

**Don't miss an opportunity to study in the EU: application period for
Erasmus Mundus Action II grant programmes
is announced until mid-January 2011**

Erasmus Mundus has completed its selection of consortia, partnerships and projects under the three Actions of the Programme within the two calls 29/09 and 22/10. Students and academics interested in scholarships should visit the website of partnership in which they are interested.

Action 2 Strand 1 has selected 36 partnerships for mobility between the EU and countries covered by a number of the EU's financial instruments. Strand 1 continues the objectives of the former Erasmus Mundus External Cooperation Window.

Under Lot 9, covering five Central Asian states (Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan), the following five projects have been created:

- **TARGET** <http://www.kth.se/en/om/internationalt/target>
- **MANECA** <http://www.maneca-em.org/>
- **TOSCA** <http://www.mundus.amu.edu.pl/tosca.php>
- **CENTAURI** <http://www.usc.es/centauri/>
- **CASIA**: *an official web-site is currently under construction, please check this page regularly for update:*
http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus_mundus/results_compendia/selected_projects_action_2_en.php

For some more details please see the table below:

№	Project's title	Application deadline	Partner Universities in the EU	Partner Universities in Kazakhstan
1	TARGET	30 January 2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - KTH Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden) - Johannes Kepler University Linz (Austria) - University of Technology of Belfort-Montbeliard (France) - Politecnico di Torino (Italy) - University of L'Aquila (Italy) - Universidad Politecnica De Valencia (Spain) - Carl von Ossietzky Universität Oldenburg (Germany) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kazakh-British Technical University • Kazakh National Technical University after K.I.Satpaev • Al-Farabi Kazakh National University
2	MANECA	15 January 2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Vilnius Gediminas Technical University (Lithuania) - Technische Universität Berlin (Germany) - Pädagogische 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kazakh Academy of Transport and Communication • al-Farabi Kazakh

			Hochschule Ludwigsburg (Germany) - Institute DeNayer empowered by Lessius (Belgium) - Constantine the Philosopher University in Nitra (Slovakia)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> National University Karaganda State Technical University East-Kazakh State Technical University
3	TOSCA	31 January 2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Adam Mickiewicz University (Poland) - University of L'Aquila (Italy) - ATEI of Thessaloniki (Greece) - University of Natural Resources and Applied Life Sciences (Austria) - Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen (Germany) - University of Borås (Sweden) - University of Porto (Portugal) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> East Kazakhstan State University Al-Farabi Kazakh National University Innovative University of Eurasia Buketov Karaganda State University
4	CENTAURI	1 March 2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Universidade de Santiago de Compostela (Spain) - Georg-August Universität Göttingen (Germany) - Turku University (Finland) - Mendel University (Czech Republic) - Latvian University (Latvia) - Uppsala University (Sweden) - Università di Bologna (Italy) - Vilnius University (Lithuania) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Astana Medical University Karaganda Economical University Almaty Technological University
5	CASIA	<i>tbc</i>	<i>tbc</i>	<i>tbc</i>

Besides...

ERASMUS MUNDUS CALL FOR PROPOSALS

http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus_mundus/funding/2011/call_eacea_41_10_en.php

This Call for Proposals aims to support projects under all three Actions of the programme:

Action 1: Erasmus Mundus Joint Programmes

- Action 1A: Erasmus Mundus Master Courses (EMMC)
- Action 1B: Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorates (EMJD)

Action 2: Erasmus Mundus Partnerships

- Action 2 – STRAND 1: Partnerships with countries covered by the ENPI, DCI, EDF and IPA instruments (former External Cooperation Window)
- Action 2 – STRAND 2: Partnerships with countries and territories covered by the Industrialised Countries Instrument (ICI)

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- Action 3: Promotion of European higher education

Projects to enhance the Attractiveness of European higher education

The deadline for submission of applications under all three Actions is 29 April 2011

7 February 2011: ERASMUS MUNDUS INFO DAY

The Erasmus Mundus Info Day on 7 February 2011 will provide more information on the Call. It will explain the application process and documents, and give tips and advice on how to prepare a strong proposal under all three of the Actions. The Info Day will take place in Brussels, and be broadcast live via webstreaming.

Participants at the event, and people following the sessions on line will be able to post questions. A partner search mechanism will also be available. Registration will open in early January.

More information on the Erasmus Mundus website:

http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus_mundus/events/infoday_2011_en.php