

EPR EU funds webinar series: The new Erasmus+ programme

25 October 2021 (10.00 am- 12.30 pm)

Online

Background

2021 saw the launch of the new EU Multiannual Financial Framework and the launch of the new 2021-2027 seven-year period of indirect funds programmes.

To support its members and help them better understand how to best use the new program, EPR organizes a webinar to present Erasmus+, explore Alliances for Innovation and facilitate the sharing of experiences among members from the first round of calls, taking into account the feedback received on applications.

Alliances for Innovation aim to strengthen Europe's innovation capacity by boosting innovation through cooperation and flow of knowledge among higher education, vocational education and training (both initial and continuous), and the broader socio-economic environment, including research.

Introduction

The meeting will have 2 sessions:

EPR members exchange on the new Erasmus Plus Programme:

EPR members that applied for a project at the last deadline (May 2021) are invited to share their experience (10 min presentation) focusing on the questions:

- What were the challenges you experienced, particularly compared to the previous funding period?
- What useful feedback can you share from the evaluation of your project? If unsuccessful what would you do differently?

All participants willing to share their experience are invited to send their presentation in advance with the EPR Secretariat

Focus on Erasmus Plus Alliances for Innovation:

A representative of EACEA (European Education and Culture Executive Agency) will introduce the new Alliances for Innovation. Discussion will follow, focusing on the questions:

- What puts you off applying for this strand?
- How could this be addressed?
- Have you got any idea for a possible project?

Agenda

10:00 – 10:10 **Welcome and introductions** (EPR Secretariat)

10.10 – 10.25 **Erasmus Plus: a brief overview of the 2021-2027 Programme** (EPR Secretariat)

10.25 – 11.45 **EPR members exchange on the new Erasmus Plus Programme** and discussion/feedback (EPR Members)

11.45 – 12.20 **Focus on Erasmus Plus Alliances for Innovation** (EACEA representative, EPR Secretariat)

12.20 – 12.30 Wrap Up and Conclusions

Questions for the discussion

1. *Have you applied to the Erasmus Plus programme in the last 3 years?*
2. *Is there a project officer/project team in your organization? (Staff dedicated mainly to project planning and implementation)*
3. *What is, more or less the success rate of your Erasmus Plus applications? (percentage of applications that actually gets the funds)*
4. *Your success rate in Erasmus +, compared to other EU Programmes, is...*
5. *Your success rate in Erasmus +, compared to national/local funds, is...*
6. *Your organization has applied (as partner or coordinator) to these Erasmus + actions...*
7. *Did you apply to the new Erasmus + programme 2021-2027? Did you find it different (in terms of project planning) compared to the previous one?*
8. *What are the biggest challenges you encountered in your recent project?*
9. *Regarding your projects' evaluation from the agency:*
 - *Which sections of the application receive usually a positive feedback/high score?*
 - *Which sections of the application receive usually a negative feedback/low score?*
 - *Any example to share?*

Registrations

Please use the registration form you can find [here](#).

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