

# Closure

## Further information on the Alliances for Innovation Fact sheet

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**Erasmus+ Alliances for Innovation**

WORKING AND LEARNING  
A RANGE OF INITIATIVES  
INNOVATION  
GREEN SKILLS  
DIGITAL SKILLS  
COOPERATION  
ENTREPRENEURIAL MIND-SETS  
NEW SKILLS  
NEW CURRICULA  
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Is your organisation interested in forming an alliance to boost innovation, new skills and an entrepreneurial mindset in vocational education and training and higher education?

**Find partners in the EU and beyond and apply for funds now!**

What are the skills that young people and adults need to tackle pressing societal challenges, such as climate change, rapid digitalisation, changing demographics, artificial intelligence and to actively contribute to a highly **innovative and more resilient society**?

This question is at the core of a new Erasmus+ Call. **Alliances for Innovation** aim to foster innovation through **cooperation and flow of knowledge** among higher education (HE), initial and continuous vocational education and training (VET), and the broader socio-economic environment, including research.

To boost innovation in Europe apply for one or both of the following Lots:

**Lot 1: Alliances for Education and Enterprises...**

... are transnational, structured and result-driven projects that bring together enterprises and both VET and HE providers to work together in partnership within **one or several different economic sectors**. They can address either both VET and HE or just one of these educational fields.

**Projects in LOT 1 intend to implement one or more of these activities:**

- Develop new products or services
- Develop new business models
- Develop new teaching methods
- Develop new curricula
- Develop new research projects
- Develop new training materials
- Develop new assessment methods
- Develop new evaluation methods
- Develop new research projects

**Lot 2: Alliances for Sectoral Cooperation on Skills (Implementing the Blueprint)...**

... seek to create new strategic approaches and cooperation for concrete skills development solutions in a specific sector or area. This initiative will implement one major action of the **European Skills Agenda** for sustainable competitiveness, social fairness and resilience, the **Pact for Skills**.

The Pact for Skills will build on and absorb the Blueprint for Sectoral Cooperation on Skills. Therefore, Alliances under Lot 2 will support the implementation of the Pact by developing a sectoral skills strategy. This strategy has to lead to systemic and structural impact on reducing skills shortages, gaps and mismatches, as well as ensuring appropriate quality and levels of skills.

In view of the design of training programmes, proposals should address urgent skills needs of people in working age as well as emerging occupational profiles covering EQF levels 3-5 as well as EQF 6-8).



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