

Summary of Erasmus+ Programme for Higher Education Institutions in Indonesia



Erasmus+ is the European Union programme to support education, training, youth and sport. It offers a number of opportunities for a wide range of organisations, including universities, education and training providers, think-tanks, research organisations, and private businesses.

International Credit Mobility (ICM)

ICM aims to promote transnational mobility activities targeting learners / students and academic staff / professors / lecturers to:

- Acquire competences (knowledge, skills and attitudes) with a view to improving their personal development and employability in the European labour market and beyond;
- Raise participants' awareness and understanding of other cultures and countries, offering them the opportunity to build networks of international contacts, and to actively participate in society;
- Enhance participants' foreign languages competence;
- Ensure a better recognition of competences gained through the learning periods abroad.

Since 2015, a total of 1,290 Indonesian students and scholars went to Europe and reciprocally more than 766 European students and scholars came to Indonesia to undertake short-term studies, teachings and trainings as part of 187 Erasmus+ university partnership projects.

Capacity Building in Higher Education (CBHE)

CBHE projects are transnational cooperation projects based on multilateral partnerships primarily between higher education institutions (HEIs) from Programme and eligible Partner Countries financed through the above mentioned instruments. They can also involve non-academic partners to strengthen the links with society and business and to reinforce the systemic impact of the projects. Through structured cooperation, exchange of experience and good practices and individuals' mobility.

CBHE projects aim to:

- Support the modernisation, accessibility and internationalisation of the higher education field in the eligible Partner Countries;
- Support eligible Partner Countries to address the challenges facing their higher education institutions and systems, including those of quality, relevance, equity of access, planning, delivery, management, governance;
- Contribute to cooperation between the EU and the eligible Partner Countries (and amongst the eligible Partner Countries);
- Promote voluntary convergence with EU developments in higher education;
- Promote people to people contacts, intercultural awareness and understanding.

Since 2015, Erasmus+ programme has funded 27 CBHE university partnerships projects involving 90 higher education institutions in Indonesia.

Jean Monnet

Jean Monnet is the part of Erasmus+ dedicated to promoting excellence in EU studies in higher education worldwide. Jean Monnet Actions are organised and applied for via higher education institutions but, if you are an individual working in higher education, you may be interested in finding out what the different opportunities could mean for you.

Jean Monnet project aims to build bridges between academics, researchers and EU policymakers. There is an emphasis on the study of and research on EU integration and in understanding Europe's place in a globalised world. These actions also aim at fostering the dialogue between the academic world and the society, including local and state level policy-makers, civil servants, civil society actors, representatives of the different levels of education and of the media. Since 2015, there are 3 universities in Indonesia that have received Jean Monnet funding to support the teaching of European Study modules in their universities.

Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's Degree (EMJMD)

Since 2004, a total of 506 Indonesian students undertook EMJMD which places Indonesia as the 5th highest number of Erasmus Awardees compares to other countries.