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#StandWithUkraine



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We value your care, help, support and solidarity which make us stronger – [video!](#)



Education and Erasmus+ Generation before and during the war

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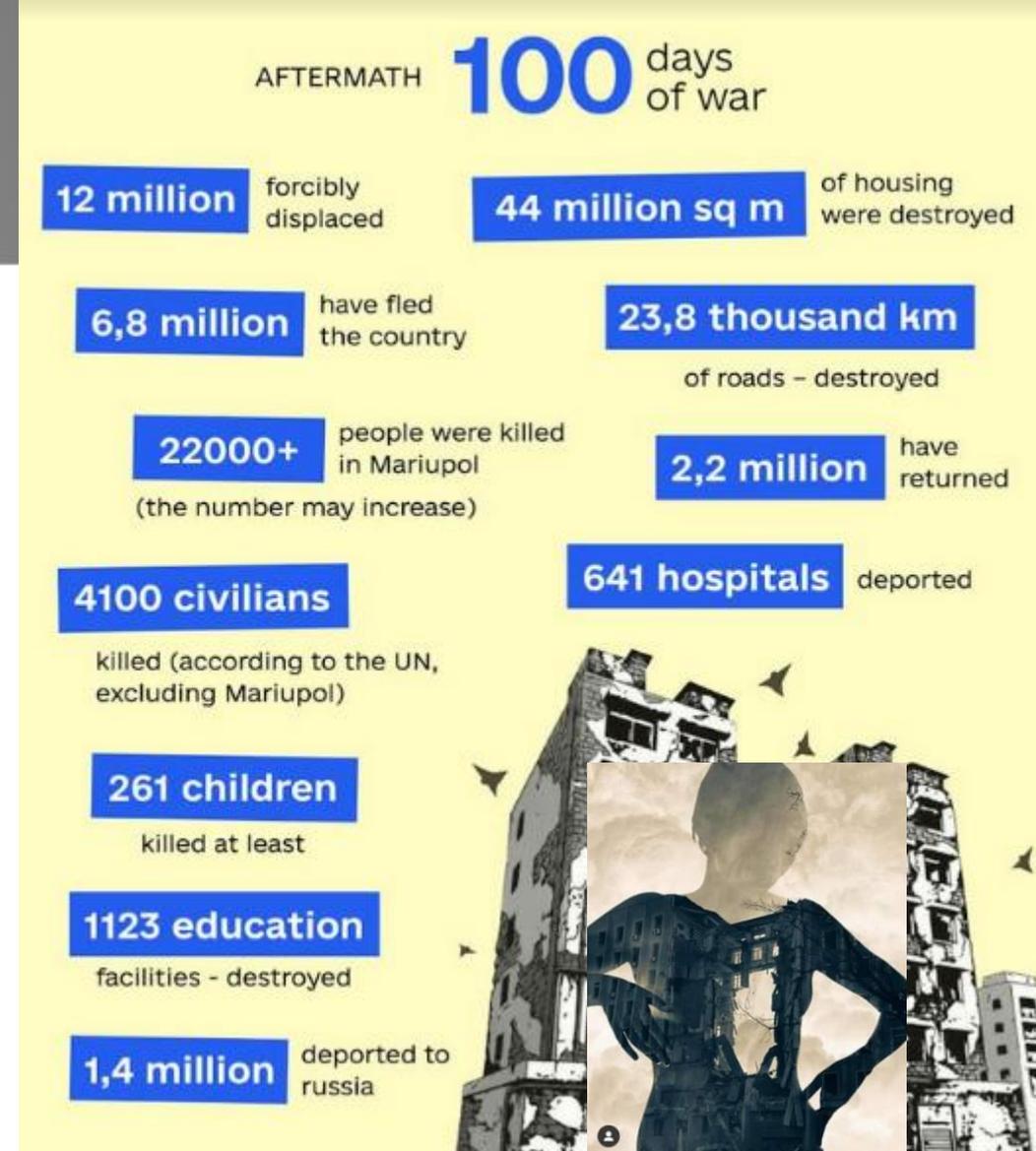


- Ukraine is under attack
- Ukrainian Education Status before and during war
- Challenges in education
- Responses and solutions at the national and international
- EU's Programme special guides and flexibility
- Current needs at the individual, institutional, national and Erasmus+ levels
- Opportunities to cooperate with Ukraine under Erasmus+ calls
- National Erasmus+ Office team role and contacts

War against humanity

8 years and 231 Days (12.09.22)

- Ukraine suffers from the brutal and large scale military aggression by russian federation
- The aggressors troops are attacking Ukrainian cities, shooting civilians, kidnapping, raping kids, women and men, bombarding kindergartens, [schools](#), [universities](#), [hospitals](#), [cultural centers](#) etc.
- Students, young people, academics and researchers are dying defending civilization, nation and values!!!
- High price is paying by the people of Ukraine!



Ukraine now as the [Erasmus students see it \(video\)](#)!

Picture from Anastasia Zebek

Ukraine is under attack

A new reality for the certificate of birth for a kid from Ukraine, if her parents are killed or this small Ukrainian girl died, kidnaped or get lost....



- [416 children are killed, more than 784 are injured](#), 7894 deported

This data does not include information from areas where the active hostilities take place.

- [6221 civilians are killed, plus over 87 000 in Mariupol \(tbc\)](#)
- [9371 civilians are injured](#)
- 131 000 homes of civilians are destroyed and ruined
- Over 2 mln. Ukrainians were forced to go to [russia](#)
- 3 mln. people: in the territories under invasion
- [11.98 million people displaced](#) due to the war against Ukraine, over 6,8 mln. abroad; 5,3 mln. returned back
- out of 10.5 mln. young people: 2 mln. are internally displaced and 2 mln. are abroad!
- [2608 education institutions have suffered bombing and shelling](#)
- [313 educational institutions have been destroyed completely](#)



200 days of Russia's all-out war in numbers

Sources: Office of UN High Commissioner for Human Rights, President Volodymyr Zelensky, President's Office, Prosecutor General's Office

5,767 civilians killed	383 children killed	2 mln civilians illegally deported by Russia	31,814 Russian war crimes under investigation
8,292 civilians injured	747 children injured	233 children missing	3,500 missiles fired by Russia

Universities relocated...

Students recruited and started education



- Where necessary, educational institutions were relocated to the territory controlled by Ukraine's Authorities and continue educational process during war in online/blended formats based on the situation and possibility to ensure shelters and other safety measures.
- 30 higher education institutions, 65 HEI affiliated units and 44 professional pre-higher educational institutions were displaced.

Professional pre-higher and higher education institutions applications - up to 1,14 millions:

- 636,000 for Bachelor and medical Master programs, 202,5000 for Master programs
- 205,600 for professional bachelor programs, 1,700 for junior bachelor programs.
- Largest number of applications submitted to the professional pre-higher and higher education institutions in Kyiv, Lviv, Dnipropetrovsk, and Kharkiv regions.

Ukraine: Where are refugees fleeing to?



Ukraine is defending

Teacher of the medical university, linguistic faculty and many other academics are killed defending Ukraine...

Teacher of the pedagogical college has been shot and many other academics died as civilians defending Ukraine...



- **All Ukraine is under attack every day and night!!!**
- Cities, towns, villages and homes are destroyed and damaged!
- Ukrainian cities/villages in the East and South are under brutal invasion!!!
- E.g. Mykolayiv – city in the south of Ukraine was NOT bombarded only 29 days out of 200....
- 73 youth centers have been destroyed or occupied
- Over 900 hospitals and 500 cultural heritage centers are damaged/destroyed
- Travel/Evacuation within Ukraine/out of Ukraine – not safe
- Access of the teachers, researchers and academics – limited/absent
- Access of the students to institutions – limited/absent
- Universities contacts and documents – not available/ destroyed/relocated
- Educational institutions infrastructures for digital/blended education – partially not available/destroyed/relocated, payments are under delay.

International Relation Officers, Erasmus+ Coordinators, EU & other international project teams, their families, Erasmus students – are in danger at the territories under invasion...

Stand Up for Ukraine!

#Erasmuswithoutrussia

This smiling Ukrainian student stays a student of Taras Shevchenko National University for ever....
Another Ukrainian was killed just because of the EU flag on his keys lace...



- Ukrainians are defending the identity, values and humanity strongly, protesting in front of tanks and guns in the cities under invasion vs russians benefiting from the opportunities abroad!!!
- 280 rectors of universities in the russian federation signed a letter in support of the russian aggression against Ukraine!!!
- Majority of this HEIs benefited from EU's Programmes!
- russians who behaved unhuman torturing Ukrainians, raping and killing women and kids were educated in the period of Bologna Process implementation in russia and active support of EU to russian universities, staff, students and young people!!!

Every day Ukrainian youth, students and staff are dying defending Ukraine and Europe with bravery instead of enjoying life, studying, living and Erasmusing!

They haven't chosen military profession they choose freedom and dignity – [video](#)!!!

Over 3 500 cruise missiles were targeted by russians to the territory of Ukraine recognised by the international law!!!

Sanctions

School graduation in Ukrainian Kharkiv 2022.
What are your memories of this important day?
[video](#)



Sanctions - #Erasmuswithoutrussia – at the [link](#)

Erasmus+ projects with russia and belarus are terminated!

The cooperation with organisations funded by the state budget is NOT eligible

The individual opportunities for russians/belorusions* are still eligible if applicable.

