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OPENING MINDS

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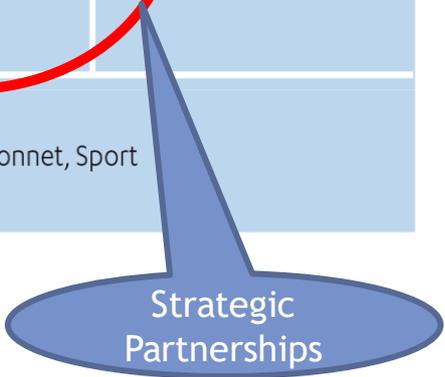
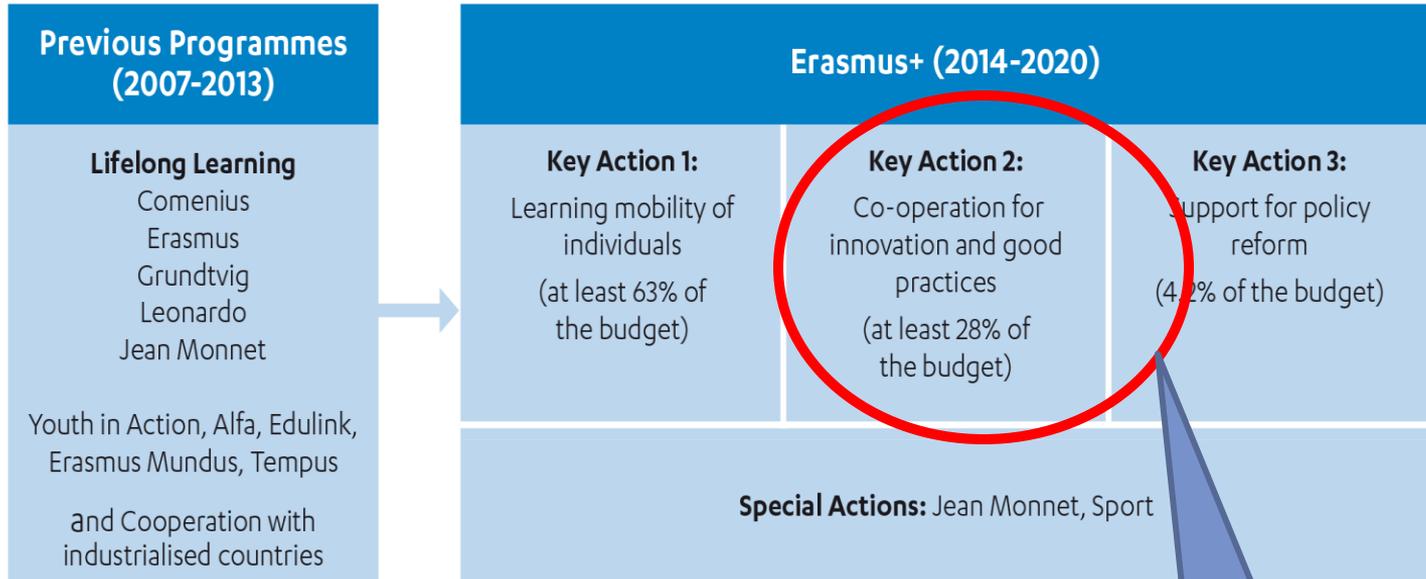
School
education

Vocational
education
and training

Higher
education

Adult
education

Youth



KEY ACTION 1. LEARNING MOBILITY OF INDIVIDUALS

Programme countries:

- 28 EU countries
- Iceland, Lichtenstein, Norway
- Turkey, North Macedonia, Serbia





➤ For whom?

VET learners + recent graduates

➤ Duration?

From 2 weeks to 12 months

➤ Where?

At a workplace or a VET school (with periods of work-based learning), in another Programme Country

➤ Who applies?

