

Erasmus+ Key Action 1: Higher education student and staff mobility between Programme and Partner Countries (International Credit Mobility)

## **Eastern Partnership countries**

### Results from the 2015 Call - First round of applications

For over 25 years, Europe has funded the Erasmus programme, which has enabled over 3 million European students to spend part of their studies in another higher education institution (HEI) elsewhere in Europe. Erasmus+ now opens up these opportunities to individuals and organisations from other parts of the world. Through the new Erasmus+ International Credit Mobility action, European HEIs can now apply to their National Agency to set up mobility agreements with their counterparts in Partner Countries around the world, to send and receive students, doctoral candidates and staff. These mobility projects aim to help individual learners acquire skills, to support their professional development and deepen their understanding of cultures. They also aim to increase the capacities, attractiveness and international dimension of the organisations taking part.

Erasmus+ National Agencies in the 33 Programme Countries have now completed the first round of the 2015 selection of projects, for which the total budget for the Eastern Partnership region was €20 million. These selected projects will fund international higher education mobility for over 3,500 participants. Under these EU-funded projects, over 2800 participants from Eastern Partnership countries will come to study or teach in a Programme Country in Europe, while over 600 students, researchers and staff will go to one of the Eastern Partnership countries. Overall, the selected projects plan that some 60% of the mobility will be for students and 40% for staff. These first round results represent about three quarters of the mobility agreements that the programme ultimately aims to fund under the 2015 call. A final update will be provided in January, when the results of the second round of applications are announced, providing the full picture of both rounds.

The selection results are available on the Erasmus+ website: <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/news/2015/0824-international-credit-mobility-selection">http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/news/2015/0824-international-credit-mobility-selection</a> en.htm

For the results per National Agency, please consult the National Agency's website: <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/education/tools/national\_agencies\_en.htm">http://ec.europa.eu/education/tools/national\_agencies\_en.htm</a>



	Incoming participants (to Europe)	Outgoing participants (from Europe)	Total	Grant awarded	Most popular Programme Country
Ukraine	1.388	273	1.661	€6.413.941	Poland
Georgia	563	152	715	€2.985.336	Germany
Azerbaijan	237	81	318	€1.194.556	Turkey
Belarus	247	65	312	€1.115.698	Spain
Moldova (Republic of)	237	27	264	€997.911	Romania
Armenia	218	40	258	€899.019	Italy
Total	2.890	638	3.528	€13.606.461	-

## HEIs with most partnerships per country

Yerevan State University				
Gavar State University				
Baku State University				
Qafqaz University				
Belarusian National Technical University				
Belarusian State University				
Tbilisi State University				
Ilia State University				
Moldova State University				
Technical University of Moldova				
Ivan Franko National University of Lviv				
National Technical University Of Ukraine				
Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv				

#### Learner/staff breakdown



# % incoming and outgoing mobilities



