



#### **Degree mobility**

# Joint Master Programmes of excellent quality offered by a consortium of Universities to attract the very best students worldwide

- სტუდენტებისათვის დაფინანსებული სწავლა
- პროფესორებისათვის სწავლების საშუალება მიწვეული
   ლექტორის სტატუსით
- უნივერსიტეტებისათვის პარტნიორობა კონსორციუმში



## **Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees are**

#### Highly integrated international master programmes

- Supported & Selected and by the European Commission/EACEA
- Developed & delivered by a **consortium** of Programme country
   & if relevant also Partner country universities
- That include a mandatory study period in at least two different Programme Countries (EU 28 + EEA + MK + TK)
- That lead to the award of fully recognised joint or multiple degrees



## Taking part as an organisation

- EMJMDs are open to any public or private organisation located in Programme or Partner Countries
  - Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)
  - Non-academic partners (enterprises, non-profit organisations, NGOs, foundations, etc.)
- Applicant must be a HEI established in a Programme Country.
   The HEI applies on behalf of the JMD consortium
- Minimum consortium composition: at least 3 HEIs as full partners from at least 3 different Programme Countries
- Associated partners (optional): contribute indirectly to the implementation of specific tasks/activities, e.g. dissemination, knowledge and skills transfer, complementary courses or possibilities for secondment or placement.
   For contractual management issues: not considered as part of the EMJMD consortium



## Financial Support will be awarded for:

- The management of the consortium and the implementation of the EMJMD for 3 consecutive intakes
  - Fixed total budget for the 3 intakes
     (between 13-20 scholarships per intake → 39-60 per grant agreement
- Supporting the costs of invited scholars/guest lecturers contributing to the delivery and the excellence of the EMJMD
- High level students scholarships awarded to the best master students worldwide



## **Student Scholarship holders will:**

- Receive a full scholarship covering their tuition fees, travel and living costs
- Be covered by health and accident insurance
- Study (perform research, undergo a placement) in at least
   two different Programme Countries of the EMJMD consortium
- Be awarded a fully recognised joint or multiple degree (comprising a Joint Diploma Supplement) after having successfully completed their master
- Join the Erasmus+ Student and Alumni Association
- Students apply directly to the Higher Education Institutions
- http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/funding/key-action-1-joint-master-degrees en
   (მიმდინარე პროგრამები)



# **Grant – Budget for Organisation & Individual**

- → EU Grant will be indicatively around 3 million EUR
- → EU Grant is paid to the selected Applicant = Coordinator = Beneficiary

#### 1. To the attention of the Organisation - HEI

- ➤ **Lump sum** for consortium management (including invited scholars/guest lecturers; at least 4 invited scholars/guest lecturers per intake, during a period of min. 8 weeks)
- > 170 000 EUR => 20 000 EUR for the preparatory year + 50 000 EUR per intake



### **Grant - Budget for Organisation & Individual**

- 2. To the attention of the Individual = Student (1/2)
- maximum 25 000 EUR per academic year and per scholarship
- actual amount of the individual scholarships will vary in accordance with
  - a) the EMJMD length (60, 90 or 120 ECTS)
  - b) the student country/region of residence
  - c) the EMJMD participation costs



### **Grant - Budget for Organisation & Individual**

### 2. To the attention of the Individual = Student (2/2)

#### Practically student scholarships include:

Type of allowance	Amount
Travel allowance	1 000 to 3 000 EUR per academic year
Installation allowance	1 000 EUR (Partner Country students only)
Fixed monthly allowance	1 000 EUR - all students
Participation costs/Tuition fees	<ul> <li>MAX. 9 000 EUR / year (Partner Country student)</li> <li>4 500 EUR / year (Programme Country student)</li> </ul>



### **EMJMD Award Criteria**

Projects will be assessed against the following criteria:

- Relevance of the project (max 30 points)
- Quality of the project design and implementation (max 25 points)
- Quality of the project team & the cooperation arrangements (max 20 pts)
- Impact and dissemination (max 25 points)

To be **considered for funding**, proposals must score at least **70 points** overall



- **First step**: **75%** (22,5 points) of the maximum allocated points for "relevance"
- Second step: 60% of the maximum allocated points for each of the remaining award criteria



# Additional Award Criteria for Additional Scholarships

ADDITIONAL MOBILITY SCHEMES FOR STUDENTS FROM SPECIFIC (SUB-)
REGIONS OF THE WORLD - ADDITIONAL BUDGET (DEDICATED TO EU
EXTERNAL ACTIONS TOWARDS DEVELOPMENT)

"HEADING 4 OF THE EU BUDGET PERSPECTIVES"

The applicants may apply for **additional scholarships** for one or more **regions / sub regions / countries**) of the world:

Asia, Central Asia, Middle East, South Africa, Latin America, Eastern - Southern neighbours, Gulf countries

Only projects that have passed the first step of the selection will be assessed against the **additional criterion**, which will be **addressed per region**.



# Additional Award Criteria for Additional Scholarships

- → Indicatively, the consortia may receive up to 4 additional student scholarships per intake per EMJMD edition (3 intakes/editions per contract → indicatively up to 12 scholarships)
- → ADDITIONAL AWARD CRITERION Relevance of the project in the targeted region (maximum 5 points / per region)

to be considered for funding must score at least 2.5 points (for the region concerned)

→ TOTAL ADDITIONAL BUDGET: AROUND 25 MIO €.



## Ahead of us

Deadline: 4 March 2015

ტრენინგი: 15 დეკემებრი 2014

გზამკვლევში: გვ. 93-103

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