

# **International Credit Mobility - Call 2019**

From 2015, Erasmus+ funds Erasmus-like student and staff mobility to and from Partner Countries outside Europe. This note is intended to help higher education institutions in "Programme Countries", who will apply for funding, to tailor their applications taking into account the EU's priorities and the available budgets.

Mobility can be both incoming to Europe and outgoing from Europe and the funding for this comes from the EU's budget for external cooperation, which means that this action has to follow the EU's external priorities.

The different regions of the world are grouped into a series of ring-fenced budget envelopes, which are detailed as follows:

#### **Instrument for Pre-Accession**

Region 1 – IPA Western Balkans	Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo, Montenegro
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### **European Neighbourhood Instrument**

Region 2 – ENI Eastern Partnersh		Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Territory of Ukraine as recognised by international law
Region 3 – ENI South-Mediterrane	ean Countries	Algeria, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Palestine, Syria, Tunisia
Region 4 – ENI Russian Federation	on	Territory of Russia as recognised by international law

# **Development Co-operation Instrument**

Region 6 - DCI Asia	Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, China, DPR Korea, India, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Vietnam
Region 7 – DCI Central Asia	Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan
Region 8 – DCI Latin America	Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Venezuela
Region 9 – DCI Middle east	Iran, Iraq, Yemen
Region 10 – DCI South Africa	South Africa (not available in 2019)

### **Partnership Instrument**

PI Industrialised Americas	Canada, United States of America, Chile, Uruguay
PI Industrialised Asia	Australia, Brunei, Hong Kong, Japan, (Republic of) Korea, Macao, New Zealand, Singapore, Taiwan



# **European Development Fund / ACP**

Region 11 - African, Caribbean and Pacific states (ACP)	Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Congo -Democratic Republic of the, Cook Islands, Djibouti, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Fiji, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Grenada, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Kenya, Kiribati, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Marshall Islands, Mauritania, Mauritius, Micronesia-Federated States of, Mozambique, Namibia, Nauru, Niger, Nigeria, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Rwanda, Saint Kitts And Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent And The Grenadines, Samoa, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Solomon Islands, Somalia, South Sudan, Sudan, Suriname, Swaziland, Timor Leste - Democratic Republic of, Tanzania, Togo, Tonga, Trinidad and Tobago, Tuvalu, Uganda, Vanuatu, Zambia, Zimbabwe.
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### **Windows**

Tunisia Window	Tunisia
Juncker North Africa Window	Algeria, Egypt, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia
Juncker West Africa Window	Benin, Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Chad, Côte
	d'Ivoire, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea Bissau, Liberia, Mali,
	Mauritania, Niger, Nigeria, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Togo

# **NEWS 2019**

- The European Commission has opened new "windows" for the Call 2019 (see above)
- AEF-Europe decided to use part of the intra-European funding to fund outgoing short, first and second cycle students to Partners HEIs, representing an amount of 107.059,00 €.
- Uruguay and Chile are removed from DCI and are now part of PI Americas
  Project duration: 24 or 36 months for projects starting on the 1st August of the same year (2019)



# Available budget for BE-Fr:

ENI SOUTH	348.266,27 €
ENI EAST	247.769,68 €
Tunisia Window	60.000,00 €
Juncker North Africa Window	50.000,00 €
Russia (ENI & PI)	134.375,45 €
Asia	282.811,61 €
Central Asia	58.831,64 €
Middle East	34.719,19 €
Latin America	90.009,02 €
EDF	68.925,58 €
Juncker West Africa Window	75.000,00 €
IPA	123.878,32 €
Management costs IPA	1.689,79 €
Ind. Americas	76.963,50 €
Ind. Asia	69.867,69 €
TOTAL	1.723.107,74 €



# Geographical balance:

Budget envelope	Rule
Region 1 - Western Balkans	No rule for incoming vs outgoing mobility
Region 2 - Eastern Partnership Countries	No rule for incoming vs outgoing mobility
Region 3 - South-Mediterranean Countries	
Region 4 - Russian Federation	No rule for incoming vs outgoing mobility
	intra-European funding available for outgoing short, first and second cycle students
Region 6 - DCI Asia	<ul> <li>at least 25% for Afghanistan Bangladesh, Cambodia, Laos, Nepal, Bhutan &amp; Myanmar</li> <li>maximum 30% for India &amp; China combined</li> </ul>
Region 8 - Latin America	intra-European funding available for outgoing short, first and second cycle students
	<ul> <li>at least 25% for Bolivia, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras &amp; Nicaragua</li> <li>maximum 35% for Brazil &amp; Mexico combined</li> </ul>
Region 7 - Central Asia	intra-European funding available for outgoing short, first and second cycle students
Region 9 – Middle East	intra-European funding available for outgoing short, first and second cycle students
Region 11 - EDF / ACP countries	intra-European funding available for outgoing short, first and second cycle students
West Africa Trust Fund Window	intra-European funding available for outgoing short, first and second cycle students  West Africa Trust Fund Window projects should primarily benefit the African institutions and individuals. The expected results are twofold: enhanced mobility of higher education students in Africa; and reinforced capacity for West African teachers and their HEIs in managing international mobility. The focus of European staff going to Africa should be to support the mobility activities of the project by mentoring the students and providing coaching for the African HEIs.
PI Americas	No rule for incoming vs outgoing mobility
PI Asia	No rule for incoming vs outgoing mobility
Heading 1: Faroe Islands, Switzerland	Only outgoing traineeship mobility in 'digital skills'

In addition to the rules listed in the table, **geographical balance is a general rule for all multi-country envelopes** which will be enforced at Commission level and for which NAs will have the possibility to take corrective measures during the evaluation process in order to spread the available budgets as widely as possible.