Based on its Academic/organisational Freedom it is up to the Erasmus Universities

and other organisations on how to apply it, at least ask the attitude to the war when they arrive...

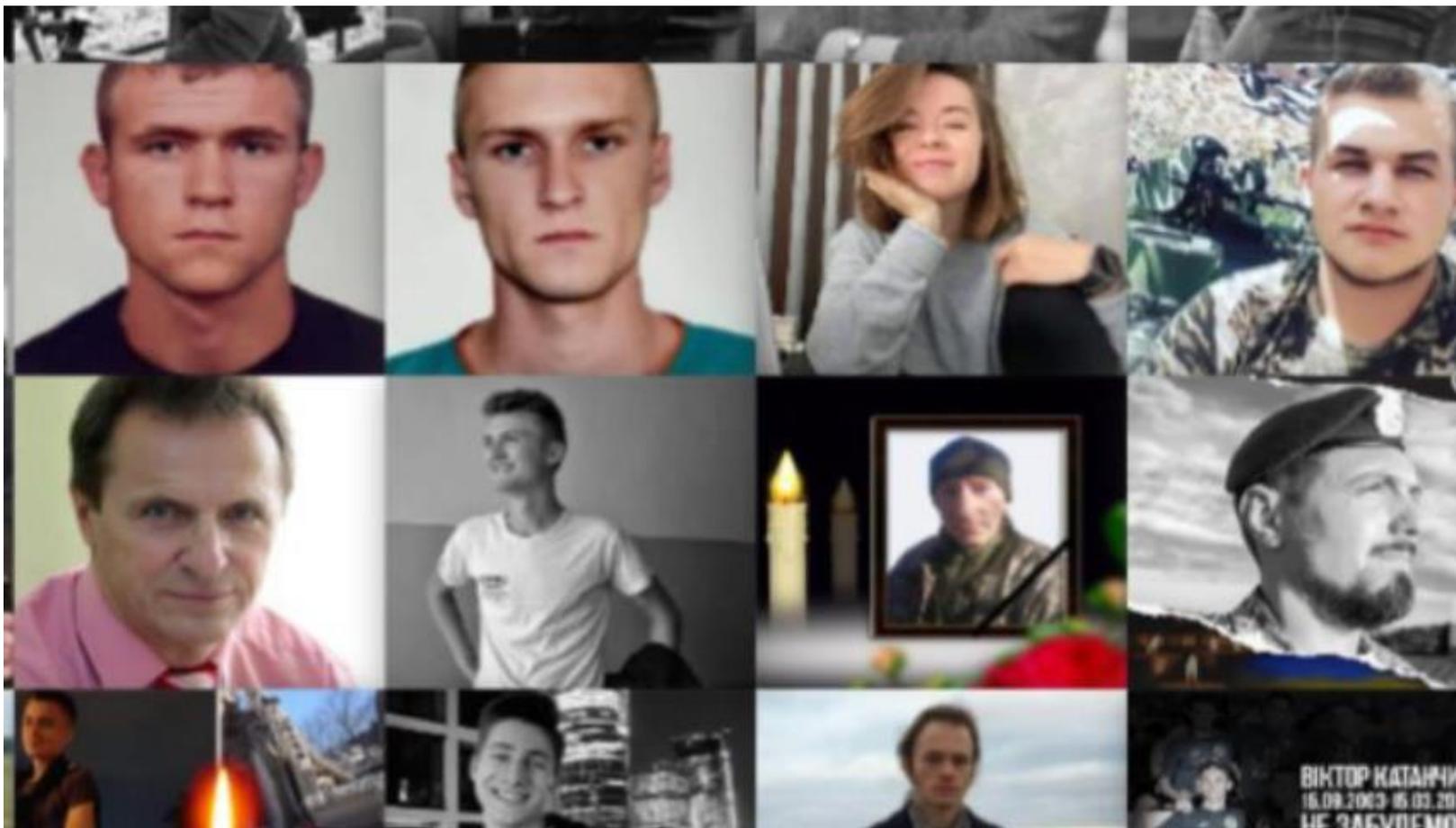
Please do the right choice – choose people from Ukraine, we are defending the future of Europe!

Stop recognition of russian diplomas, they are not in Bologna Process any more!

PLEASE DO NOT provide similarities via joint **support** platforms for Ukrainians, Russians, and Belarusians: do not equal those suffering from a bloody war with those whose **governments directly support war and terrorism** – ‘victims of war’ ≠ ‘victims of totalitarian regime’.

Ukrainians are not refugees – not refused by our country... but temporary relocated/under protection.

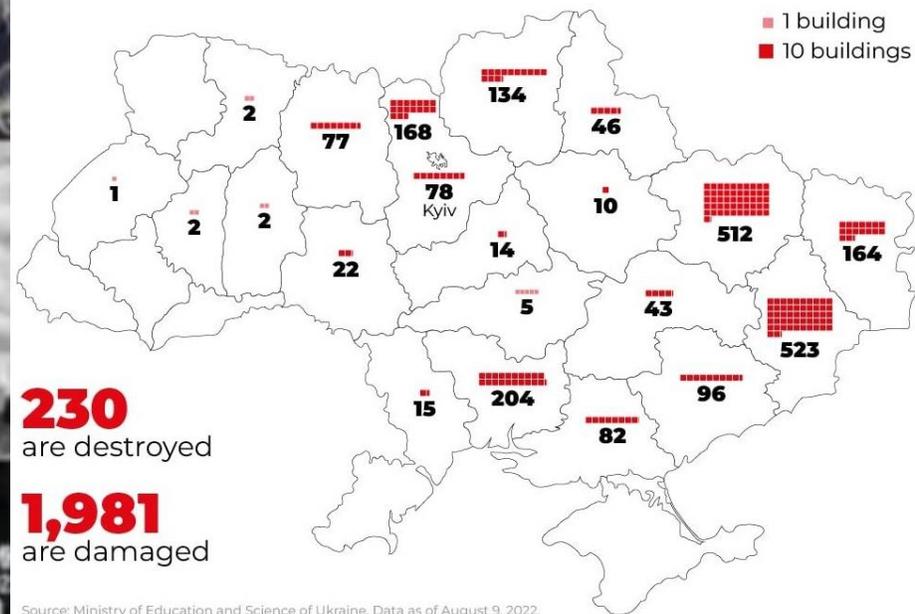
Academics, researchers, students... HAD NO military service background...



RUSSIA DESTROYS UKRAINE'S EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

TOP
LEAD

The total number of damaged and destroyed educational institutions.



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PROSECUTOR GENERAL'S OFFICE

CRIMES COMMITTED DURING FULL-SCALE INVASION OF THE RF

as of 22.08.2022

PROSECUTE #RussianWarCrimes

CRIMES OF AGRESSION AND WAR CRIMES

REGISTERED: **29538** CRIMES

- Breaking the laws and customs of war (art. 438 CC)
- Planning, preparing for or starting and waging an aggressive war (art. 437 CC)
- Propaganda of war (art. 436 CC)
- Other

28410 73 28 1027



CRIMES AGAINST NATIONAL SECURITY

REGISTERED: **13836** CRIMES

- Encroachment on the territorial integrity and inviolability of Ukraine (art. 110 CC)
- State treason (art. 111 CC)
- Collaborative activities (art. 111-1 CC)
- Assistance to the aggressor state (art. 111-2 CC)
- Sabotage (art. 113 CC)
- Other

9575 1605 1973 140 64 479

MAIN CASE OF AGRESSION OF RF

624 SUSPECTS

- ministers
- deputies
- military command
- officials
- heads of law enforcement agencies
- instigators of war and propagandists of the Kremlin

REPRESENTATIVES OF

WAR HAS BORDERS RADIATION DOESN'T



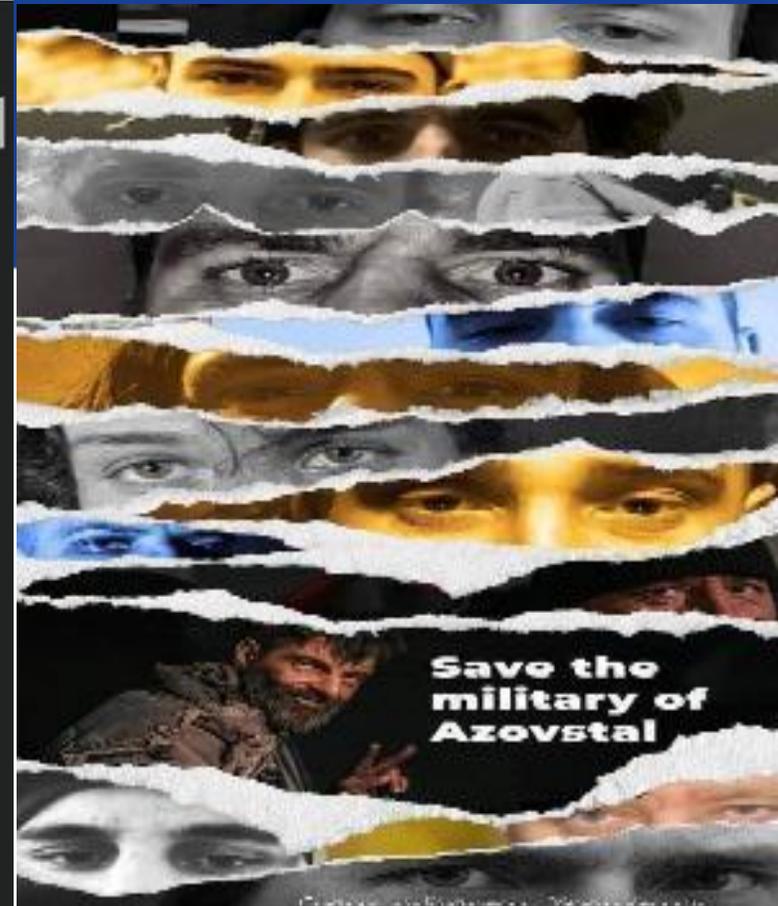
STOP NUCLEAR TERRORISM!

