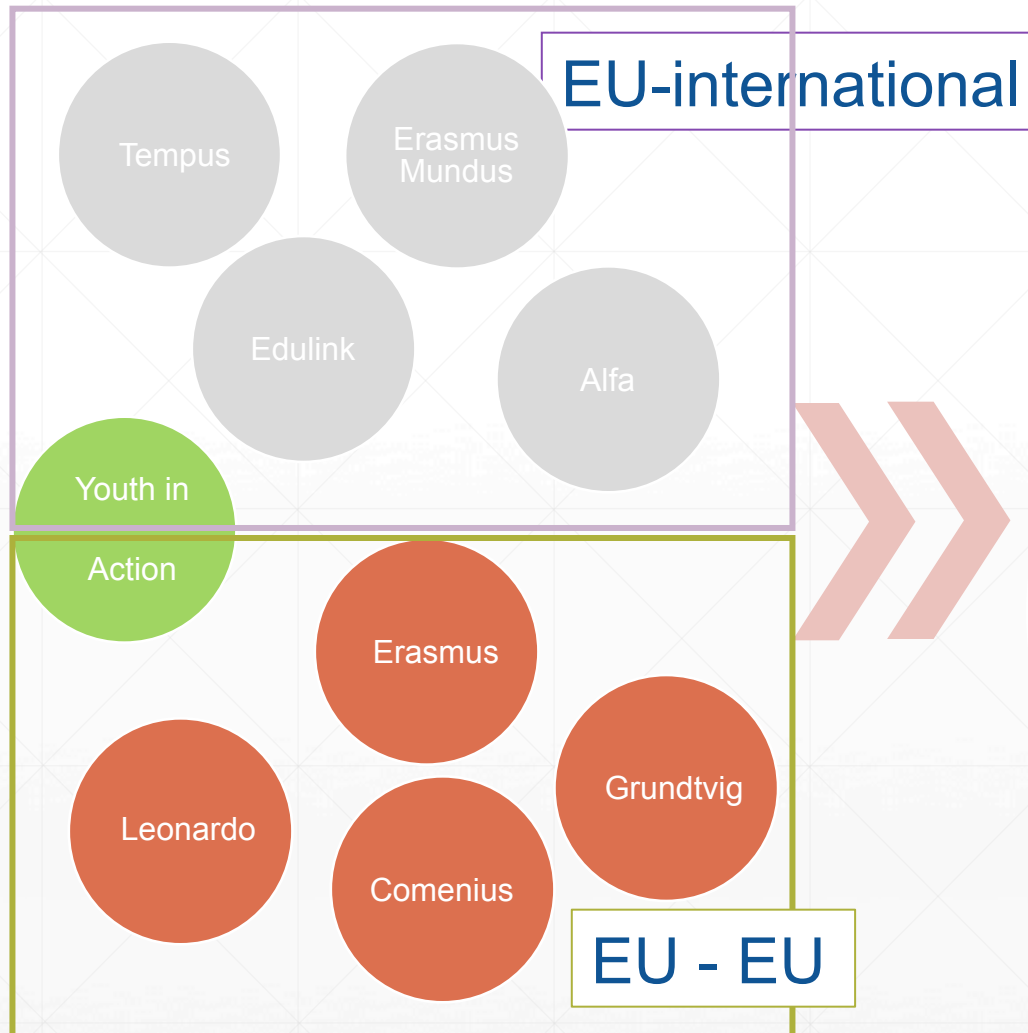
- The EU's programme to support education, training youth & sport
- Funding for programmes, projects & scholarships
- Fosters EU-EU & EU-international cooperation