VET organisation or consortium located in a Programme Country

- Aim? raising competences and skills of teachers, trainers and other staff
- Duration? from 2 days to 2 months, excl. travel
- Scope? between Programme Countries
- Where?
 - Teaching or training assignment at a partner institution abroad
 - Staff training in the form of a work placement or job shadowing/observation period abroad in an enterprise or any other VET organisation
- Who applies?
VET organisation or consortium located in a Programme Country

UNIT COSTS

- ✓ **Travel** - grant per distance band
- ✓ **Individuals' support** - grant per day or per month
- ✓ **Organisational support** - grant per participant
- ✓ **Linguistic support** - grant per participant (*only for VET learners*)



REAL COSTS

- Special needs - to contribute to participation costs of disabled persons
- Exceptional costs - exceptional costs directly related to mobility (e.g. visa, residence permits) and to participation of young people with fewer opportunities (e.g. reinforced volunteer mentorship)





WHERE TO APPLY?

To the National Agency of the country in which the applicant organisation is established

http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/contact/national-agencies_en

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KEY ACTION 2 - STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS

Strategic Partnerships aim to support the development, transfer and/or implementation of innovative practices as well as the implementation of joint initiatives promoting cooperation, peer learning and exchanges of experience at European level.

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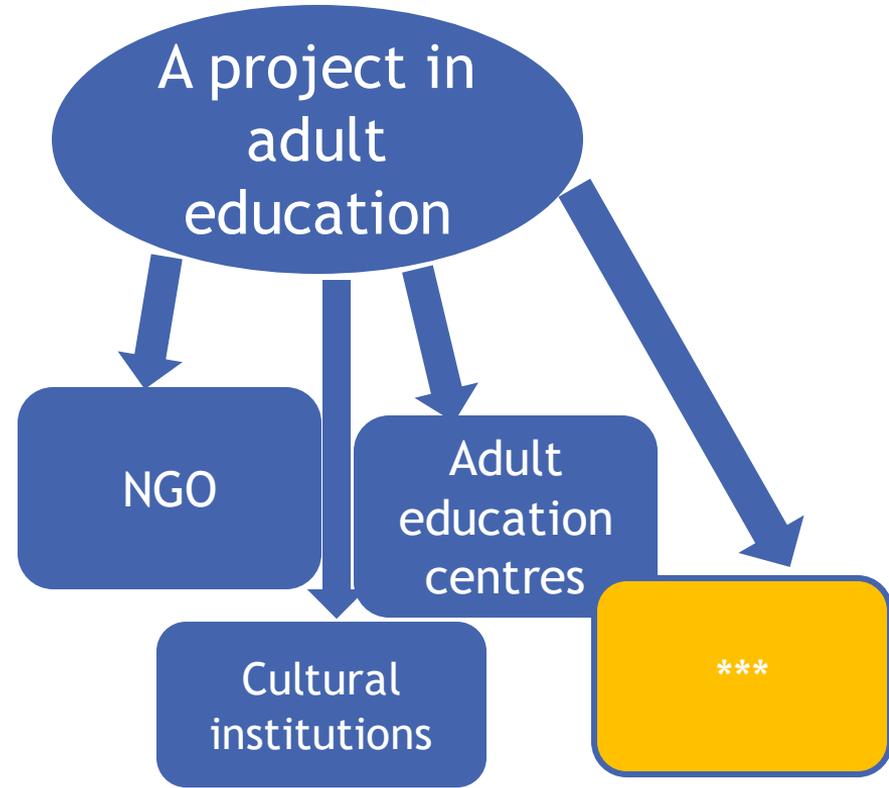
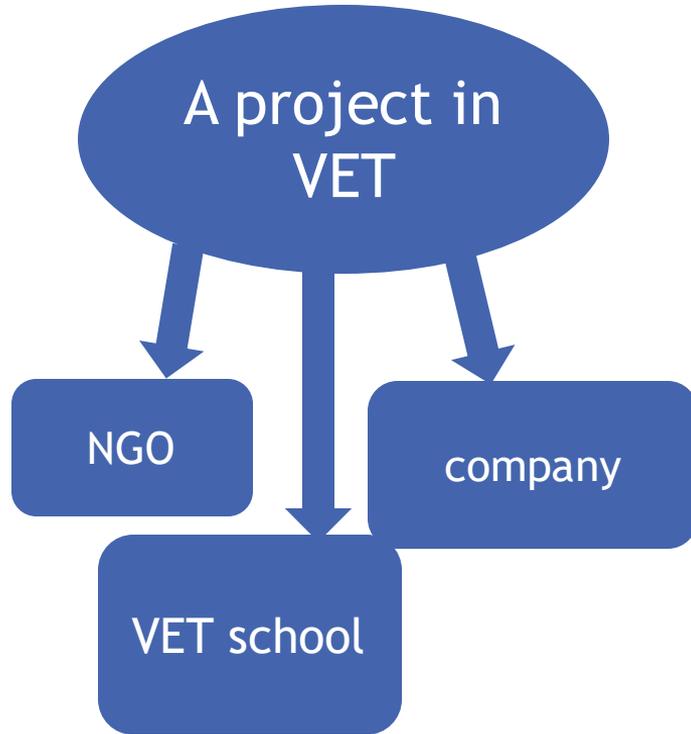