CRIMES AGAINST CHILDREN

* without full consideration of places of active hostilities

KILLED: 373 CHILDREN

INJURED: 723 CHILDREN



EVEN WAR HAS RULES

Many decades ago, the international community decided to stop large-scale deaths of civilians during wars and armed conflicts. Thus the rules of war were created, which forbade the killing of civilians, the infliction of harm and torture on prisoners, and the launching of lethal weapons into unprotected settlements.

Despite the fact that the rules of war are set out in international treaties such as the Geneva Conventions, the Rome Statute, and other international laws and agreements, many of which Russia is a signatory to.

Kremenchug Chasiv Yar
 Mariupol Bucha Kharkiv
 Chornobayivka Iziurm Slovyansk
 Hostomel Melitopol Volnovakha
 Kramatorsk Trostianets Avdiivka
 Irpin Odesa Kherson Mykolaiv
 Horlivka Rubizhne Donetsk Severodonetsk
 Chernihiv Luhansk
 #RussianWarCrimes

War crimes committed by Russian Federation in Ukraine*

Source: the official sources of the Office of the Prosecutor General and Ukrainian Ombudsman as of June 2022

EMERGENCY: [download here](#)

Attacks against CIVILIAN POPULATION

Attacks against CIVILIAN OBJECTS

Attacks against personnel, installations, material, units or vehicles involved in a HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

Use of indiscriminate CLUSTER MUNITIONS

Targeting of JOURNALISTS

MURDERS

TORTURES

RAPES OR OTHER SEXUAL VIOLENCE

DEPORTATIONS OF

* The list is not exhaustive and aims to show certain categories of war crimes.



Horenka
Kyiv Oblast

As a result of artillery shelling by the Russian armed forces, an Irish cameraman of the American TV channel "FoxNews" died, and a Ukrainian journalist received fatal injuries.

Bucha
Kyiv Oblast

An evacuation bus that drove through a green corridor in convoy was shot. A 65-year-old woman was killed, and the driver was injured.

There were discovered facts of massive rapes of women and kids. Victims were killed and, in some cases, burned.

Trostianets
Sumsk Oblast

A man was gravely tortured and killed in his garage during the occupation.

Balakliia
Kharkiv Oblast

The Russian Armed Forces carried out artillery shelling of residential buildings. Three people were killed.

Chernihiv

14 persons were shot dead standing in queue for bread.

Izium
Kharkiv Oblast

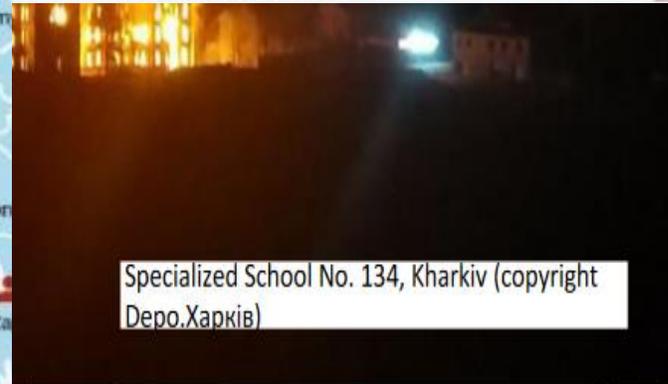
Huta-Mezhyhirska
Kyiv Oblast

Ukrainian photojournalist Maksym Levin was killed.



Nova Kakhovka
Kherson Oblast

During a peaceful demonstration against the city's occupation, gunfire was used against its participants.



Territory Temporary Occupied...

September 11, 2014



vs September 22, 2022



March 29, 2022

349 energy infrastructures damaged!

The nature, including the Azov and Black Seas suffer from the pollutions and other war casualties!!!

russsia violated the International Law!!!

Ukraine

Russia occupied 125 000 km² of Ukraine's territory. This is 20% of the country's area



Italy

Russia occupied 125 000 km² of Ukraine's territory. This is 41% of Italy.

Just remember this when you offer Ukraine to surrender



Germany

Russia occupied 125 000 km² of Ukraine's territory. This is 35% of Germany

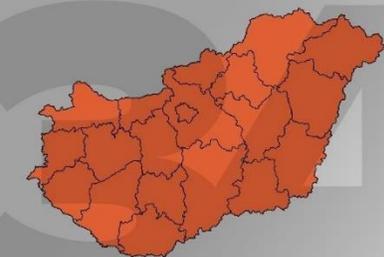
Just remember this when you offer Ukraine to surrender



Hungary

Russia occupied 125 000 km² of Ukraine's territory. This is 34% more than Hungary

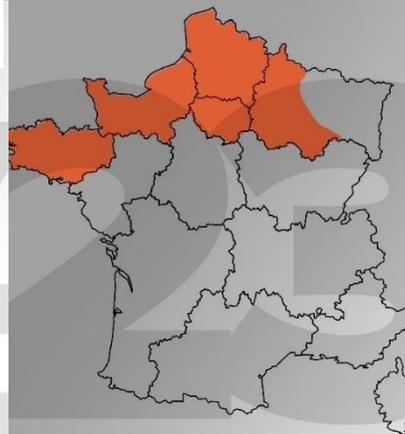
Just remember this when you offer Ukraine to surrender



France

Russia occupied 125 000 km² of Ukraine's territory. This is 23% of France

Just remember this when you offer Ukraine to surrender



The Frontline distance now is described below:



Ukraine and people in Ukraine defend all world!

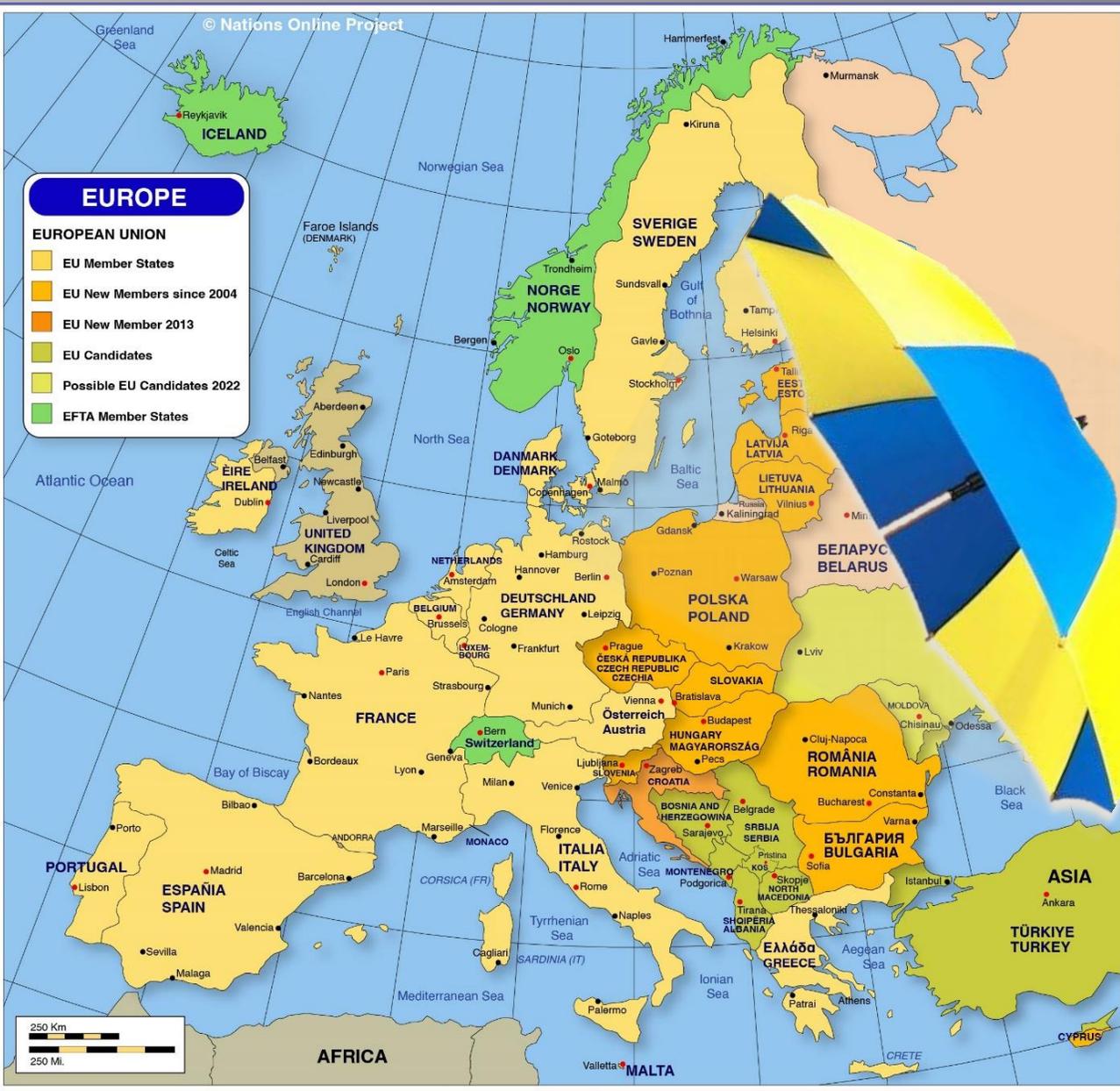


Official information for those who are interested to HELP Ukraine:
<https://war.ukraine.ua/support-ukraine/>

SpivDiia:
<https://spivdiia.org.ua/en>

For education and science reconstruction and restoration:
<https://mon.gov.ua/eng/united24-zbir-koshtiv-na-vidbudovu-sferi-osviti-ta-nauki-ukrayini>

UNITED24
<https://u24.gov.ua/>



Ukraine needs more anti missile defence systems and weapons to protect civilians – please help!!!



