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# ERASMUS MUNDUS SUPPORT INITIATIVE

#### Enhancing the Erasmus Mundus Experience

An initiative aimed at promoting the Erasmus Mundus community through knowledge sharing and networking



## Who we are?

- A support initiative financed by the European Union and implemented by a consortium of partners:
  - NTT Data
  - Academic Cooperation Association (ACA)
  - DAAD
  - Tipik
- Project period 2023-2026
- Budget: ~3.5 million euros





#### The support initiative is aimed at...

- Promoting and supporting the exchange of experience and good practices among current and future Erasmus Mundus consortia.
- Enhancing networking opportunities and mutual support for various stakeholders.
- Developing a collaborative structure for the community to complement existing initiatives.
- Promoting the Erasmus Mundus programme and showcasing its achievements.



#### Primary target audience

Higher education professionals involved in implementing Erasmus Mundus programmes at their institutions including:

- Consortia coordinators and partners overseeing running Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters (EMJM), Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees (EMJMD) and Erasmus Mundus Design Measures (EMDM) projects.
- Academic staff responsible for programme coordination and curriculum development.
- Administrative staff involved in programme design and delivery, including student recruitment, and mobility support matters (faculty and department/programme level).
- Administrative staff involved in overseeing and coordinating the institution's Erasmus Mundus portfolio (central level).



#### Secondary target audience

A wide range of stakeholders involved or interested in the Erasmus Mundus programme:

- Potential applicants to Erasmus Mundus calls.
- Dedicated associations and university networks (e.g., Erasmus Mundus Alumni Association, ESAA, EMACT, ProDeJIP).
- National Agencies, Erasmus+ Offices and Focal Points worldwide.
- Other interested higher education institutions and their alliances or networks involved in joint degree programmes or other types of transnational cooperation partnerships.



# What kind of support?

- Facilitate **peer learning and exchanges** between the existing Erasmus Mundus consortia through a range of activities:
  - An online Community of Practice platform.
  - Annual large-scale onsite conferences.
  - Thematic/regional hybrid seminars.
- Celebrate the Erasmus Mundus programme's 20th anniversary with an impact study and an anniversary conference.



# What kind of support?

- Organise study visits to showcase and promote good practices.
- Host worldwide webinars to raise awareness about the Erasmus Mundus program among potential applicants.
- Facilitate the development of newly-selected Erasmus Mundus grant holders through a mentoring scheme.
- Develop case studies, articles, and other communication materials to highlight the successes of Erasmus Mundus.



### How can I benefit?

- Connect and collaborate with fellow Erasmus Mundus stakeholders to build a supportive community that fosters the exchange of ideas and experiences.
- Enhance your skills and capacities through targeted resources and support.
- Stay informed about the latest and most relevant programme information.
- Benefit from customised content and resources tailored to your needs.
- Gain increased visibility and recognition for your institution's achievements



#### How can I participate?

- Join the Community of Practice for updates, networking, and experience sharing.
- Share your success stories with written and video testimonials.
- Actively participate in events and encourage your colleagues to join as well.
- Engage in mentoring activities and become a mentor for newly-selected EM grant holders.
- Provide feedback and contribute to the improvement of the programme.
- Collaborate on joint projects or initiatives with other Erasmus Mundus institutions.