A Strategic Partnership is transnational
and involves minimum

3 organisations from 3 different Programme Countries

- One organisation submits an application on behalf of all participating organisations involved in the project
- Any type of public or private organisation which has legal entity - established in a Programme Country **(except sole traders!)**





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Partner countries:

- All other countries of the world (only if they bring essential added value to the project - if this condition is not met, the entire project will be rejected just because of this!).

Two types of the Strategic Partnerships:

- ***Strategic Partnerships supporting innovation:***

to develop innovative outputs, intensive dissemination and exploitation activities of existing and newly produced products or innovative ideas. Applicants have the possibility to request a dedicated budget for Intellectual Outputs and Multiplier Events in order to directly answer to the innovation aspect of the Action

- ***Strategic Partnerships supporting exchange of good practices:***

to develop and reinforce networks, increase capacity to operate at transnational level, share and confront ideas, practices and methods

Depending on project objectives and nature of partners, projects will be of **different scales**. Applications are assessed **proportionally**.

Exchange of good practices



Support of Innovation



Where to apply: to the National Agency of the country in which the coordinating organisation is established

How to apply: via online application (link to be found on NA website)

Duration of the project: 12-36 months

Project start date: between 1 September and 31 December 2020

Number of applications allowed per institution: no limit (as applicant or partner)

BUT the same group of partners may submit only one application and to only one National Agency in a given year



When to apply?

24 March 2020

at 12:00:00
midday Brussel time

STRATEGIC because:

- they are carried out **by organisations**, not individuals;
- they are strategic for all partners and **in line with their mission**;
- they **produce impact** on these institutions



PARTNERSHIPS because:

- they **cannot be implemented by one organisation** or by several organisations from the same country
- they **bring added value** at EU level

A minimum requirement - each project has to be relevant to at least one of the priorities defined in the Erasmus+ Programme Guide, either **horizontal priorities**, or **specific for the field targeted by the project** (in our case: **adult education**).

Projects which are not really relevant to at least one priority will be rejected!

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- **Supporting opportunities for all in acquiring and developing key competences, including basic skills**
- **Social inclusion**
- **Environmental and climate goals**
- **Innovative practices in a digital era**
- **Common values, civic engagement and participation**
- **Supporting educators, youth workers, educational leaders and support staff**
- **Transparency and recognition of skills and qualifications**
- **Sustainable investment, quality and efficiency of education, training and youth systems**
- **Social and educational value of European cultural heritage**



Strategic Partnership can have impact on only one field, e.g. school education, or on several fields, e.g. school education and VET.

Cross-sectoral projects are welcome!



Even in cross-sectoral projects the consortium has to choose which field is **most impacted** by the project at application stage and fill in the correct application form (for this particular field).

NECESSARY ELEMENTS OF STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS

Analysis

Aims

Activities

Results

Dissemination



✓ Project Management and Implementation

Project management (e.g. planning, finances, coordination and communication between partners, etc.); small scale learning/teaching/training materials, tools, approaches etc. Virtual cooperation and local project activities; information, promotion and dissemination (e.g. brochures, leaflets, web information, etc.).