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Ukraine Education before and during war



War challenges, needs and opportunities for Internationalisation



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ОСНОВНІ ОСВІТНІ СТАТИСТИЧНІ ДАНІ

**Ukraine's
Education
before
war:
statistics on
numbers of
institutions
and students**
(to be translated into English soon)

ДОШКІЛЬНА ОСВІТА

Показники	Станом на 01.01.2022
Кількість закладів дошкільної освіти (ЗДО), од.	15 456
Новобудови за три роки, од.	72
Реконструйовано ЗДО за три роки, од.	110
Кількість відкритих приватних ЗДО за три роки, од.	395
Кількість вихованців, осіб	1 136 028
Кількість місць, створених у закладах дошкільної освіти за рік, од.	15 415
Скорочення черги у порівнянні з попереднім роком, осіб	(протягом 2021 року) на 5 443
Черга до закладів дошкільної освіти, осіб	16 842
Кількість педагогічних працівників, осіб	141 563
у тому числі вихователі	94 418

ЗАГАЛЬНА СЕРЕДНЯ ОСВІТА

Показники	Станом на 05.09.2021
Кількість ЗЗСО, од.	13 991
Кількість опорних закладів, од.	1 239
Кількість філій опорних закладів, од.	1 795
Кількість приватних закладів ЗЗСО, од.	406
Кількість учнів, осіб	4 230 358
у тому числі першокласників	403 678
Кількість учнів, охоплених навчанням в опорних закладах, осіб	582 200
Кількість вчителів, осіб	434 755
Кількість учнів, які довозяться до опорного закладу освіти та додому шкільними автобусами, осіб	126 400
Автопарк шкільних автобусів у опорних школах, транспортних одиниць	2 364
Кількість харчоблоків закуплено/оновлено, од.	3 794
Кількість шкіл, що перейшли на нове харчування, од.	13 403

ПОЗАШКІЛЬНА ОСВІТА

Показники	Станом на 01.01.2022
Кількість закладів позашкільної освіти (ЗПО), од.	1 351
Кількість педагогічних працівників (без керівників закладів і сумісників), осіб	19 216
Кількість вихованців, осіб	1 138 171
Кількість гуртків у ЗПО (творчих об'єднань, секцій, студій художньо-естетичного, науково-технічного, еколого-натуралістичного, туристсько-краєзнавчого, фізкультурно-спортивного та інших напрямів), од.	71 468
Охоплення позашкільною освітою дітей з ООП, осіб	9 442

ІНКЛЮЗИВНЕ ОСВІТНЄ СЕРЕДОВИЩЕ

Показники	Станом на 05.09.2021
Кількість ЗЗСО, у яких організоване інклюзивне навчання, од.	7 136 (51%)
Кількість інклюзивних класів, од.	23 216
Кількість учнів в інклюзивних класах ЗЗСО, осіб	32 686
	(за рік зросла на 7 608)
Кількість асистентів вчителя, осіб	22 758
Кількість інклюзивно-ресурсних центрів, од.	667

ЦИФРОВА ОСВІТА

Показники	Станом на 01.01.2022
Підключення до інтернету ЗЗСО, од.	13 979
з них підключено до оптичного інтернету	8 580
Підключення ЗЗСО до державного е-журналу, од.	691
Підключення управлінь освітою обласного та місцевого рівнів до збору е-звітності, %	100 %
Закуплено комп'ютерної техніки, од.	62 674
Користувачі ВШО, осіб	275 000

ПРОФЕСІЙНА ОСВІТА

Показники	Станом на 01.09.2021
Кількість закладів П(Т)О, од.	695
Кількість оновлених та створених навчально-практичних центрів, од.	194
Кількість педагогічних працівників, які беруть участь в навчально-виховному процесі, осіб	31 324
Кількість здобувачів освіти, осіб	244 344
Запровадження дуальної форми навчання в закладах П(Т)О, од.	240
Залучено підприємств, од.	1 376
Кількість здобувачів дуальної форми навчання, осіб	понад 12 000
Охоплення здобувачів з ООП, осіб	9 821
Дітей сиріт та дітей, позбавлених батьківського піклування, осіб з інвалідністю, осіб	3 663

ВИЩА ОСВІТА

Показники	Станом на 10.02.2022
Кількість ЗВО (університети, академії, інститути), од.	336
• державні	194
з них у підпорядкуванні МОН	134
• комунальні	26
• приватні	117
Інші ЗВО (училище, технікум, коледж), од.	96
з них у підпорядкуванні МОН	53
Заклади фахової передвищої освіти, од.	252
з них у підпорядкуванні МОН	85
Відокремлені структурні підрозділи ЗВО, од.	553
Загальна кількість здобувачів (ЗВО, ЗФПО, ВСП), осіб	1 335 690
з них у закладах МОН	968 885
• Фаховий молодший бакалавр	228 432
• Молодший спеціаліст	130 503
• Молодший бакалавр	3 550
• Бакалавр	707 287
• Спеціаліст	2 419
• Магістр	238 318
• Доктор філософії	25 071
• Доктор мистецтва	110
Загальна кількість наукових, науково-педагогічних і педагогічних працівників ЗВО, осіб	153 938
з них у закладах МОН	109 518
Загальна кількість наукових, науково-педагогічних і педагогічних працівників ЗФПО, осіб	20 835
з них у закладах МОН	6 963

Source: <https://nus.org.ua/wp-content/uploads/2022/02/kinczevi-czifri-14.02.2022-fin.pdf>

Ukraine's Education before and during war



EDUCATION STRUCTURE IN UKRAINE

EDUCATION COMPONENTS		DEGREES / LEVELS, education confirming document	PERIOD OF STUDY (years, ECTS credits)	EHEA CYCLES, NQF levels
Higher Education		Doctor of Philosophy, PhD / Doctor of Arts (Academic Degree)	4 years (30-60 ECTS – academic study component)	III Cycle 8 level, ISCED 2011 8 level, NQF
		Master (Academic Degree)	90-120 ECTS (300-360 ECTS for programmes in Medicine, Veterinary, Pharmacy, Dentistry)	II Cycle 7 level, ISCED 2011 7 level, NQF
		Bachelor (Academic Degree)	180-240 ECTS	I Cycle 6 level, ISCED 2011 6 level, NQF
		Junior Bachelor (Academic Degree)	120 ECTS	Short Cycle 5 level, ISCED 2011 5 level, NQF
Vocational Education and Training - VET	Pre-Tertiary Vocational Education (Equivalent of the Post-Secondary Non-Tertiary Vocational Education)	Vocational Junior Bachelor, Diploma	120-180 ECTS (based on Complete Secondary Education) Up to 240 ECTS (based on Basic Secondary Education)	Access to higher education 4 level, ISCED 2011 5 level, NQF
	Third Upper level (Post-Secondary Non-Tertiary Vocational Education)	Junior Specialist, Diploma	1-2 years (based on Complete Secondary Education) 3-4 years (based on Basic Secondary Education)	Access to higher education 4 level, ISCED 2011 4 level, NQF
	Second (Basic) level (Upper Secondary Vocational Education)	Skilled Worker, Certificate	1-1.5 years (based on Complete Secondary Education) 2-4 years (based on Basic Secondary Education)	Access to higher education 3 level, ISCED 2011 3 level, NQF
	First (Initial) level (Lower Secondary Vocational Education)	Skilled Worker, Certificate	Up to 1 year	2 level, NQF
Complete Secondary Education	Field-specific Secondary Education (Upper Secondary General Education)	Certificate	3 years	Access to higher education 3 level, ISCED 2011 3 level, NQF
	Basic Secondary Education (Lower Secondary General Education)	Certificate	5 years	Access to VET 2 level, ISCED 2011 2 level, NQF
	Primary Secondary Education		4 years	1 level, ISCED 2011 1 level, NQF
Preschool education			Up to 4 years	0 level, ISCED 2011

- ✓ The education process restarted on **14 March** in distance/blended learning formats!!!
- ✓ 24 regions of Ukraine are providing school, VET, higher education in distance format.
- ✓ 12 – in blended format online/offline: strong solidarity!!!
- ✓ Educational institutions: destroyed and those under occupation territories are relocated.
- ✓ All HEIs are operational!!!
- ✓ For Recognition of International Mobility Inter Institutional Agreement **MUST** be signed between home and host institution!!!
- ✓ All about the Ukrainian Education System and recognition for international partners: <https://emergency.mon.gov.ua/>
- ✓ **Please contact NEO – Ukraine for relevant contacts and partner search in Ukraine!**

Country Profile

Area: 603,548 square km

Population: 41.3 million

Capital: Kyiv

Official language:

Ukrainian

Literacy rate: 99.8%

Ethnic groups:

77,8% - Ukrainians,

17,3% - Russians,

4,9 % - others

[Ukraine – video](#)

Bologna Process implementation in UA

In 2005, Ukraine joined the Bologna Process that is a positive step towards integrating Ukrainian higher education into the European Higher Education Area. The Law of Higher Education (2014) is compatible with the Bologna Process (3-cycle HE, ECTS, DS, ESG, NQF implementation) and regulates the following:

Higher Education & VET Institutions in Ukraine (as of 2021)

- 515 HEIs (281 Universities, Institutes, Academies; 234 Colleges)
- State funded – 395 HEIs; Private – 120 HEIs
- About 964 515 students in higher education: 938 847 Junior Bachelor (short cycle), Bachelor and Master's students; 25 668 PhD students.
- About 135 216 HEIs academic staff.
- There are 17 displaced universities (now – over 40).
- 67 327 foreign students.
- 840 VET institutions (ISCED): 129 institutions of vocational pre-tertiary education / vocational colleges with 166 000 learners, 351 foreign students, 22 071 academic staff; 711 VET schools with 246 900 learners. 32 841 [pedagogical staff](#).
- Young [people \(14-35 years old\)](#): 10.6 mln.