The budget for the programme is **EUR 14,7 billion over the period 2014-2020.**

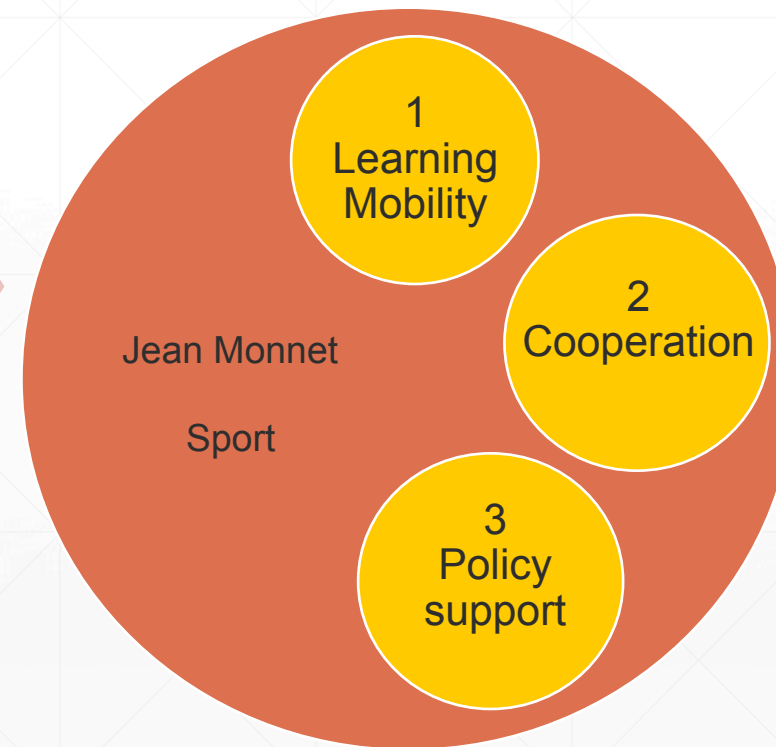


2007-2013

2014-2020



ERASMUS+



KA1
**Learning mobility
of individuals
- Higher Education-**

1. **Credit mobility:** International opening of Erasmus, more mobility of students and staff between EU – non EU in both directions
Decentralised
2. **Degree mobility:** Joint Master courses of excellent quality offered by consortium of EU/non EU universities to attract the very best students worldwide
3. **Student loan guarantee:** to boost degree mobility within Europe

⇒ **Credit learning mobility of students
(short cycles/Bachelor/Master/Doctorate)
+ HE staff mobility**

NEW: Erasmus open to the whole world in both directions for studies, traineeships, staff teaching and training

⇒ For non-EU mobility: external policy priorities will apply

⇒ **Grants for Joint Master Courses**

Continuity: Erasmus Mundus Action 1
EU and non-EU student and staff mobility

⇒ **Master Student Loan Guarantee**

NEW ~ 200 000 students

KA2

Cooperation for innovation - Higher Education -

1. **Erasmus Strategic Partnerships:** more intense cooperation between institutions. Decentralised
2. **Knowledge Alliances:** structured partnerships between HEI and businesses
3. **Specific support with neighbourhood countries:** Capacity building through partnerships between EU and ENP universities with a mobility component.
4. **Rest of the world:** Capacity building between universities in the EU and Asia, Latin America & Africa.

⇒ HE Strategic Partnerships

Support HEIs in their Modernisation strategy

⇒ Knowledge Alliances

University-business cooperation for more innovation

⇒ Support to Neighbourhood countries (ENP)

Partnerships between HEIs from EU and ENP

Curriculum development, modernisation, modern teaching and learning, improve HEIs governance, stronger links with the world of work, ...

+ INTEGRATED MOBILITY of students and staff

⇒ Cooperation with Asia, Latin America and Africa

Mobility limited to HEI staff to achieve projects' objectives

KA3
**Policy support
- Higher Education-**

1. Support the OMC, Higher Education Modernisation Agenda, Bologna Process.
2. Support development and implementation of EU transparency tools and EU wide networks
3. Support Policy Dialogue with third countries

- TWG(Technical Working Group) on modernisation of higher education
 - peer learning
 - ⇒ *Peer review*
 - ⇒ *Policy experimentation*
 - * ECTS guide review
 - ⇒ *ECTS labels*
 - * NARIC network cooperation
 - ⇒ *Sustaining projects, EAR manual*
 - * Bologna process
 - * Ranking initiative, QA, Studies
 - ⇒ *Large scale projects with partners - governance, tracking, autonomy(ex-ECA)*
 - * Policy dialogue with selected world partners



Erasmus+ internal dimension

€400m for social inclusion: strategic partnerships, key action 2

€13 million to upscale existing initiatives promoting social inclusion, key action 3

Erasmus+ external dimension

Syrian participation in Erasmus+
International Credit Mobility
Capacity-building projects

Shortcomings

limited actual participation
not targeting refugee students or researchers

International capacity-building
transversal priority on integration

Online linguistic support



<http://erasmusplusols.eu/ols4refugees>

Information sharing

General website: ec.europa.eu/education/

Initiatives for refugees in higher education:
ec.europa.eu/education/policy/migration/higher-education-refugees_en.htm