✓ Transnational Project Meetings

Participation in meetings between project partners and hosted by one of the participating organisations for implementation and coordination purposes. Contribution to travel and subsistence costs.

✓ Learning, teaching and training activities

- **Short term activities (3/5 days - 2 months):**

- *Joint staff training events* (small groups of training and education staff go for e.g. study visits, discussion workshops, training courses connected with the topic of Strategic Partnership, from 3 days up to 2 months in total)
- *Blended mobility of learners/pupils* combining short term physical mobility (from 5 days up to 2 months in total) with virtual mobility (ICT e.g. videoconferencing, social media)

- **Long term activities (60 days - 12 months):**

- *Teaching and training assignments of staff* (e.g. educational staff teach or work in a partner institution)

✓ Intellectual outputs

Intellectual outputs/tangible deliverables of the project (such as curricula, pedagogical and work materials, open educational resources (OER), IT tools, analyses, studies, peer-learning methods, etc.)

✓ Multiplier events

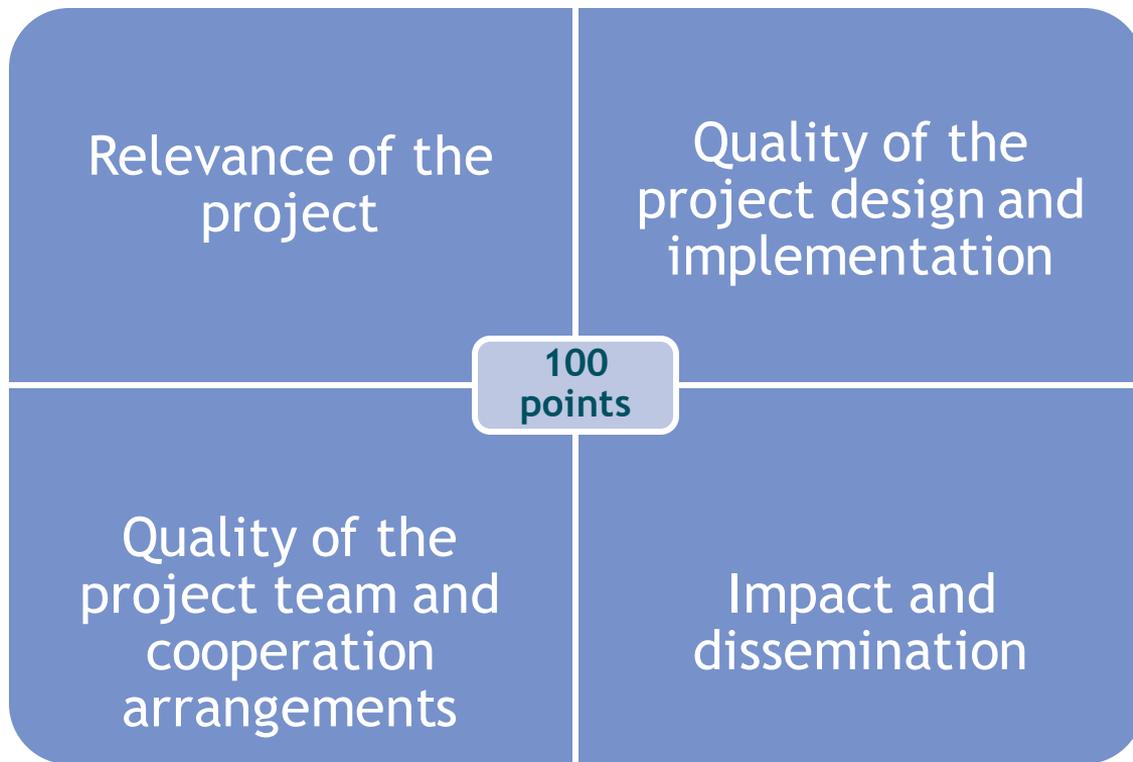
Contribution to the costs linked to national and transnational conferences, seminars, events sharing and disseminating the intellectual outputs realised by the project (excluding costs for travel and subsistence of representatives of participating organisations involved in the project).

