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Jean Monnet Actions (2021 – 2027)

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New ERASMUS+ Programme 2021-2027

KA1

Learning Mobility for Individuals

KA2

Cooperation among organisations and institutions

KA3

Support for Policy development and cooperation

Jean Monnet Actions continue as a single integrated programme



Jean Monnet Actions - a worldwide Network 1989 - 2022



Around **6537 Jean Monnet Actions** in the field of European studies

Around 100
countries worldwide
more than 1000
universities offering
Jean Monnet courses

9.000 universityteachers per year



Jean Monnet Actions – European Union studies

- Jean Monnet Actions in the field of higher education
- Jean Monnet Actions in other fields of education and training
- Jean Monnet policy debate (higher education and other fields of education and training)





Jean Monnet Actions – European Union studies Defining European Union studies

- European Union studies it is refers to the study of Europe in teaching, learning and research about the European Union, its entirety, its history, aims, structures, functions and/or its policies.
- By focusing on the European Union dimension, the Jean Monnet activities should promote active European citizenship and the founding values of the European Union of respect for human dignity, freedom, democracy, equality, the rule of law and respect for human rights, including the rights of persons belonging to minorities (Article 2 of the Treaty on European Union).





Jean Monnet Actions – European Union studies

Defining European Union studies

In the case of European Union policies, Jean Monnet actions must contribute to spreading knowledge about how these policies can benefit the daily lives of citizens in the EU and/or abroad, and/or how these can influence the policymaking system, in similar fields, either at the Member State level or abroad at a national, regional or global level.

A very clear link between the subject of the proposal and the EU policy and/or EU topic that it refers to should be displayed.

- The Jean Monnet actions also strive to function as a vector of public diplomacy towards third countries, promoting EU values and enhancing the visibility of what the European Union stands for and what it intends to achieve.



Jean Monnet actions in 2023 – overview

Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)

- **□**Modules
- ☐ Chairs
- ☐ Centres of Excellence

Any HEI in the world

Exception: organisations from Belarus and Russian Federation are not eligible to participate

In other fields of Education and Training

- ☐ Teacher training
- ☐ Learning EU initiatives

ONLY: EU Member States or third countries associated to the Programme.





Jean Monnet Actions in the field of Higher Education

ACTION TYPE	Eligibility	Years	Max EU grant	%	Cost Type	OPEN TO THE ENTIRE WORLD, except Belarus and the Russian Federation*
MODULES	One HEI world- wide*	3	30.000	75	Fixed lump sum	 Minimum 40 teaching hours per academic year at applicant HE institution. Direct contact hours (no individual tutorials)
CHAIRS	One HEI world- wide*	3	50.000	75	Fixed lump sum	 Permanent staff members at applicant institution Teaching a min. 90 hours per academic year Direct contact hours (no individual tutorials) Additional hours and support of other staff possible
CENTRES OF EXCELLENCE	One HEI world- wide*	3	100.000	80	Customised lump sum	 Only one at a time per HEI Should seek to become structured centres providing EU specific high level knowledge





Jean Monnet Action - Module

Jean Monnet Module in India: 587073-EPP-1-2017-1-IN-EPPJMO-MODULE

Project title: Society, Culture, and Social Change in Europe: interdisciplinary direction on different areas in social, cultural and political affairs in Europe.

Duration: 2017-2020

Discipline: multidisciplinaire - Social dialogue, EU Citizenship, EU awareness and Democracy, Ethics, religion and philosophy (incl. Inter-religious dialogue)

Aim: Transfers of knowledge, focus of organized activities, links with policy-relevant issues, primarily in relation to the EU's role in the globalized world

- involvement of Europe and India in migration and refugee crises
- global economic landscape
- relationship with the developing world and environmental politics. (EU India/Asia)
- building bridges between scholars, students and researchers in Europe in order to start, continue networking
- publication of articles in regional and international journals.

Link: http://www.jnu.ac.in





Jean Monnet Action - Module

Jean Monnet Module: 587786-EPP-1-2017-1-NO-EPPJMO-MODULE

Project Title: European Union Institutions, Politics, and Policies" (EUIPP), University Bergen, NO

Duration: 2017 – 2020

Discipline: EU Citizenship, EU awareness and Democracy

Aim:

- New innovative curricula/educational methods/development of training courses
- Reaching the policy level/dialogue with decision makers
- Transfers of knowledge on the different EU institutions, politics, and different EU policies.. Seminar teaching
 extended number of seminar sessions, giving opportunities to the young...