Contact: eac-higher-education-for-refugees@ec.europa.eu

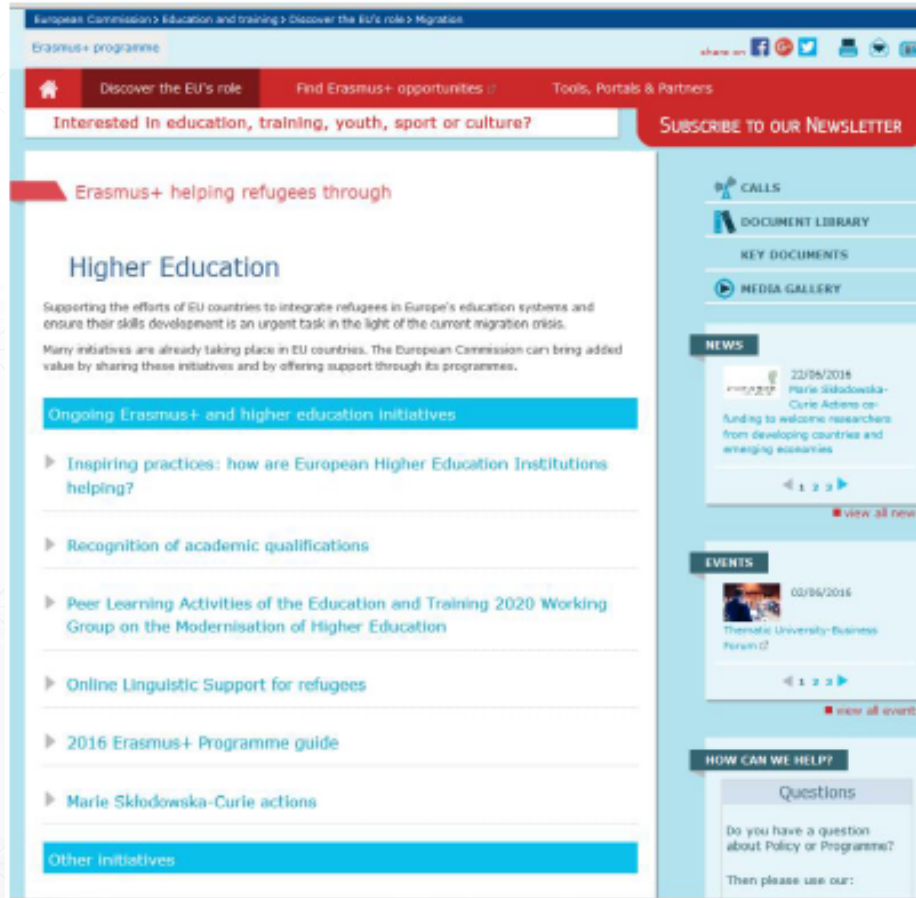
Tackling the **#RefugeeCrisis**

Education and migrants

Find out what EU education policies and projects are doing for the integration of migrants



Dedicated website



European Commission > Education and training > Discover the EU's role > Migration

Erasmus+ programme

Discover the EU's role Find Erasmus+ opportunities Tools, Portals & Partners

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Erasmus+ helping refugees through Higher Education

Supporting the efforts of EU countries to integrate refugees in Europe's education systems and ensure their skills development is an urgent task in the light of the current migration crisis. Many initiatives are already taking place in EU countries. The European Commission can bring added value by sharing these initiatives and by offering support through its programmes.

Ongoing Erasmus+ and higher education initiatives

- Inspiring practices: how are European Higher Education Institutions helping?
- Recognition of academic qualifications
- Peer Learning Activities of the Education and Training 2020 Working Group on the Modernisation of Higher Education
- Online Linguistic Support for refugees
- 2016 Erasmus+ Programme guide
- Marie Skłodowska-Curie actions

Other initiatives

CALLS

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EVENTS

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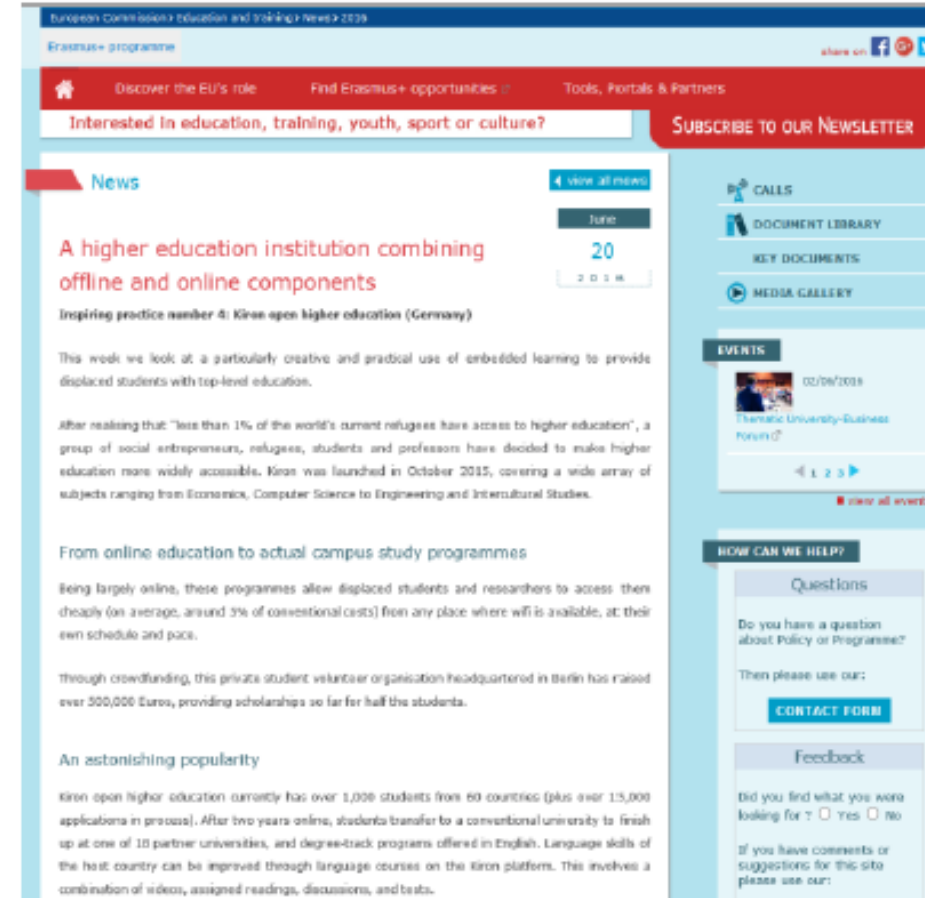
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Collection of inspiring practices implemented by HEIs



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A higher education institution combining offline and online components

Inspiring practice number 4: Kiron open higher education (Germany)

This week we look at a particularly creative and practical use of embedded learning to provide displaced students with top-level education.