[Video](#)

- 3-cycle Higher Education (Junior Bachelor (short cycle), Bachelor – Master – PhD)
- Development of National Quality Assurance System in line with The Standards and Guidelines for Quality Assurance in the European Higher Education Area (ESG) incl. National Agency on HE Quality Assurance – [NQAA](#), accreditation, etc.
- Development of the national [higher education standards](#) in compliance with National Qualification Framework (NQF) and ESG
- Providing Diploma Supplement – DS

- Implementation of the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System ([ECTS](#))
- [Curricula](#) developed on competence-based and student-centred approaches using Learning Outcomes
- Expansion of autonomy and academic freedom, student governance in HEIs
- Providing academic mobility for students and staff
- Recognition of foreign Universities degrees
- National Qualification Agency established and fully operational, responsible for NQF and Recognition.
- Strategy of Higher Education of Ukraine – 2032



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1 HIGHER EDUCATION LEVELS
 Corresponding to the EHEA
 ECTS is implemented
 Diploma Supplement produced according to European standards

2 QUALITY ASSURANCE
 Quality Assurance is managed by the National Agency for Higher Education Quality Assurance

3 LEGAL FRAMEWORK
 Law on Education, Law on Higher Education, Law on Vocational Education, Law on Secondary Education and other regulations are underpinned by a democratic and pro-European agenda

4 INSTITUTIONAL AUTONOMY AND ACADEMIC MOBILITY
 HEIs define admission requirements, contents of education programs, fulfill foreign degrees recognition, issue documents on education
 HEIs obtain gradually more financial autonomy and self-governance.

5 GENERAL SECONDARY EDUCATION AND ACCESS TO HIGHER EDUCATION
 General secondary education is under the reform to implement 12 year program (till 2030) to replace 11 year program.
 Access to HE is based on the Certificate of Complete General Secondary Education and according to the results of External Independent Evaluation (EIE)

6 UNIFIED STATE ELECTRONIC DATABASE ON EDUCATION
 USEDE provides the registers of Ukrainian HEIs, issued educational documents, EIE results, accreditation decisions and other related data on education

7 NATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FRAMEWORK
 National Qualifications Framework is in the process of being correlated with European Qualifications Framework and Qualifications Framework of the EHEA

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A new reality for the lecturing for the students online by the Ukrainian professor Fedir Shandor from UzhNU who is defending Ukraine and Whole World...



Volunteer teachers try to prevent learning loss of schoolchildren who since months live in Kharkiv underground



Modern and innovative Kharkiv Karasin National University was not a military target as well as other 313 and 2608!!!

Taras Shevchenko University with many other HEIs is a strong university, humanitarian aid hub and a shelter!!!



- Higher Education System of Ukraine video <https://youtu.be/NGTzKkrkDHc>
- Vocational Education and Training System of Ukraine video <https://youtu.be/xGabFI6AMKU>
- National Agency for Higher Education Quality Assurance: <https://en.naqa.gov.ua>
- Database of the universities and for International Students: www.studyinukraine.gov.ua
- Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine: emergency portal [Education System in Ukraine - Ukrainian education in emergency \(mon.gov.ua\)](http://Education System in Ukraine - Ukrainian education in emergency (mon.gov.ua))

All you need to know about Recognition



Unified State Database on Education, includes diplomas verification:

<https://info.edbo.gov.ua/>

The ENIC-NARIC center of Ukraine that deals with these issues of recognition of the prior education and apostil among other things ([Main \(enic.in.ua\)](http://enic.in.ua)).

Global ENIC-NARIC network has a page devoted to Ukraine is a helpful resource:

<https://www.enic-naric.net/page-ukraine-2022>

Recorded webinar training on the recognition issues, including the work with the Unified State Database on Education (collected key resources and guides) :

http://cimea.it/ucraina/index_EN.html

EU publication on the fast track recognition: [Guidelines on fast-track recognition of Ukrainian academic qualifications | European Education Area \(europa.eu\)](http://europa.eu)

Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine: emergency portal [Education System in Ukraine - Ukrainian education in emergency \(mon.gov.ua\)](http://mon.gov.ua)

National Legal Framework for Recognition



Association and 2022 Candidate
Status Agreements EU-UA

- ✓ **Law of Ukraine “On Higher Education” (2014)**
- ✓ **Law of Ukraine “On Education” (2017)**
- ✓ **Strategy of Higher Education 2032 (2022)**
- ✓ **Regulation on academic mobility** approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (2015, updated in 2022)
- ✓ **NQF** – description of qualifications based on **QF4EHEA and EQF4LLL**
- ✓ **List of Fields of Study and Program Subject Areas in Higher Education** based on the ISCED approved by the MESU (2015)
- ✓ **Regulation on PhD studies** with educational component and described competencies (research, teaching, foreign language, research project management etc.) approved by the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine (2016)

Strategies: UA – EU – World

Some examples – before war

Ukrainian Government Priorities of Reforms in Education and Science:

- affordable and quality pre-school education;
- **New Ukrainian School - [download](#)**;
- modern professional education;
- quality higher education and development of adult education;
- development of science and innovation;
- innovative infrastructure

New Higher Education Strategy 2032 - [download](#)

VET Strategy 2023 – [download](#).

Ukrainian Youth Strategy 2030 – [download](#):

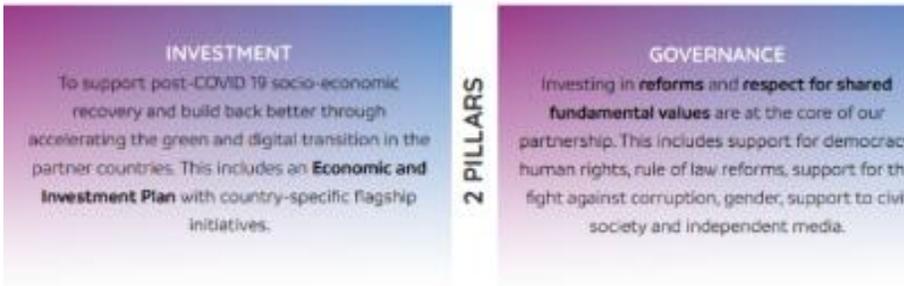
Safe; Healthy; Capable; Integrated – Youth

Strategy in Sport – [download](#).

Inclusive Strategy – [download](#).



Recovery, resilience and reform: post-2020 Eastern Partnership Priorities



Economic and Investment Plan for the Eastern Partnership



Ukrainian students in EU

AT A GLANCE Infographic

RUSSIA'S WAR ON UKRAINE: UKRAINIAN STUDENTS IN THE EU



Russia's invasion of Ukraine on 24 February 2022 has caused vast displacement of people within the country as well as across the EU borders. While the annexation of Crimea had a negative impact on the country's education system, recent events have added additional strain.

Outbound student mobility was already substantial in recent years, but it has accelerated even further since the Crimean conflict began. After doubling from some 25 000 to nearly 50 000 between 2007 and 2014, the number of Ukrainian students abroad has since skyrocketed by another 54 % to around 78 000 in 2019.

Approximately 49 000 Ukrainian students were attending various higher education institutions across the EU in 2019. This means that approximately 60 % of the 78 000 Ukrainians studying abroad worldwide in 2019 chose to study in the EU. The countries welcoming the highest numbers of students are Poland, Germany, Czechia and Slovakia.

Some 480 Ukrainian students are currently engaged in Erasmus+ activities via the programme's international strand. In the 2015-2019 programming period, Ukraine received 40 % of the available funding in the Eastern Partnership region, and over 9 000 Ukrainian students and staff participated in more than 1 300 Erasmus projects.

Following the Russian invasion of Ukraine, Commissioner Mariya Gabriel announced, on 2 March 2022, that the Commission would grant maximum flexibility in the implementation of Erasmus+ projects involving Ukrainian

higher education students and staff. National Erasmus agencies can apply the *force majeure* clause for international mobility activities taking place in Ukraine and Russia. This will allow beneficiaries to cancel, postpone or rearrange planned activities in the most flexible way possible.

