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## Session 2: The Erasmus+ Sport Programme 2025

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# Key priorities of the E+ Programme 2025

**Inclusive Erasmus+**

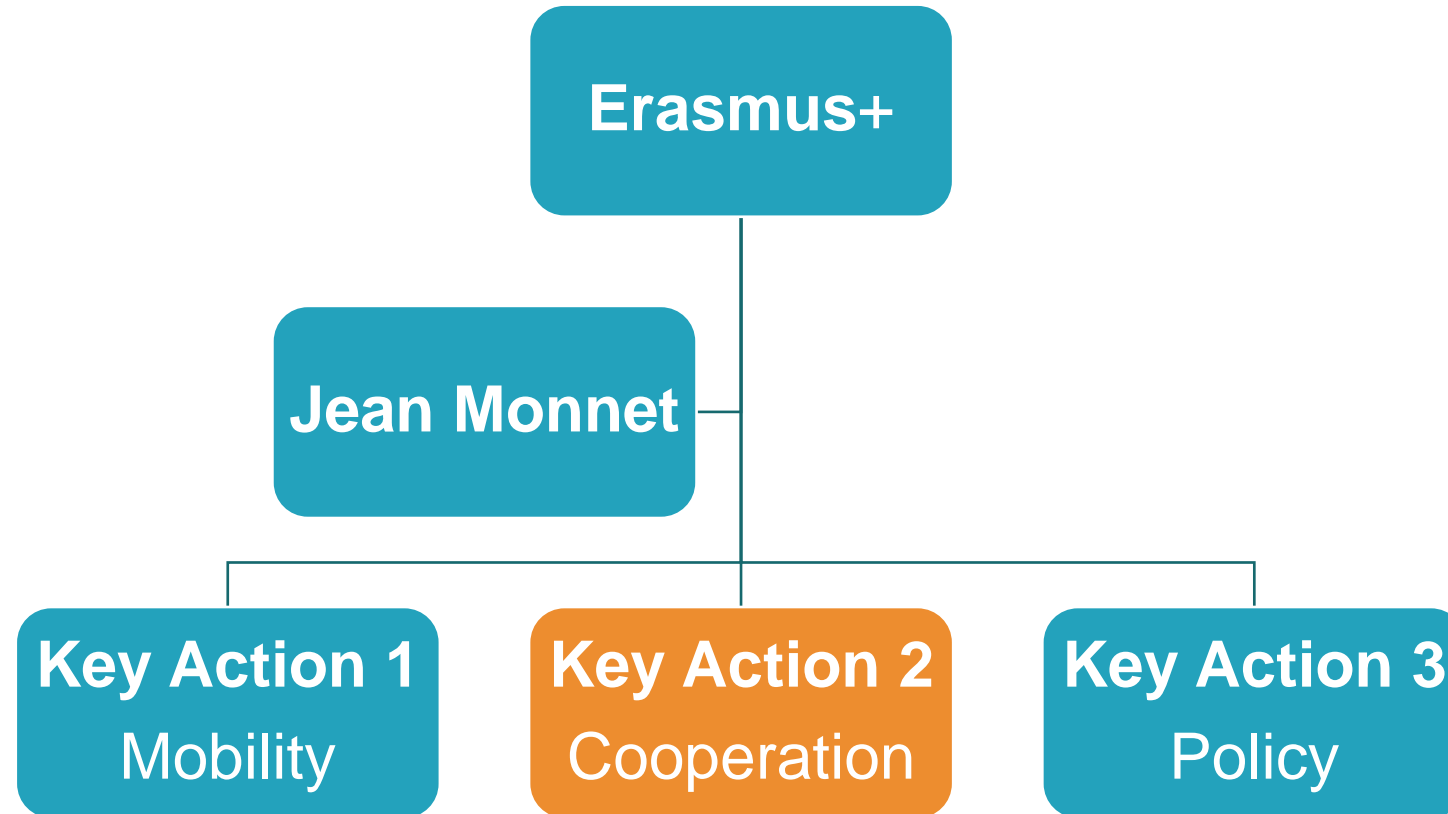
**Green Erasmus+**

**Digital Erasmus+**

**Common values, civic engagement and participation**



# ERASMUS+ Structure



# E+ actions in the field of Sport – Key Action 2



**Cooperation partnerships**

**Small-scale partnerships**

**Capacity building projects in the field of Sport**

**Not-for-profit European sport events**

# Cooperation Partnership - Sport Specific Priorities

## Encouraging healthy lifestyles for all

Promotion of Sport and Physical Activity,  
European Week of Sport,  
Traditional Sports and Games

## Promoting education in and through sport

Skills, Dual Careers,  
Quality of Coaching, Mobility and Employability

## Promoting integrity and values in sport

Fight against Doping, Match fixing and  
Corruption, Good governance

## Promoting equality and European values in and through sport

Non-discrimination, Gender Equality,  
Sport as a mean for peace and inclusion

# Selection 2024 – Cooperation Partnerships

General Priorities	40%
Inclusion and diversity in all fields of education, training, youth and sport	30,5%
Environment and fight against climate change	5,5%
Addressing digital transformation through development of digital readiness, resilience and capacity	3%
Common values, civic engagement and participation	1%

# Selection 2024 – Cooperation Partnerships

Specific Priorities	60%
Encouraging healthy lifestyle for all	21%
Promoting education in and through sport	17,5%
Promoting equality and European values in and through sport	12,5%
Promoting integrity and values in sport	9%