After realising that "less than 1% of the world's current refugees have access to higher education", a group of social entrepreneurs, refugees, students and professors have decided to make higher education more widely accessible. Kiron was launched in October 2015, covering a wide array of subjects ranging from Economics, Computer Science to Engineering and Intercultural Studies.

From online education to actual campus study programmes

Being largely online, these programmes allow displaced students and researchers to access them cheaply (on average, around 3% of conventional costs) from any place where wifi is available, at their own schedule and pace.

Through crowdfunding, this private student volunteer organisation headquartered in Berlin has raised over 500,000 Euros, providing scholarships so far for half the students.

An astonishing popularity

Kiron open higher education currently has over 1,000 students from 60 countries (plus over 115,000 applications in process). After two years online, students transfer to a conventional university to finish up at one of 10 partner universities, and degree-track programs offered in English. Language skills of the host country can be improved through language courses on the Kiron platform. This involves a combination of videos, assigned readings, discussions, and tests.

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Erasmus+ 2017 call for proposals

As in 2016, the 2017 Programme Guide places a special focus on encouraging projects supporting social inclusion (notably of refugees and migrants), as well as preventing radicalisation.

Key Action 1	Deadlines
Mobility of individuals in the field of education and training	2 February 2017
Mobility of individuals in the field of youth	2 February 2017 26 April 2017 4 October 2017
Strategic EVS projects	26 April 2017
Large-scale European Voluntary Service events	5 April 2017
Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees	16 February 2017
Key Action 2	
Strategic partnerships in the field of education, training	29 March 2017
Strategic partnerships in the field of youth	2 February 2017 26 April 2017 4 October 2017
Knowledge alliances	28 February 2017
Capacity building in the field of higher education	9 February 2017
Capacity building in the field of youth	8 March 2017
Key Action 3	
Meeting between young people and decision-makers in the field of youth	2 February 2017 26 April 2017 4 October 2017
Jean Monnet actions	
Chairs, modules, centres of excellence, support to associations, networks, projects	23 February 2017
Sport actions	
Collaborative partnerships / Small collaborative partnerships / Not-for-profit European sport events	6 April 2017

Erasmus+ example of selected project

Title: Higher Education Supporting Refugees in Europe (inHERE)

Objective: Aim to address higher education access and integration of refugees. The inHERE project will facilitate staff training and good practice exchanges at European higher education institutions in order to better address those needs. An analysis of good practices will lay the groundwork for the development of such training and support tools.

Funding: Erasmus+ Key Action on Strategic Partnerships.

Coordinator: Mediterranean Universities Union (UNIMED)

More information: <http://www.inhereproject.eu/>



HIGHER EDUCATION SUPPORTING REFUGEES IN EUROPE

UNIMED, Sapienza University, University of Barcelona, Campus France, and EUA are working together to facilitate integration and access of refugees in European universities.
inHERE is a 2-years project co-funded by the Erasmus+ programme of the European Union.
The project starts on September 1, 2016.

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COSME is the EU programme for the Competitiveness of Enterprises and Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs) running from 2014 to 2020 with a planned budget of €2.3bn.