In addition, the Commission has invited Erasmus national agencies and participating organisations to contact beneficiaries who are currently located in Ukraine or Russia

or who are planning to move to these countries in the coming weeks, to explore all options. In all cases, Ukrainian students abroad will be offered assistance tailored to their needs, to ensure their safety.

Ukrainian students worldwide and in the EU Sources: EducationFair.nl, Market report Ukraine, 2020 (worldwide); and UNESCO, Global flow of tertiary-level students, 2019 (worldwide and EU). Erasmus Source: European Commission, Erasmus+ for higher education in Ukraine, 2020.

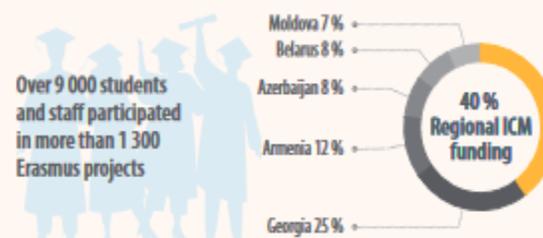
Ukrainian students worldwide

Number of young people studying worldwide

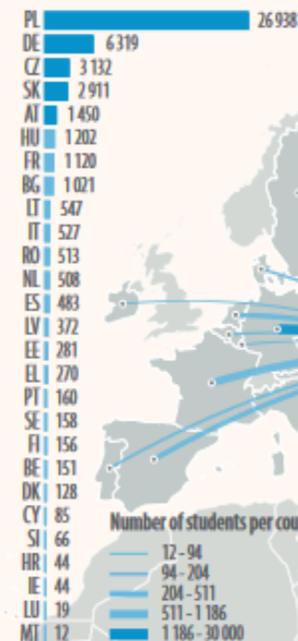


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Ukrainian students in the EU



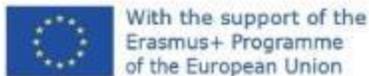
Road for the EU Membership, July 2022
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Education responds: individual and institutional level

A new reality for the lecturing for the students online by the Ukrainian professor who is defending Ukraine and Whole World...



- Higher Education Institutions are working at their place or were relocated!
- Academics, researchers and students: in the military and territorial defense, humanitarian aid and educational&research forces!
- Teaching and learning process: from shelters, frontlines and abroad!
- Volunteering in hospitals, restoring Bucha, Irpin and other emergencies!!!
- Educational institutions and youth centers in Ukraine have become humanitarian aid hubs!
- Schools, VET and Higher Education Institutions have redesigned and shared their campuses to serve as shelters for the internally relocated people in parallel with educational process!
- International partners provide support at individual, institutional, national and international levels
- Students and staff who are temporary abroad: humanitarian help, science and education diplomacy, study for Ukraine to rebuild after victory – Ambassadors of Ukraine and their institutions in world!
Save Ukraine and Human Capital of Ukraine!
No brain drain – brain circulation and development instead to rebuild Ukraine after our victory!
- Universities strengthened their internationalisation priorities and continue implementation of Erasmus+ projects redesigning activities to respond challenges!!! Only few suspended!!!

Education response – national level

The Professor is teaching courses to his students from the shelter online ...



- National Platform for the Recovery Plan - <https://recovery.gov.ua/en>
- Regular meetings with Development Partners on sectoral support
- Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine initiatives – [at the link](#)
- Overview of the state of education and science - [regular updates](#)
- **Current needs to rebuild Ukraine – [at the link](#)**
- **Emergency needs [at the link](#)**
- **Needs and ideas for school support – [at the link](#)**
- Open [resources for education](#) – Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine – [link](#)
- Ministry of Youth and Sport of Ukraine initiatives – [at the link](#)
- Mapping of the destroyed/damaged educational institutions – <https://saveschools.in.ua/>
- 17 Universities were relocated from the [temporary occupied territories and those destroyed](#).
- **Regulation on Payments for the international projects activities – [at the link](#) – NEW!**
- **!!!Regulation of the Cabinet of Ministers on the Right for Mobility ([May 13, 2022](#)) – NEW!**

Erasmus+ responses to needs: individual and institutional level

Thanks to our Erasmus+ student and staff exchanges and the European Solidarity Corps volunteers, we have been promoting understanding and solidarity among people from all countries and all backgrounds. We are determined to support Ukrainian students, young people, teachers and educators in these extremely challenging times with the following measures.

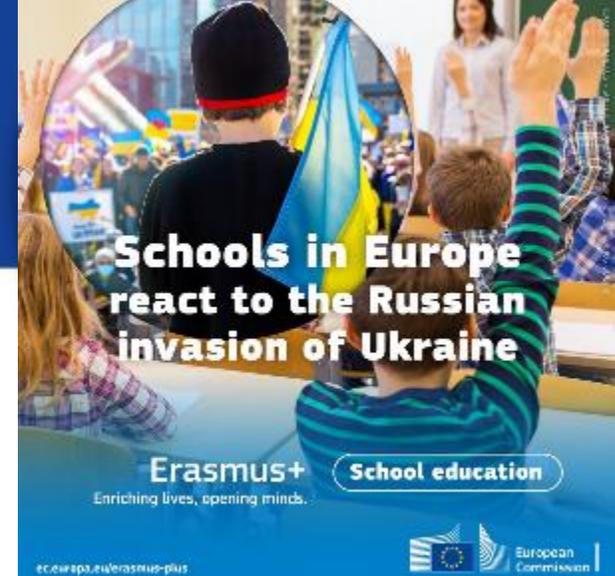
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- Immediate scholarships, grants for students/academics/researchers - [https://www.europarl.europa.eu/thinktank/en/document/EPRS_ATA\(2022\)729318](https://www.europarl.europa.eu/thinktank/en/document/EPRS_ATA(2022)729318)
- All EU support to Ukrainians – [link](#)
- Special measures and more mobilities for VET, higher education [students and staff and youth](#) from Ukraine – [at the link](#)
- Support from Erasmus+/Tempus/Erasmus Mundus partners to Ukrainian staff, students and youth: temporary protection, grants for staff, students and youth, place to stay, job shadowing
- Flexibility to cooperation projects activities to respond current needs in line with the projects objectives, redesign activities – [existing projects database](#)
- Possibility to join current European Universities Alliances as [associated partners](#)
- Additional window for HEIs to apply for Jean Monnet (April): no safe possibility during the war to submit application by deadline in March
- Participation of russian/belarusian organisations is terminated, funds envelope relocated to Ukraine!

Resources for support

- EU partners provided information on available support for Ukrainian students via Erasmus Dashboard: <https://ukraine.dev.uni-foundation.eu/>
- Open resources for school and VET institutions: via eTwinning – [at the link](#) and [School Education Gateway – Homepage](#)
- [New Ukrainian School \(NUS\) Hub](#)
- Open resources for adult education – [at the link](#)
- For researches [MSCA4Ukraine](#): new opportunities ERA4Ukraine – [link](#).
- Horizon Europe: MSC Actions for Researchers at risks: <https://marie-sklodowska-curie-actions.ec.europa.eu/news/eu-stands-with-ukraine-and-ukrainian-researchers>
- The website on the support to Ukraine - [Science4Ukraine](#)
- Support to young people from Ukraine – [link](#) Salto-Youth
- [Calendar of Events and useful resources and activities](#)
- Opportunities for Ukrainian Youth - <https://www.facebook.com/EPlus.Ukraine>



Resources to help

- [EU Information page for people fleeing the war in Ukraine](#). Information page, developed by the European Commission, for people fleeing the war in Ukraine.
- [EU solidarity with Ukraine](#). Compilation of the actions taken by the EU.
- [EU steps up solidarity with those fleeing war](#).
- [Stands with Ukraine](#). Website produced by the European Parliament where you can discover how the EU has supported Ukraine.
- [EU Skills Profile Tool in Ukrainian](#). The European Commission has launched a Ukrainian version of the EU Skills Profile Tool for Third Country Nationals.
- [“Voice your Vision” platform](#), on which all young people can record a message, and share their ideas during the Year of Youth Initiative – 2022
- Eurydice report on support to Ukrainian refugee learners: <https://eurydice.eacea.ec.europa.eu/news/how-member-states-are-supporting-ukrainian-refugee-learners-eurydice-reports-review-policies>

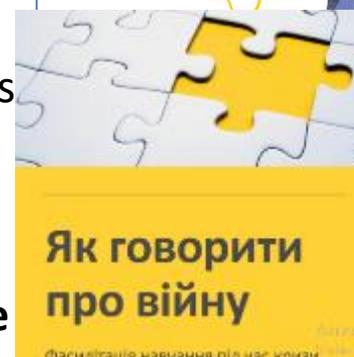


Students Network and youth initiatives



There is a strong humanitarian, educational and volunteering work of the youth organisations in cooperation with the **Ministry of Youth and Sport of Ukraine!!!**
Youth Councils and Centers are active!

Let's explore Ukraine!

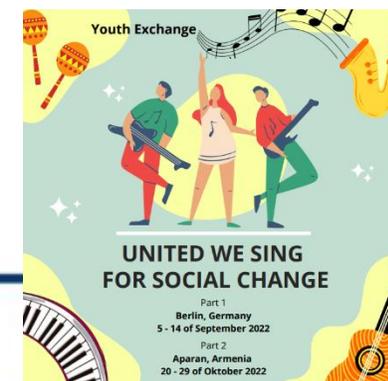


Erasmus+ Youth mobility and volunteering Actions support participation of Ukrainian Youth!