The Jean Monnet Module won the Best Course Award at the Faculty of Social Sciences at the University of Bergen (UiB) in 2020

Link: https://euipp.w.uib.no/



Jean Monnet actions in 202 overview

Jean Monnet Policy Debate – 3 Networks

Large thematic networks in Higher Education in order to collect, share and discuss among the partners research findings, content of courses and experiences, products (studies, articles, etc.). The coordinator of the network: select most innovative and interesting results to be provided to the Commission.





Jean Monnet Policy Debate

A) Network on internal EU issues on the thematic: "Digital transformation in Europe"

ONLY: EU Member States or third countries associated to the Programme.

B) Network on external policy issues on the following thematic: "Values and Democracy"

Any HEI in the world – Exception: organisations from Belarus and the Russian Federation are not eligible to participate in these actions.





Jean Monnet Policy Debate

C) Network on external policy issues on the thematic: "EU-Africa"

Applicants must be: higher education institution (HEI); established in an EU Member State or third country associated to the Programme or in the following third countries not associated to the Programme: Sub Saharan Africa countries (region 9); Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia (Region 3).

Consortium composition: at least 10 applicants from at least 5 different Sub-Saharan Africa countries (Region 9). The coordinator has to be established in an EU Member States and/or a third country associated to the Programme.

Max EU-contribution € 1,2 m







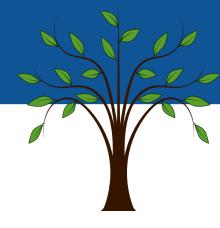
Relevance of the project

Quality of the project design and implementation

Quality of partnership and cooperation arrangements

Impact, dissemination and sustainability





Award Criteria – Jean Monnet Actions

- Slight differences between the Jean Monnet actions.
- To be considered for funding, proposals must score at least 70/100 points in total and 15/25 points in each award criterion
- Relevance of the project (maximum 25/100 points)
- Quality of the project design and implementation (maximum 25/100 points)
- Quality of the partnership and cooperation arrangements (maximum 25/100 points)
- Impact, dissemination and sustainability (maximum 25/100 points)



Indicative Roadmap – Call 2023

STEPS	DATES
Publication of the call 2023	23 November 2022
Deadline for submission of applications	14 February 2023
Evaluation period	April – June 2023
Notification of results to applicants	max. 6 months after submission deadline
Preparation of Grant Agreement/Decision	max. 9 months after submission deadline



Jean Monnet Actions - 2023

Budget available: Total € 26,2 m

Teaching activities: Modules, Chairs, Centres of Excellence € 13,8 m

Other fields of education and training: Teacher training

and Learning EU initiatives € 7 m

Policy debate: Networks for HEI and Networks for schools

and VETs € 5,4 m



Call 2023 - Jean Monnet Actions - application

 Programme Guide, relevant Call documents and the applications forms are published in the Funding and Tender Opportunity Portal: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/home

Application via e-grants: part A, part B, part C



Some Tips

- ✓ Be coherent: avoid contradictions and "cut and paste" style applications.
- ✓ **Be concrete**: use examples, justify your claims, provide evidence
- ✓ <u>Be clear</u>: read the questions carefully, provide information in the correct order as indicated in the form
- ✓ <u>Be explicit</u>: take nothing for granted; don't assume that experts have prior knowledge; avoid abbreviations or explain them
- ✓ <u>Be realistic</u>: the application is the basis of your project to be; it is also the cornerstone of the commitment you will sign
- ✓ **Remain focused:** concentrate exclusively on what is asked of you
- ✓ <u>Eligibility</u>: make sure you have followed all instructions and that the proposal meets all mandatory requirements
- ✓ <u>Keep it simple</u>: use short sentences, vary the length if you wish to make it more interesting but keep it simple and focused



Some useful links:

- **Erasmus+** https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/opportunities/opportunities-for-organisations/jean-monnet-actions
- Jean Monnet actions 2023 Call documents and the applications forms are published in the Funding and Tender Opportunity Portal: https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/home
- Erasmus+ platform for dissemination and exploitation of project results: http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/
- **Jean Monnet Activities Database-research tool:** https://www.eacea.ec.europa.eu/grants/2021-2027/erasmus/jean-monnet-activities-database en
- Jean Monnet functional Mail-Box: EACEA-AJM@ec.europa.eu