# Not-for-Profit EU Sport Events - Priorities



- Volunteering
- Social inclusion through sport
- Fight against discrimination including gender equality
- Encouraging the participation in sport and physical activity

# Selection 2024 – Not-for-Profit EU Sport Events

Priorities	%
Encouraging healthy lifestyle for all	45%
Supporting social inclusion through sport	41%
Volunteering in sport	9%
Fight against discrimination in sport, including gender equality	5%
Promoting integrity and values in sport	0%

# Capacity Building - Priorities



- Non-discrimination including gender equality
- Development of skills and social involvement of disadvantaged groups
- Integration of migrants
- Post-conflict reconciliation

# Eligible countries per action

## Programme Countries:

**EU Member States**

**+**

**Countries associated  
to the Programme**

(Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein,  
Republic of North Macedonia,  
Republic of Türkiye and  
Republic of Serbia)

**Cooperation Partnerships**

**Region 1** (Western Balkans)  
**Region 2** (Neighborhood East)  
**Region 3** (South Med countries)  
*Partners only - if justified*

**Small-scale partnerships**

**Not-for-profit European  
Sport events**

**Capacity Building**

**Region 1** (Western Balkans)  
or  
**Region 2** (Neighborhood East)

A wide-angle photograph of a sailboat race on a blue sea. Numerous sailboats with various colored sails (red, white, green, blue) are scattered across the horizon. In the background, a steep, rocky cliff rises from the water's edge. A white rectangular box is superimposed over the middle of the image, containing the title text.

# Cooperation Partnerships

- Networks of European partners
- Joint action at transnational level
- Development, implementation and exchange of innovative practices
- Share of results (from local to transnational level)

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# Cooperation Partnerships

- Min 3 organisations from 3 different Programme countries
- Associated partners, affiliated entities and Regions 1-3 organisations not counted
- Appropriate mix of partners
- Coordinator: min 2-year existence
- Activities in participating countries over 12-36 months



# Small-scale Partnerships

- Grassroots organisations and newcomers to the programme
- First step into cooperation at EU level
- Bring EU dimension at local level
- Focus on inclusion of target groups with fewer opportunities



# Small-scale Partnerships

- Min 2 organisations from 2 different Programme countries
- Appropriate mix of partners
- Activities in participating countries
- Duration: 6-24 months

An aerial photograph of a red running track with several runners in motion, their shadows cast on the track surface. The track has white lane markings.

# Capacity Building in the field of Sport

- Capacity of grassroots sport organisations
- Encourage the practice of sport and physical activity
- Social inclusion and positive values through sport
- Foster international cooperation

A high-angle, top-down photograph of a red running track. Several runners are visible, their bodies rendered as dark silhouettes against the bright red surface. They are in various stages of a running stride, moving across the frame. White lane lines are visible on the track.

# Capacity Building in the field of Sport

- Coordination by a non-for-profit organisation
- Min 4 organisations from 3 eligible countries :
  - Region 1 or Region 2 : min 2 organisations (no mix)
  - Programme countries: 1 or 2 organisations
- Activities in participating countries over 12-36 months



# Not-for-profit European Sport events

- EU-wide event or multiple local events
- Active in the field of sport
- Events in the countries of the organisations involved
- Duration: 12 or 18 months



# Not-for-profit European Sport events

## EU-Wide Sport Events

- One single applicant
- 9 associated partners
- 10 Programme countries
- EUR 450.000

## EU local events – Type 1

- 3-5 partners
- each from different Programme countries
- EUR 200.000

## EU local events – Type 2

- Min 6 partners
- 6 Programme countries
- EUR 300.000

# Consortia

- Reinforce the networks of partners and the capacity of European organisation to operate at transnational level
- Eligibility and award criteria
- But not only ...
- Successful projects from consortium that are well balanced and coordinated throughout implementation
- Rules in partnerships must respect the Grant Agreement

# Funding rules

## PRE-FIXED LUMP SUMS

No other amount supported

### Cooperation Partnerships

EUR 120.000, EUR 250.000 or EUR 400.000

### Small-scale partnerships

EUR 30.000 or EUR 60.000

### Not-for-profit European Sport events

EUR 200.000, EUR 300.000 or EUR 450.000

## LUMP SUM

based on budget and evaluation

### Capacity Building

Lump sum fixed for each grant – maximum 80% of budget  
Between EUR 100.000 and EUR 200.000

# Available Budget

ACTIONS	Total amount	Estimated n° of projects
<b>Budget 2025</b>		
Cooperation Partnerships in the field of sport	40,20 M€	115
Small-scale cooperation partnerships	11,00 M€	180
Not-for-profit European Sport events	10,92 M€	30
Capacity building in the field of sport	2,17 M€	10
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>64,29 M€</b>	<b>335</b>

# Timeline

- Applications must be submitted by the deadline

Please check the [Funding & Tender Portal](#) for the latest update

- Evaluation process:

March – August 2025

- Results

September 2025

- Grant Agreement Preparation:

September – December 2025



# A piece of advice to future coordinators

- Read carefully all criteria before you start
- Choose the right action in F&TP
- Choose the right lump sum
- Committed partners
- Start working on the application and consortium early/now
- Be ready to help newcomers
- Read all the guidance available
- Attend this afternoon workshops for useful tips



# Thank you



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