<https://esnukraine.org/>

Erasmus Mundus Alumni – Ukraine

Erasmus Youth and ESC InfoCenter:
<https://www.facebook.com/EPlus.Ukraine>



Specific Guide for higher education, VET and youth

Special measures guide details – [download](#)



The Erasmus+ projects involving Ukrainian students and higher education staff are granted the greatest level of flexibility in the implementation. This will allow beneficiaries to cancel, postpone or move activities planned in the most flexible way.

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Eligible activities: The activities have to take place at the beneficiary HEI. In cases when, due to the war, the sending organisation cannot be involved in the activity, the beneficiary HEI is the only HEI involved in the organisation of the mobility, except for traineeships outside of the HEI.

Annex – Specific guidance for implementation of the programmes

Action concerned	Applicable guidance:
Erasmus+	
KA131 Staff/student mobility in HE	<p><u>Eligibility rules for participants coming from Ukraine</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For students: being enrolled in a Higher Education institution (HEI) at the moment of fleeing Ukraine due to the Russian aggression. For recent graduates: having graduated from a HEI in Ukraine within maximum 12 months before the moment of fleeing Ukraine due to the Russian aggression. For staff: being employed in a HEI in Ukraine at the moment of fleeing Ukraine due to the Russian aggression.
KA121/122 Staff/learners mobility in VET/SE/AE	<p><u>Eligibility rules for participants coming from Ukraine:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> For VET/adult learners: having been enrolled in a VET/adult education programme at the moment of fleeing Ukraine due to the Russian aggression For school pupils: being of school age according to the laws in the receiving country
KA153 Mobility of Youth workers	<p><u>Eligible participants:</u></p> <p>Incoming mobilities from Ukraine are already allowed according to the rules in the Programme Guide. In cases where case that the sending organisation cannot fulfil its regular responsibilities, the following process will apply:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the receiving organisation will be allowed, on a voluntary basis, to take over the roles and responsibilities of the sending organisation, and perform the eligibility checks eligibility on the same basis as would have been done by the UA "sending organisation" The receiving organisation checks the eligibility based on the participant's documentation (passport/residence permit) and age limit, for the activities where it applies. NAs define what kind of documents they accept in consultation with their National Authorities
KA152 Mobility of young people (Youth exchanges)	
KA154 Youth participation activities	
European Solidarity Corps	
ESC51 Volunteering activities	<p><u>Eligible participants:</u></p> <p>Incoming mobilities from Ukraine is already allowed according to the rules in the Programme Guide.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A participant coming from Ukraine who carried out a short term individual volunteering can do another short term or long term activity if the total period does not exceed 14 months A participant coming from Ukraine who carried out a long term volunteering activity can do a short term individual activity or another long term activity if the total period does not exceed 14 months.

- Recommendations:**
- ✓ Students/learners/staff could contact and apply to Institution/organisation directly in EU!
 - ✓ Encourage the Ukrainian students/learners/staff to contact their home institution in order to conclude the formalities and receive the nomination (contact Erasmus+ office Ukraine for help with it)!
 - ✓ It will help with further recognition of mobility outcomes
 - ✓ Support to staff to teach for home institution!
 - ✓ Encourage students/learners to study in parallel at their home institution online – help them!
 - ✓ Buddy system, ESN support would be real help to adapt faster!
 - ✓ The Certificate with learning outcomes will be helpful for staff/ students/learners/youth for recognition!



Challenges for cooperation under Mobility Projects

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- To find contact information of the HEIs to discuss support needed
- Force Majeure Circumstances: suspend or continue with redesigning
- Staff safety, activities delays, changes, damages, new workplan/ activities
- Payments delay, state treasury and banks issues etc. However changes to Regulation adopted already to allow payments under the projects – [New Regulation at the link](#)
- To receive the permission from the management for staff, researchers and students mobility
- For management staff and for man to receive permission from the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine to cross the border

To apply flexibility within Ukrainian HEIs:

- update for the Internal Regulations on the International Cooperation/Mobility is required
- Nomination vs selection – procedures update, if needed
- Signatures of Interinstitutional Agreements is a must for recognition
- Explanation to the Erasmus+ partners the recognition mechanisms etc.

Challenges for Mobility Projects

- Institutional regulation for Mobility does not reflect the war time!
- Not ready/able to apply flexibility
- Recognition by the EU universities of prior study or belonging to the university without the documents which were lost/destroyed during war/ recognition for mobility periods
- Study or Traineeship for 1st year students, longer period of semester 4th year students
- Teaching, Training, Job shadowing for staff
- Passport, visa and crossing the border
- Crossing the border for male 18-60 years old
- Temporary protection status vs students visa etc.

Inter-Institutional Agreement is a must to have for mobility recognition!!!



Need at national level:

to provide transparent and comprehensive communication to the international partners about the male students possibility to study/traineeship abroad

The male students and staff 18-60 years old

are **not allowed to cross the border** with some **exceptions!!!**

- University students are exempt from mobilization for the study period!!!
- However it does not provide automatic permission for the border crossing!!!
- The final decision is taken by the Border Control Officer based on the provided documents.

18 Erasmus Mundus students are facing challenges to cross the border

The documents package include:

- Enrolment/Admission/ Acceptance for Students; Invitation letter for staff; Students card or students visa
Additionally: Mobility Agreement, Inter-Institutional Agreements, Nomination letter, Student's Card, Health Insurance Certificate, UA University support letter and MoESU letter etc, depending on the type of mobility.
- Certificate from the Military Service Center of Ukraine is obligatory document in the package of documents for the crossing the border

*Crossing border by **male students and staff** during Martial Law is regulated by the Decree of the President of Ukraine of 24.02.2022 № 64/2022 «On the imposition of martial law in Ukraine». The Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine Regulation № 264 dated as of 12/03/2022 (<https://zakon.rada.gov.ua/laws/show/264-2022-%D0%BF#Text>) regulated exceptions which include among other: "... **students for studying abroad in full-time or dual forms of education**; people with disabilities and accompanying persons..." [State Border Service of Ukraine website link](#); [MoES Ukraine explanation – here](#)*

Please consider the risks of the delay of arrival or cancelation!!! Discuss possible solutions: the blended format or postpone of the mobility for such students/staff/ youth, if possible or give preference to female!

Challenges for cooperation under projects

- To find contact information of the partners from Ukraine
- Force Majeure Circumstances: suspend or continue with redesigning – GRANT AGREEMENT AMMENDMENT
- Staff and students safety – killed, wounded!
- Unsafe but are working/studying: within Ukraine, from the shelters, from the Defense Army, from temporary occupied territory of Ukraine, from abroad
- Activities implementation: not possible, possible with delay, redesigning required etc.
- Destroyed or damaged premises and equipment
- No/limited access to documents
- Blocked or delayed payments

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Contact your partners, discuss the situation and make the decision together!
Inform your project coordinator & officer
Contact NEO – Ukraine (24/7), put in copy during correspondence!!!

If it is not possible to contact your partners – inform urgently NEO – Ukraine about it to help!!!

Needs: individual and institutional level



- Culture of inclusiveness – Inclusive Erasmus!
- Terminology and criteria!
- Culture of greening – Green Erasmus!



- ✓ *Talk to Ukrainians! Organise summer/winter schools/webinars for Ukrainian students, academics and researchers to share their stories of surviving war with their peers.*
- ✓ *Listen to stories of your peers from Ukraine, cry, play, laugh, dream, study together!!!*
- ✓ *Learn, discuss and share country specifics, traditions, history and culture!*
- ✓ *Share your thought or story about wars, crises, trauma and what help you to survive and live!*
- ✓ *There is no right words or recommendation, however your experience and care could help!*
- ✓ *Humanitarian hubs in your country needs help*
- ✓ *Educational institutions and youth centers in Ukraine are now the humanitarian hubs that need a lot of simple and other things to care and survive internally relocated people!*

Organise talks with Ukrainian students on #ErasmusDays on 13-15 October:
A friend in need is a friend indeed! Or From ErasmusGeneration of 2022 to ErasmusGeneration 2025

Needs: individual and institutional level

Resources to support the integration of young Ukrainian refugees into the education systems of EU Member States and Erasmus+ countries

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Mental health support and courses to cope and/or recover!

For Students: who are/will be abroad – opportunities to study in parallel in home university: grant for study/traineeship, free visitor/listener, zero grant possibility (if social payments are provided), access to labs, involve into students networks – ESN international, students self-governance etc.

Who stay in Ukraine – internationalisation at home: virtual mobility/exchanges, invited guest lectures from abroad for online courses to students, double diploma programmes, online access to labs for practical classes, access to modern learning resources and to elective courses etc.

- More professional courses in foreign languages, plus on intercultural communication and working under multicultural environment (incorporate as elective or core) – for future foreign students, incoming mobility to Ukraine and key competences.
- Joint Programmes at the universities.
- Practical courses, virtual labs based on innovative software, simulators, virtual/added reality, virtual patient, 3D scanning modeling etc.

Needs: individual and institutional level

Administrative staff: leadership and change/crises management!

Academic staff and researchers:

- in-service training and job shadowing opportunities, working place to work for home university in parallel, access to Internet and equipment
- International staff weeks opportunities for internationalisation
- Training of trainers for curricula modernisation
- Modern resources, MOOCs, innovative methodologies and technologies,
- Preparation of double programmes, development courses in foreign languages,
- Foreign language courses, trainings for proposals writing etc.
- New proposals writing for cooperation projects to apply for Erasmus+, HorizonEurope others for the institutional and system transformation, inclusiveness, digitalisation and greening
- Joint research and usage of innovative equipment

Recognition and implementation of the results at home institution!