COSME Programme 2014-2020

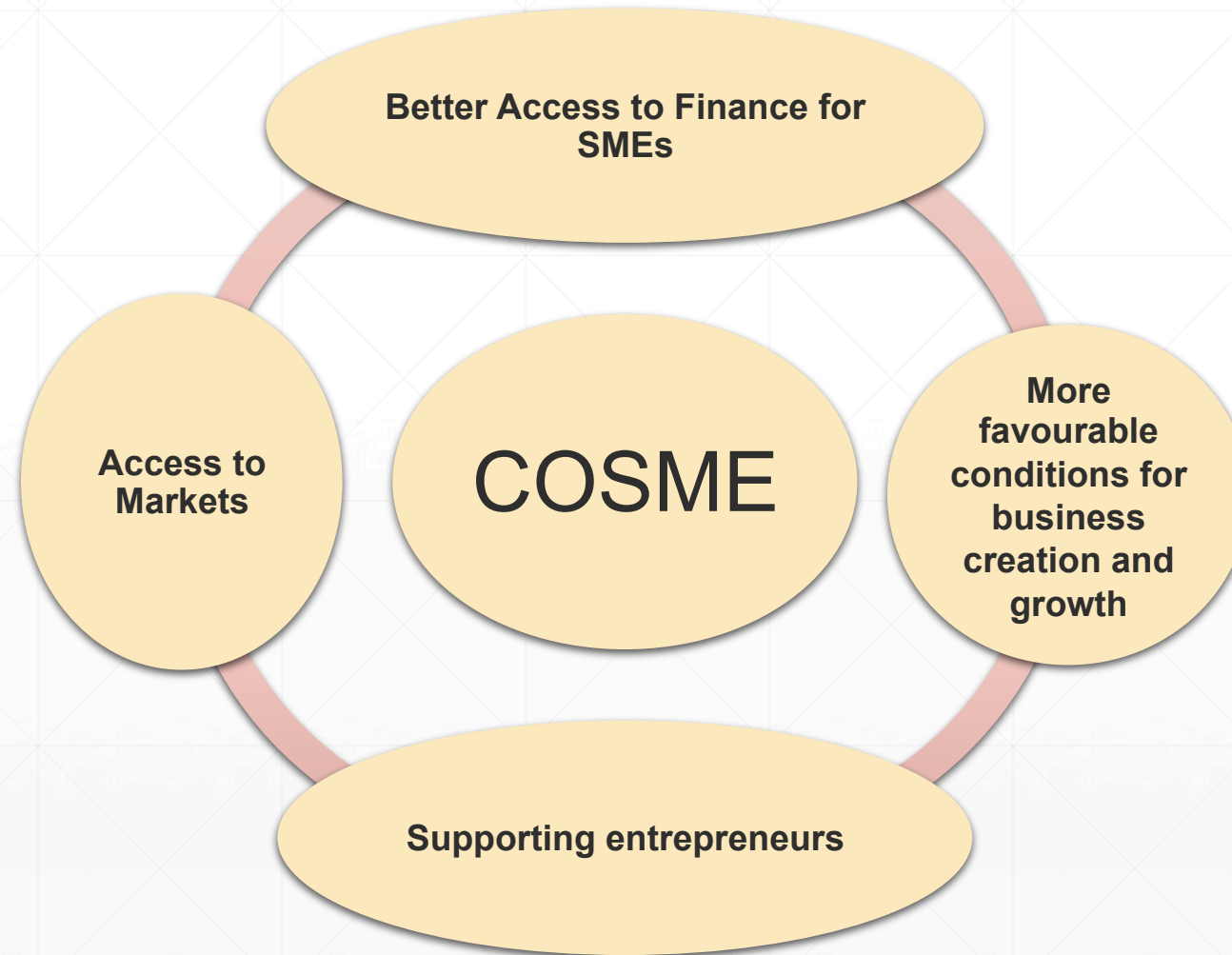
It aims:

- Strengthening the competitiveness and sustainability of the Union's enterprises, particularly SMEs
- Encouraging an entrepreneurial culture and promoting the creation and growth of SMEs

Main target audience: SMEs, Entrepreneurs, Business Support Organisations, regional and national administrations

The budget for the programme is **EUR 2,3 billion over the period 2014-2020.**

Structure of COSME:



COSME Open calls for migrants

Call	Budget	Deadline
<p><u>ENTREPRENEURIAL CAPACITY BUILDING FOR YOUNG MIGRANTS (- 225-G-GRO-PPA-16-9233)</u></p> <p>Starting from the identification of potential entrepreneurs among migrants and from raising the awareness within migrant communities about entrepreneurship, this action will focus on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training courses (e.g. on entrepreneurship, business planning, legal aspects of setting up a company and hiring employees, etc.); • Mentoring schemes for migrant entrepreneurs and would-be entrepreneurs. <p>The objective of the above activities will be to help migrants to become self-employed and build a successful enterprise (profit-generating and/or with social objectives).</p>	<p>2,15 million EUR</p> <p>Indicative number of projects: 4</p> <p>Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 85 %</p> <p>Maximum EU financing amount per project: 537.500 €</p>	<p>30 November 2016</p>
<p><u>COS-MIGRANTSSENT-2016-4-02: MIGRANTS ENTREPRENEURSHIP SUPPORT SCHEMES</u></p> <p>The objective of the call is to support the networking of organisations working in the field of migrant entrepreneurship while facilitating mutual learning, the exchange of experiences and good practice, the exploitation of synergies and the emergence of strategic collaborations.</p>	<p>1,5 million EUR</p> <p>Maximum EU financing amount per project: 375.000 EUR.</p> <p>Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 90 %</p>	<p>20 December 2016</p>

The Third EU Health Programme is the main instrument that the Commission uses to implement the EU Health Strategy.



3rd EU Health Programme 2014-2020

The Third EU Health Programme is the main instrument that the Commission uses to implement the EU Health Strategy.

The programme has 4 overarching objectives which seek to:

- Promote health, prevent diseases and foster supportive environments for healthy lifestyles taking into account the 'health in all policies' principle.
- Protect Union citizens from serious cross-border health threats.
- Contribute to innovative, efficient and sustainable health systems.
- Facilitate access to better and safer healthcare for Union citizens.

The budget for the programme is **EUR 449.4 million over the period 2014-2020.**

Annual work plans of the Programme set out priority areas and the criteria for its funding actions

For 2016 there were actions targeting migrants and refugees:

Migrants' health: Best practices in care provision for vulnerable migrants and refugees (grant)

This action will deal with compiled best practices in care provision for vulnerable migrants and refugees (including pregnant women, children and older persons), with a focus on psycho-social aspects, acute and chronic diseases, including communicable diseases.

