



# Enriching lives, opening minds together with UKRAINE

| Country Profile  | Higher Education Institutions in Ukraine  |
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| <p><b>Area:</b> 603,700 square km</p> <p><b>Population:</b> 44.9 million</p> <p><b>Capital:</b> Kyiv</p> <p><b>Official language:</b> Ukrainian</p> <p><b>Literacy rate:</b> 99.8%</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 289 Higher Education Institutions</li> <li>• State funded – 212, Private - 77</li> <li>• About 1 300 000 students</li> <li>• About 130 000 HEIs' academic staff</li> <li>• Over 52 000 foreign students</li> </ul> |

## Bologna Process implementation in Ukraine

In **2005**, Ukraine joined the Bologna Process that is a positive step towards integrating Ukrainian higher education into the European Higher Education Area.

The Law of Higher Education (**2014**) is compatible with the Bologna Process (3-cycle HE, ECTS, DS, ESG, NQF implementation) and regulates the following:

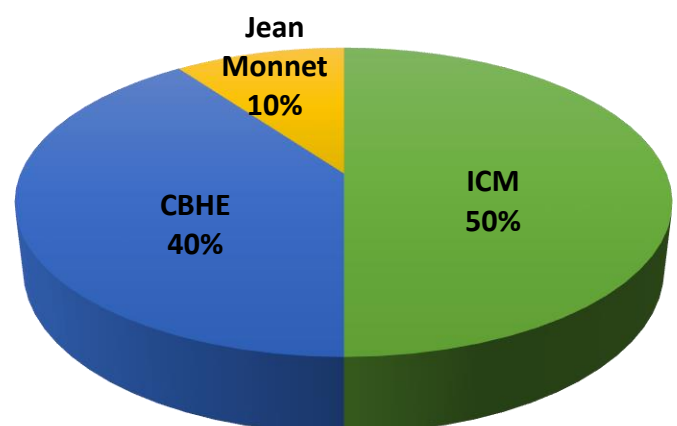
- **3-cycle** Higher Education (*Junior Bachelor* (short cycle), *Bachelor – Master – PhD*)
- Development of **National Quality Assurance System** in line with The Standards and guidelines for quality assurance in the European Higher Education Area (**ESG**) incl. National Agency on HE Quality Assurance – **NQAA**, accreditation, etc.
- Development of the national academic **standards** in compliance with National Qualification Framework (NQF) and ESG
- Providing Diploma Supplement – **DS**
- Implementation of the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (**ECTS**)
- Curricula developed on competence-based and student-centred approaches using **Learning Outcomes**
- Expansion of **autonomy** and **academic freedom**, **student governance** in HEIs
- Providing **academic mobility** for students and staff
- **Recognition** of foreign Universities degrees

## Special Window for Ukraine 2019-2020

The information below is only a snapshot of the main changes planned to the international dimension of Erasmus+ in calls 2019-2020. Applicants should consult the 2019 Programme Guide and supporting documents when preparing their proposal.

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| International Credit Mobility         | 2 500 million EUR |
| Capacity Building in Higher Education | 2 000 million EUR |
| Jean Monnet                           | 500 000 EUR       |

## Budget envelopes for Ukraine (5 million EUR)



For more information on international centralised and decentralised actions:

[https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/funding\\_en](https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/funding_en)

## Ukraine within EU Programme Erasmus+

In the context of Erasmus+ Calls 2014-2018, **Ukraine achieved the following results:**

- **KA1: International Credit Mobility: 7 235 scholarships** for students (bachelor, master, PhD) and staff: **5 271 students and staff from Ukraine** are funded to visit the EU HEIs; and **1 964 European students and staff** are selected to visit Ukraine for short-term learning mobility activities. The total grant allocated amounts to **24,4 ML Euro**.
- **KA1: Degree Mobility: 201 Ukrainian students** have been individually granted for **187 Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters Degree Programmes** in the European Universities. And, **14 Ukrainians** benefited from the Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorate Programmes.
- **Mobility for Youth: 6 500 young people and youth workers** from Ukraine are involved in Youth Action projects with their counterparts from Europe.
- **KA2: Capacity Building in the Field of Higher Education: 30 projects** have been implementing with participation of Ukrainian 150 different stakeholders (90 HEIs, NGOs, companies, associations, research institutions and enterprises). The total grant allocated amounts to **20 ML Euro**.
- **KA2: Capacity Building of Youth: 47 projects were selected** for funding with participation of **35 Ukrainian organizations** in partnerships with European and Eastern Partnership countries, including **18 as coordinators**. There 2 universities among the winners. Total EU-funded grant amounts at **4 736 042 Euro**.
- **KA2: Strategic Partnership in the Field of Higher Education: 4 projects** on Information Security and Entrepreneurship is under implementation with Ukrainian universities as partners.
- **KA2: Strategic Partnerships in Adult Education: 4 projects** under implementation with Ukrainian NGOs as partners.
  - **Strategic Partnerships project in the field of Schools: 1 project** in partnership with Ukrainian NGO. The total grant allocated amounts to **222 904 ML Euro**.
- **KA2: Strategic Partnership in Youth: 5 projects** with Ukrainian NGOs as partners.
- **Policy Reform Actions for Dialogue between young people and policy makers: 36 projects** with Ukrainian NGOs as partners.
- **Jean Monnet Actions: 55 projects** were selected for funding, including **41 Modules, 1 Centre of Excellence, 4 Chairs, 4 Projects and 5 Support for Associations projects**, implemented in the field of European Studies by **34 Ukrainian HEIs, 1 research institution and 8 NGOs**. The total grant allocated amounts to over **1,7 ML Euro**.
- **Sport Action: Collaborative Partnerships: 2 projects** involving Ukrainian partners are on-going.
- **Erasmus+ School Education** are open for Ukraine within Erasmus+ under **E-Twinning**.

## Useful links and materials

National Erasmus+ Office in Ukraine (EU-funded project) – <http://erasmusplus.org.ua/>

Delegation of the European Union to Ukraine – [https://eeas.europa.eu/delegations/ukraine\\_en](https://eeas.europa.eu/delegations/ukraine_en)

EU-Ukraine Relations: [https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage\\_en/4081/%20EU-Ukraine%20relations,%20factsheet](https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage_en/4081/%20EU-Ukraine%20relations,%20factsheet)

Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine – <https://mon.gov.ua/ua>

Ukrainian State Center for International Education (HEIs database) – <http://studyinukraine.gov.ua/>

ENIC-NARIC Network (National Information Center for Academic Mobility) –

<http://enic.in.ua/index.php/en/>

Law of Ukraine "On Higher Education" (2014) – English language translation:

[http://erasmusplus.org.ua/images/phocadownload/HERE\\_doc/HE%20LAW\\_en%201.docx](http://erasmusplus.org.ua/images/phocadownload/HERE_doc/HE%20LAW_en%201.docx)

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Database of Erasmus+ projects with Ukrainian organisations –

<http://erasmusplus.org.ua/en/tempus-iv/projects-news-and-database.html>

Ukrainian Partner Search – <http://erasmusplus.org.ua/en/partners-search.html>

Erasmus+ under E-Twinning – <http://www.etwinning.com.ua/>

ERASMUS+ Youth. Information Centre in Ukraine – <https://www.facebook.com/EPlus.Ukraine/>

