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Enriching lives, opening minds together with UKRAINE

Country Profile

Area: 603,700 square km
Population: 44.9 million
Capital: Kyiv
Official language: Ukrainian
Literacy rate: 99.8%

Higher Education Institutions in Ukraine

- **289 Higher Education Institutions**
- State funded – **212**, Private – **77**
- About **1 300 000 students**
- About **130 000 HEIs' academic staff**
- Over **52 000 foreign students**

Bologna Process implementation in Ukraine

In **2005**, Ukraine joined the Bologna Process that is a positive step towards integrating Ukrainian higher education into the European Higher Education Area.

The Law of Higher Education (**2014**) is compatible with the Bologna Process (3-cycle HE, ECTS, DS, ESG, NQF implementation) and regulates the following:

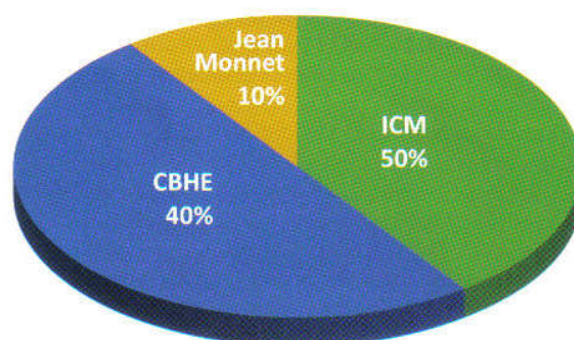
- **3-cycle** Higher Education (*Junior Bachelor* (short cycle), *Bachelor – Master – PhD*)
- Development of **National Quality Assurance System** in line with The Standards and guidelines for quality assurance in the European Higher Education Area (**ESG**) incl. National Agency on HE Quality Assurance – **NQAA**, *accreditation*, etc.
- Development of the national **academic** standards in compliance with National Qualification Framework (NQF) and ESG
- Providing Diploma Supplement – **DS**
- Implementation of the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (**ECTS**)
- Curricula developed on competence-based and student-centred approaches using **Learning Outcomes**
- Expansion of **autonomy** and **academic freedom**, **student governance** in HEIs
- Providing **academic mobility** for students and staff
- **Recognition** of foreign Universities degrees

Special Window for Ukraine 2019-2020

The information below is only a snapshot of the main changes planned to the international dimension of Erasmus+ in calls 2019-2020. Applicants should consult the 2019 Programme Guide and supporting documents when preparing their proposal.

International Credit Mobility	2 500 million EUR
Capacity Building in Higher Education	2 000 million EUR
Jean Monnet	500 000 EUR

Budget envelopes for Ukraine
(5 million EUR)



For more information on international centralised and decentralised actions:

https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/funding_en

Ukraine within EU Programme Erasmus+

In the context of Erasmus+ Calls 2014-2018, *Ukraine achieved the following results:*

- **KA1: International Credit Mobility: 7 235 scholarships** for students (bachelor, master, PhD) and staff: **5 271 students and staff from Ukraine** are funded to visit the EU HEIs; and **1 964 European students and staff** are selected to visit Ukraine for short-term learning mobility activities. The total grant allocated amounts to **24,4 ML Euro**.
- **KA1: Degree Mobility: 201 Ukrainian students** have been individually granted for **187** Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters Degree Programmes in the European Universities. And, **14** Ukrainians benefited from the Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorate Programmes.
- **Mobility for Youth: 6 500 young people and youth workers** from Ukraine are involved in Youth Action projects with their counterparts from Europe.
- **KA2: Capacity Building in the Field of Higher Education: 30 projects** have been implementing with participation of Ukrainian 150 different stakeholders (90 HEIs, NGOs, companies, associations, research institutions and enterprises). The total grant allocated amounts to **20 ML Euro**.
- **KA2: Capacity Building of Youth: 47 projects were selected** for funding with participation of **35 Ukrainian organizations** in partnerships with European and Eastern Partnership countries, including **18 as coordinators**. There 2 universities among the winners. Total EU-funded grant amounts at **4 736 042 Euro**.
- **KA2: Strategic Partnership in the Field of Higher Education: 4 projects** on Information Security and Entrepreneurship is under implementation with Ukrainian universities as partners.
- **KA2: Strategic Partnerships in Adult Education: 4 projects** under implementation with Ukrainian NGOs as partners.
- **Strategic Partnerships project in the field of Schools: 1 project** in partnership with Ukrainian NGO. The total grant allocated amounts to **222 904 ML Euro**.
- **KA2: Strategic Partnership in Youth: 5 projects** with Ukrainian NGOs as partners.
- **Policy Reform Actions for Dialogue between young people and policy makers: 36 projects** with Ukrainian NGOs as partners.
- **Jean Monnet Actions: 55 projects** were selected for funding, including *41 Modules, 1 Centre of Excellence, 4 Chairs, 4 Projects and 5 Support for Associations projects*, implemented in the field of European Studies by **34 Ukrainian HEIs, 1 research institution and 8 NGOs**. The total grant allocated amounts to over **1,7 ML Euro**.
- **Sport Action: Collaborative Partnerships: 2 projects** involving Ukrainian partners are on-going.
- **Erasmus+ School Education** are open for Ukraine within Erasmus+ under **E-Twinning**.

Useful links and materials

National Erasmus+ Office in Ukraine (EU-funded project): <http://erasmusplus.org.ua/>

Delegation of the European Union to Ukraine: https://eeas.europa.eu/delegations/ukraine_en

EU-Ukraine Relations:

https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage_en/4081/%20EU-Ukraine%20relations,%20factsheet

Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine: <https://mon.gov.ua/ua>

Ukrainian State Center for International Education (HEIs database): <http://studyinukraine.gov.ua/>

ENIC-NARIC Network (National Information Center for Academic Mobility): <http://enic.in.ua/index.php/en/>

Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" (2014) – English language translation:

http://erasmusplus.org.ua/images/phocadownload/HERE_doc/HE%20LAW_en%201.docx

Law of Ukraine "On Education" (2017) – English language translation:

http://erasmusplus.org.ua/images/phocadownload/HERE_doc/HE%20LAW_en%201.docx

Database of Erasmus+ projects with Ukrainian organisations

<http://erasmusplus.org.ua/en/tempus-iv/projects-news-and-database.html>

Ukrainian Partner Search: <http://erasmusplus.org.ua/en/partners-search.html>

Erasmus+ under E-Twinning: <http://www.etwinning.com.ua/>

ERASMUS+ Youth. Information Centre in Ukraine: <https://www.facebook.com/EPlus.Ukraine/>