Points per criterion:

1. **Relevance 30 points**
2. **Design 20 points**
3. **Team 20 points**
4. **Impact 30 points**

TOTAL: 100 points

MINIMUM: 60 points
overall and **50% of points**
in each criterion!



min 12
months

150 000 €
Maximum grant
awarded per year

max 36
months

450 000 €
Maximum grant
awarded per project

12 500 €
Maximum grant
awarded per month

Project`s budget

- Coordinator applies for the budget of the whole partnership

Financial model

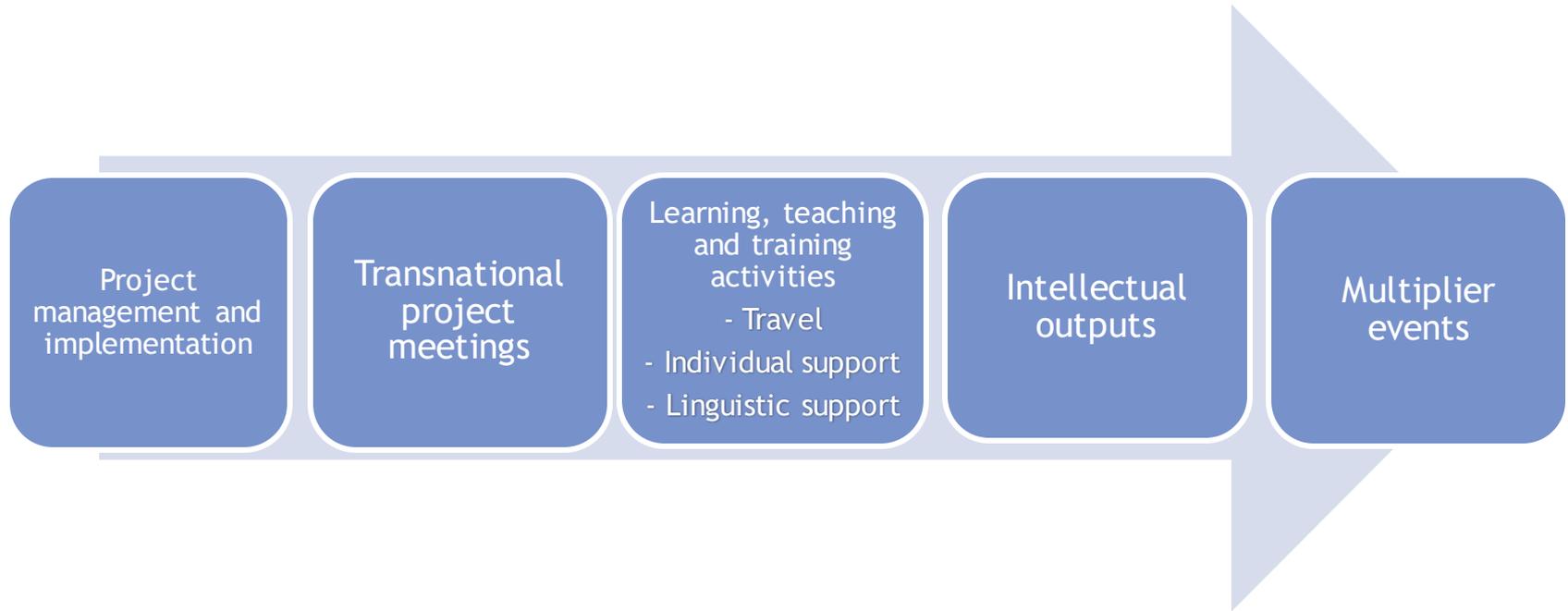
- Exchange of good practices versus Strategic Partnerships with Intellectual Outputs
- Budget calculated based on designed activities