Pilot specific training modules for health professionals, border guards and trainers in migrants' and refugees' health (procurement)

The objective of the action will be the design and the development of pilot training modules for health professionals, border guards and the trainer of trainers' package on mental health and post-traumatic stress detection and on implementation of triage and screening for communicable diseases in migrants and refugees.

3rd Health programme example of a selected project

Title: Common Approach for REfugees and other migrants' health (CARE)

Call: Support Member States under particular migratory pressure in their response to health related challenges(2015-HA3HP.1.1.1.)

Coordinator: Istituto Nazionale per la promozione della salute delle popolazioni migranti ed il contrasto delle malattie della poverta (IT)

Maximum EC Contribution: 1 689 045,11€

Starting date: 01-04-2016 for 12 months

Objective:

The project, which can count upon the endorsement of 5 Member States' governments experiencing strong migration flows, deploys its potential throughout 8 WPs, all tailored addressing different aspects of migrant's health, with a view to hosting societies. Three WPs are horizontal, namely coordination, results dissemination and evaluation. Other WPs do sustain the health of migrants within the hotspots and migrants' centres, produce evidence based instruments to manage health threats and syndromic surveillance, offer a way for tracking migrant's health on the move, produces training and information material for health staff and general public as well as intervene into the public/private relationships to promote a new governance model for migration public policies.

More information: <http://ec.europa.eu/chafea/projects/database.html?prjno=717317>

The Creative Europe programme aims to support the European audiovisual, cultural and creative sector



Creative Europe Programme 2014-2020

The Creative Europe programme aims at helping cultural and creative organisations to operate transnationally, the circulation of works of culture as well as the mobility of cultural players.

"Creative Europe" is made of 3 parts:

- the "**Culture sub-programme**" for cultural & creative sectors
- the "**Media sub-programme**" for the audio-visual industries
- the **Cross-sectoral strand** for joint projects between the cultural & creative sectors and the audio-visual industries.

The budget for the programme is **EUR 1,46 billion over the period 2014-2020.**

Culture sub-programme

Open calls

Call	Budget	Deadline
<p>Cooperation projects This funding opportunity supports the delivery of cultural and creative transnational cooperation projects across any art form for a maximum duration of four years.</p> <p>Priorities of the year 2017, objectives pursued and expected results Helping the integration of refugees into the EU through showcasing and co-creation activities of cultural and audio-visual nature across Europe, which are relevant for this specific target group. Enhancing mutual cultural understanding and fostering intercultural and inter-religious dialogue, and respect for other cultures. The focus will be on the cross-border exchange of best practices, valuable knowledge and experiences, and practical hands-on action involving refugees as target audiences and/or as actors. More in general, this focus will enable further building on the importance of democratic and political values and the benefit derived by citizens from a vibrant and informed political debate as an aspect of cultural activity.</p> <p>Two categories are available under this funding strand: Category 1: Small Cooperation Projects Partnership of a minimum of 3 partner organisations from 3 different eligible countries Category 2: Large Cooperation Projects Partnership of a minimum of 6 partners from 6 different eligible countries</p>	<p>Category 1: Small Cooperation Projects Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 60 % Maximum EU financing amount per project 200.000 € Category 2: Large Cooperation Projects Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 50 % Maximum EU financing amount per project 2 million €</p>	<p>23 November 2016</p>

Culture sub-programme

Special call for refugees' integration

Results are out!

Support to **Refugee** Integration
Projects 2016

eacea.ec.europa.eu/creative-europe/selection-results



- 12 refugee integration projects have received Creative Europe funding**
- The projects have been granted funding after answering **April's 2016 special Creative Europe call for cultural projects supporting the integration of refugees.**
 - The **awarded projects will receive grants worth a total of €2.35 million and involve 62 organisations from 20 countries.**
 - The projects will each receive **just under €200,000 on average.** With the award of the grant, work will begin right away and run until 2018.
 - The call attracted 274 applications - over 3 times as many as expected. The initial budget had been €1.6 million but was increased due to the exceptional response received.
 - Common threads across the 12 successful projects were focuses on **storytelling, training and workshops for participants and the digital arts.**

See the list of funded projects:

http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/creative-europe/selection-results/refugee-integration-projects-eacea-122016_en

Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund 2014-2020

The Asylum, Migration and Integration Fund (AMIF) contributes to the efficient management of migration flows and development and implementation of the common asylum and immigration policy.



It focuses on the following key areas:

- strengthen and develop all aspects of the **Common European Asylum System**;
- support **legal migration** to the Member States in accordance with their economic and social needs and to promote the effective integration of non-EU nationals;
- enhance fair and effective **return** strategies in the Member States which contribute to combatting illegal immigration, with an emphasis on sustainability of return and effective readmission in the countries of origin and transit;
- enhance **solidarity and responsibility-sharing** between the Member States, in particular towards those most affected by migration and asylum flows.

For the period 2014-20, **EUR 3.1 billion** was originally made available for AMIF funding actions, of which **EUR 385 million through grants and other direct actions** (Union actions, Emergency assistance and the European Migration Network). In response to the migration crisis, the overall AMIF allocation has been increased.