KA2 TYPES OF PROJECT `S COSTS

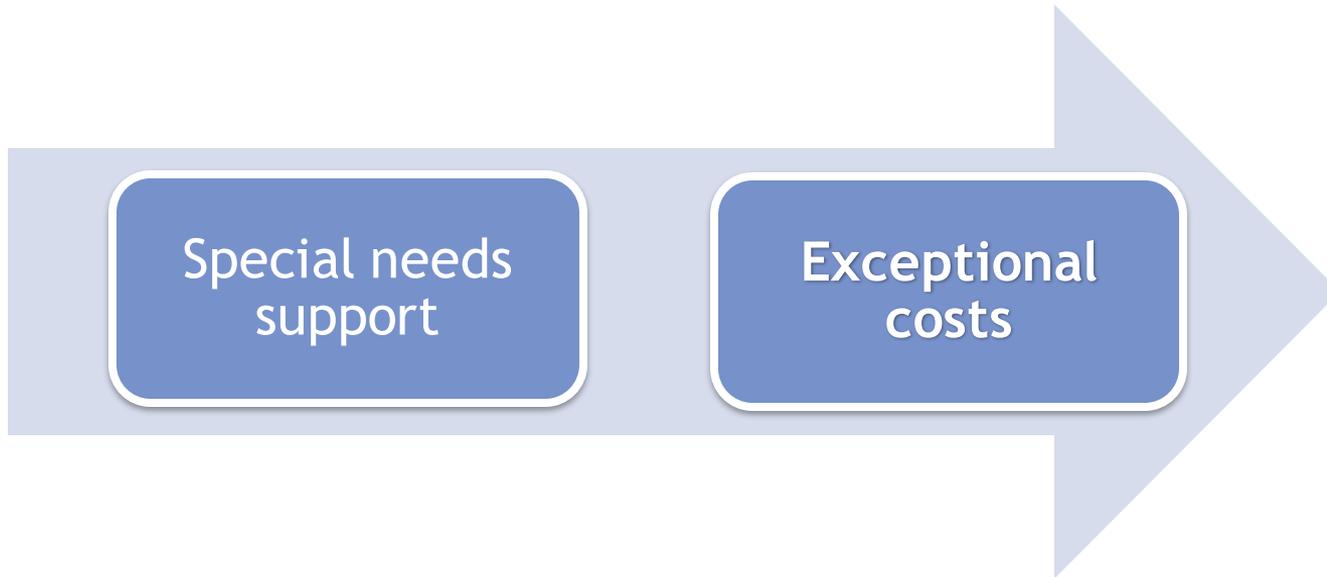
Unit costs

Real costs

KA2 UNIT COSTS



KA2 REAL COSTS



- Some budget categories cannot exceed a certain limit indicated in the Erasmus+ Programme Guide
- The amount of EU funding should not be understood as equal to the actual project costs, which may be higher.
- Distance Calculator: https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator_en
- Please consult National Agency staff for more details, although this contact seminar is not to think deeply about money but to design challenging project ideas, find perfect partners and imagine yourself working together somewhere in an amazing place in Europe 😊

WHAT'S NEXT?

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GENERAL CONCEPT:

- Evolution not revolution
- 2-3 times more money (not from the very first year)
- Inclusive approach - easier access to the programme for newcomers/grassroot organisations
- One lump sum for the project (in majority project types)
- 2 Actions managed by National Agencies: Learning Mobility and Strategic Partnerships

- **Still: mobility of staff and pupils (in AE: adult educators only)**
- Possible mobilities to study visits
- New option: **hosting experts who will provide training**
- New approach in all sectors- **accreditation** („Erasmus+ pass”)
 - CALL should be announced May 2020
 - deadline: October 2020
- For organisations with less experience/needs: individual applications (as before)

STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS

- Smaller scale partnerships (easier application) and more ambitious ones
- In bigger-scale projects: sustainable results, not necessary innovative
- AE sector: group motilities of adult learners form low skilled target gropus (to be defined by each country)

QUIZ

**WE ARE CHECKING
WHAT YOU HAVE LEARNT 😊**

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