**Examples of
 Funded projects**

European Refugee Fund

**TREATMENT AND
 REHABILITATION FOR
 TRAUMATIZED ASYLUM SEEKING
 AND REFUGEE CHILDREN**



The refugee and asylum seeking children and youth arriving in Finland are often severely traumatized or display symptoms, while data shows that only a small part of them receive treatment or support for their problems.

Main objectives

Specialized psychiatric treatment and rehabilitation services for traumatized or tortured refugee and asylum seeking children and youth were developed. Consultation, support and training on good practices in working with the target group for the various actors at the national and municipal level were provided.

Results

A successful, individualized model of psychiatric care was developed. 136 children and youth (0-24 years of age) received comprehensive, multidisciplinary psychiatric care. The project was a pioneer in Finland in providing specialized treatment and rehabilitation services for this target group.

Activities

- Providing psychiatric treatment and rehabilitation services for tortured or traumatized children;
- Providing counselling and family therapy for the target group and their family members;
- Increasing awareness on the needs and experiences of the target group;
- Providing training on psychiatric care of the target group and their families.

Project beneficiary: Helsinki Deaconess Institute
Duration: 01/01/2014 – 30/06/2015
Total (eligible) cost of the project: € 274 526.34
 - EU contribution: € 205 894.75
 - national co-financing: € 68 631.58
 - other contributions: € 0

European Fund for the Integration of third-country nationals

**MOM, DAD, ME AND MY
 TEACHER: LANGUAGE AND
 CULTURAL EDUCATION
 OF MIGRANTS**



Project sought to address the main problem of linguistic and communication difficulties between immigrants - preschool children with their parents and teachers working with them. Lack of knowledge of Polish results in children's passive participation in educational activities, social and cultural life.

Main objectives

- To support the linguistic and cultural integration between migrants (children, their parents) and Polish society,
- To improve the competence of preschool teachers of Polish language using the innovative didactic programme.

Results

- Number of trained participants: preschool children – 40, parents – 26, teachers – 30.
- New materials for Polish language Learning and Teaching, e.g.: innovative didactic programme for education of preschool teachers working with foreign children, Polish-Chinese, Vietnamese and English Minidictionary.

Activities

The project was implemented in a multicultural kindergarten near Warsaw. The main type of activities for children, their parents and teachers consisted in participation in activities based on an innovative didactic programme. Preschool children and their parents took part in Polish language courses. The preschool teachers in turn took part in the Multicultural Education Training.

Project beneficiary: Foreign Language Teaching Foundation Linguae Mundi
Duration: 01/07/2014 – 30/06/2015
Total (eligible) cost of the project: € 83 827.68
 - EU contribution: € 62 870.76
 - national co-financing: € 8 382.77
 - other contributions: € 12 574.15

The Rights, Equality and Citizenship Programme 2014-2020 defends the rights and freedoms that people are entitled to under EU law.



Rights, Equality and Citizenship Programme 2014-2020

It aims to:

- promote non-discrimination
- combat racism, xenophobia, homophobia and other forms of intolerance
- promote gender equality and gender mainstreaming
- prevent violence against children, young people, women and other groups at risk
- promote the rights of the child
- ensure the protection of personal data in the EU
- promote EU citizenship rights
- enforce consumer rights

The budget for the programme is **EUR 439.5 million over the period 2014-2020.**

REC Open calls

Call	Budget	Deadline
<u>REC-RCHI-PROF-AG-2016: To support capacity building on rights of the child and child protection for professionals in asylum and migration</u>	3,1 million EUR Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 80 %	13 December 2016
<u>REC-RDAP-CHIL-AG-2016: To support integrated and multidisciplinary child-centred approaches to child victims of violence</u>	2 million EUR Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 80 %	13 December 2016
<u>REC-RRAC-RACI-AG-2016: Support dialogue and exchange of best practice in fostering tolerance and mutual respect</u>	4,475 million EUR Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 80 %	5 January 2017
<u>REC-RRAC-HATE-AG-2016: Action grants to support Member States' authorities in the identification and exchange of best practice to ensure correct and full implementation of the EU Framework Decision on combatting racism and xenophobia by means of criminal law</u>	1,5 million EUR Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 80 %	20 December 2016
<u>New calls</u> opening in November 2016 on data protection reform, Roma integration, action against gender-based violence		

Types of actions funded: Training activities , mutual learning, cooperation activities, exchange of good practices, peer reviews, development of ICT tools, awareness-raising activities, dissemination, conferences, analytical activities (studies, data collection, development of common methodologies, indicators, surveys, preparation of guides...)

example of a selected project

Title: Coalition of Positive Messengers to Counter Online Hate Speech

Coordinator: Foundation Sofia Development Association

EU grant requested: 369.827,00 EUR

EU grant %: 79,97

Project duration in months: 24 (1 October 2016 - 30 September 2018)

Objective:

The project tackles the issue of hate speech - online hate speech in particular, targeted against migrants, refugees and asylum seekers in 7 EU countries. The action addresses the need for more effective civil society response to online hate speech through sharing and disseminating best practices. The project focuses on 1) building multi-stakeholder coalitions for developing counter-narratives to denounce hate speech and negative representations of migrants and refugees, and 2) disseminating the positive messages through media literacy and public awareness campaign.

More information:

<http://www.sofia-da.eu/en/current/coalition-of-positive-messengers-to-counter-online-hate-speech.html>

Justice Programme offers concrete financial support to various organisations specialised thematically in the area of justice.



JUSTICE Programme 2014-2020

It focuses on the following key areas:

- **judicial cooperation in civil matters**, including civil and commercial matters, insolvencies, family matters and successions, etc.
- **judicial cooperation in criminal matters**
- **judicial training**, including language training on legal terminology, with a view to fostering a common legal and judicial culture
- **effective access to justice in Europe**, including rights of victims of crime and procedural rights in criminal proceedings
- **initiatives in the field of drugs policy** (judicial cooperation and crime prevention aspects)

The budget for the programme is **EUR 378 million over the period 2014-2020.**

Justice programme

Open calls

Call	Budget	Deadline
<u>JUST-JCOO-TERR-AG-2016: Action grants to support support national or transnational projects regarding the criminal justice response to prevent radicalisation leading to terrorism and violent extremism</u>	4 million EUR Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 80 %	15 November 2016
<u>JUST-JTRA-EJTR-AG-2016: Action grants to support European judicial training</u>	5,8 million EUR Maximum EU financing rate of eligible costs: 80 %	16 November 2016
<u>New call</u> opening in November 2016 for judicial cooperation in civil and criminal matters		

Types of actions funded: Training activities , mutual learning, cooperation activities, exchange of good practices, peer reviews, development of ICT tools, awareness-raising activities, dissemination, conferences, analytical activities (studies, data collection, development of common methodologies, indicators, surveys, preparation of guides...)

Justice programme

example of a selected project

Title: GEMMA against Violence: Gender based Empowerment of Migrants through a Multiagency Approach

Coordinator: Gruppo per le relazioni transculturali (IT)

Requested amount (EUR): 346,602.84

Objective:

The project intends to develop an intervention model in the field of prevention, contrast and treatment of gender-based violence within a particularly vulnerable group: migrant and ethnic background women (and girls). The intervention model, based on a preliminary research on context specificities and on existing European good practices, from a transcultural point of view, is a multidisciplinary and multiagency strategy based on three key pillars: 1. Psycho-social, legal and physical support to survivors of violence; 2. networking among services and strengthening of a culturally sensitive and integrated approach (across physical, psycho-social, and legal fields) 3. empowerment and awareness-raising within migrant communities, to enhance internal self-help and the activation of care safety nets and access to services.

More information: http://ec.europa.eu/justice/grants1/calls/just_2014_spob_ag_vict_en.htm

Useful advices

- **Careful study of all the information concerning the call for proposals**
 - ✓ Work programme
 - ✓ Call for proposals
 - ✓ Guidelines for applicants
 - **Matching the idea with the objectives of the call for proposals (eligibility check)**
 - **Check if a similar project has already received funding**
 - **Creation of a consortium with experienced and reliable partners**
 - **Become an evaluator!**
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Useful advice



Partner search mechanisms

- **CORDIS Partner search:** <https://cordis.europa.eu/partners/web/guest/home>
 - **IGLO Partner Search:** <http://www.iglortd.org/partner-search>
 - **Enterprise Europe Network:** <http://een.ec.europa.eu/services/going-international>
 - **NET4SOCIETY – Partner Search Support:** <http://www.net4society.eu/public/pss.php>
 - **EACEA partner search tool (ad hoc tool with the publication of calls):** http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/index_en.php
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Useful advice


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 European Office of Cyprus

PARTNER SEARCH FORM

Date of publication of this form:

Name of Organisation		
Type of Organisation	<input type="checkbox"/> Public Body <input type="checkbox"/> SME/SME association <input type="checkbox"/> Other private actor <input type="checkbox"/> Non profit Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Regional Body Agency <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	
Call - Title and call identification - Funding programme - EC service - Link to the call document - Closing date		
(Preliminary) Title of the Project		
Outline of the project idea		
Keywords		
Foreseen duration of the project		
Type of Partner	Consortium	Position within consortium
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Partners already involved		
Answers expected before		
Contact Person - Name, Surname: - Address: - Tel: - Fax: - E-mail:		

- **Dissemination of the form to the networks EOC is cooperating with in Brussels for finding reliable partners**

- **Ask for the form**

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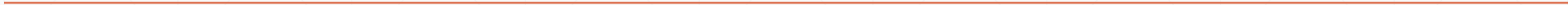


Get involved!

Participate as an expert in the evaluation of projects

- **Establishment of a list of experts for Horizon 2020**
<http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/experts/index.html>
 - **Establishment of a list of experts to assist the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency in the framework of the management of EU programmes**
http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/about-eacea/working-expert/call-for-expressions-interest-n%C2%B0-eacea201301_en
 - **Compile a list of scientific/academic experts to assist the European Parliament's Committee on Culture and Education (CULT)**
<http://ted.europa.eu/udl?uri=TED:NOTICE:371102-2014:TEXT:EN:HTML>
 - **Call for Expressions of Interest in the area of public health**
<http://ec.europa.eu/chafea/ami/>
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Questions?



Thank you for your attention!

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