Needs: institutional level



Institution: Internationalisation role has been growing!

- Free open access to teaching&learning resources, MOOCs, curricula modernisation
- Access to innovative technologies and methodologies
- Open research data joint research projects
- Joint educational programmes development
- Internationalisation at home: guest lecturers (online)
- Blended learning and mobility for academics, researchers and students
- Training of Trainers, webinars on innovations in education and EEA,EHEA&ERA reforms
- Support to greening, digitalisation and inclusiveness capacity building
- Membership in Professional Networks

Equipment:

laptops, shared/mirroring server, simulators for practical classes with added/virtual reality etc.

***Transformation into the high quality education and modern center of excellence
as Ukrainian Universities Alliance with social cohesion role and close work with society!***

Needs: National level

- National Platform for the Recovery Plan - <https://recovery.gov.ua/en>
- Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine initiatives – [at the link](#)
- **Current needs to rebuild Ukraine** – [at the link](#)
- **Emergency needs in education are at the link**
- Implementation of homework for the EU Candidate Country in the education sphere and join European Education Area
- [Implementation of the Strategy on the development of higher education in 2022-2032](#)
- Inclusiveness, digitalisation and green technologies!
- Transformation of the network of educational institutions into high quality Ukrainian Universities Alliances!

Needs: Erasmus+ Programme level

- High need to respond the war and crises challenges and their consequences: create the Urgency Envelope. Relocation of funds remained from other regions on the decentralised actions into this envelope to respond support e.g. Ukraine – optimisation and more effective usage of unspent funds.
- Erasmus 'zero' grant for mobility could be a practical mechanism to enrol the students into the courses at the EU universities with the temporary protection status funding (if available).
- To increase the budget for the Erasmus+ Actions by opening the Special Window for Ukraine (Moldova, Georgia) and all Actions for overall capacity building for countries under transformation into and smooth integration to the potential status of the 3rd Country Associated to the Programme based on the similar approach done for the Western Balkans Countries for 2021-2027.

Needs: Erasmus+ Programme level

- To fund more projects to Ukraine under the current selection stage of 2022 calls on the Capacity Building in Higher Education, Capacity Building in VET, Jean Monnet and other Actions by redistribution the Russian Federation budget due to the applied sanctions.
- In the calls 2023-2027 to open more opportunities for piloting partnerships with Ukrainian Universities as full and equal partners in the European Universities Alliances, Cooperation Partnerships, Small-Scale Partnerships, Looking Forward Partnerships in education, youth and sports. There is a strong cohort of the innovative Universities capable to fulfil the criteria of the value added who built their capacities within EU's Programmes (Erasmus+ Tempus, Jean Monnet, Erasmus Mundus etc.).

Needs: Erasmus+ Programme level

Statement by Commissioner
Mariya Gabriel on measures
in support of pupils and
educational staff fleeing
Ukraine following the
Russian invasion

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- Sanctions to russian and belarusian institutions and individuals
- Academics, researchers, students and young people from Ukraine and from russia/ belarus MUST NOT be invited to the same activities together!!!
- Please ask people from Ukraine beforehand, if this does not escalate the trauma they survived!!!
- Please do not traumatize our ErasmusGeneration even more!!!
- Russian and belarusian institutions and individuals MUST demonstrate their strong position via communication/written/recorded statements against war and unhuman behavior on russian federation/belarusian as well as their attitude/support to the EU and how do they share European values!
- Stop recognition of russian diplomas, they are not in Bologna Process any more!

Status of Ukraine in Erasmus+ 2021-2027

Fields: education, training, youth and sports



- Participating Countries:

EU Member States Associated to the Programme – Programme Country

3rd Countries Associated to the Programme – Programme Country

3rd Countries Non-Associated to the Programme – Partner Country: beneficiary

- Ukraine is a 3rd Country Non-Associated to the Programme: Partner Country
- Opportunities for Ukraine within Intra-European and International Dimension
- As an **Applicant** in 3 Actions – 9 calls for proposals
- As a **Partner** in 15 Actions – 31 calls for proposals
 - Including as “**if a value added is justified**” in 5 Actions 11 calls for proposals
- As an **Associate Partner** – 1 call for proposal (European Universities Alliances)
- All projects are based on the multinational partnerships and exchange of best practices

Ukraine as a Candidate Country to the membership of the European Union: negotiations for change of the status in Erasmus+ will be performed based on the capacity justified

Structures for Help

European Commission level: DG EAC <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/>

European Education and Culture Executive Agency: https://www.eacea.ec.europa.eu/index_en

- Coordinates and funds for Centralised Actions and Networks

In Programme Countries:

- National Erasmus+ Agencies: <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/contacts/national-agencies>

Coordinate and fund Decentralised Actions

In Partner Countries:

- **National Erasmus+ Offices (former Tempus Offices):** <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/contacts/national-erasmus-offices>
- **EU Delegations and National Information Contact Points**
- **Salto – Youth Centers by Regions:** <https://www.salto-youth.net/>
- **Information Centers for Youth and ESC Ukraine:** <https://www.facebook.com/EPlus.Ukraine>
- **Networks:** [ESN-UA](#), [EMA-UA](#), [EuroDesk-UA](#), EU [Ambassadors](#), EU [Information Centers](#) etc.

Platforms for rules, applications, proposals submission and projects management

- Registration of the Organisation Profile for Centralised and Decentralised Actions – **PIC No**
- Funding and Tender Opportunities Portal (FTOP): <https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/programmes/erasmus2027>
- Validation Centrally coordinated by EACEA
- Additional Registration of Organisation for **OID No** for Erasmus+ and European Solidarity Corps for Decentralised Actions Platform:
- <https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-esc/index/>
- Validation by the National Erasmus+ Agency in the Country of Applicant Organisation
- Programme Countries higher education MUST apply for the Erasmus Charters: [ECHE](#)
- Ukrainian HEIs: **NO CHARTER**, provide City and Country name in application form

Platforms for partnership search

- Erasmus Charter for Higher Education: <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/resources-and-tools/erasmus-charter-for-higher-education>
- EPALE (Electronic Platform for Adult Learning in Europe) <https://epale.ec.europa.eu/en>
- EU Partner Search - <https://www.eupartnerssearch.com/Default.aspx>
- Professional Networks: e.g. EU-[platforms&networks](#), [EUA](#), [EAIE](#), [UNICA](#), [IAU](#), [GDLN](#), [AADLC](#), [EDEN](#), German-Ukrainian [Academic Society](#) etc.
- Erasmus Toolkit <http://erasmustoolkit.eu/>
- Study in Europe - <https://ec.europa.eu/education/study-in-europe/>
- e.g. www.studyinaustria.at;
- Embassies of EU and other Countries to Ukraine
- French Institute - <https://institutfrançais-ukraine.com/>
- DAAD - <https://www.daad-ukraine.org/uk/> ; DAAD projects – at the [link](#)
- OEAD – www.oead.at



Erasmus+ Programme Opportunities for Ukraine – as a partner country



Action Title

Deadlines

Code or Call ID
link to the call documents

Ukraine's organisations are eligible as partners in:

In KA 1. Programme Countries are applicants

Key Action 1 Learning Mobility for Individuals

Mobility of individuals in the field of higher education (Exceptional measures for Ukraine)

23/02/
12.00

[KA131-HED](#)

Mobility of individuals in the field of higher education:

[International mobility](#) involving third countries not associated to the programme

23/02/
12.00

[KA171-HED](#)

Mobility of [learners and staff in VET](#) (Exceptional measures for Ukraine)

23/02/
12.00;
4/10/
12:00

[KA122-VET](#)

[Mobility of individuals](#) for youth as partners (Exceptional measures for Ukraine)

youth exchanges

youth workers

youth participation

23/02/
2/05/
4/10/
12:00

[KA152-YOU](#)

[KA153-YOU](#)

[KA154-YOU](#)

Virtual exchanges in the [field higher education and youth](#)

22/02/
17.00;
20/09/
17:00

[ERASMUS-
EDU-2022-
VIRT-EXCH](#)

KA 1. Higher Education and VET: Staff mobility from Ukraine to EU with institutional impact and complementarity

- Staff teaching, training and job shadowing – Ukrainian staff:
- Participation in European University Alliances activities and events.
- Develop courses in foreign languages (incorporate as elective or core) – for future foreign students and incoming mobility to Ukraine.
- Learn how to design and develop concepts for the Joint Programmes: courses, processes, procedures, methodologies: match Learning Outcome.
- Design practical courses, labs based on innovative software, simulators, virtual/added reality (virtual patient, modeling etc.).
- Develop concept of digitalisation of the educational process based on the expertise in host university: how it is organised, processes and procedures.
- Learn about organisation of international cooperation, mobility unit, COIL etc.
- Project writing courses – develop proposals to apply for Erasmus+ HorizonEurope...

KA 1.

Staff mobility to Ukraine (virtual during the war)

- Teaching courses/ guest lecturers/ workshops / practical labs and simulators.
- Support to develop courses in foreign languages (elective or core) – potentially interesting for students from home university to Ukraine.
- Support to design the Joint Programmes: courses, processes, procedures, methodologies, match/tune Learning Outcome.
- Support to design practical courses – labs based on innovative software, simulators, virtual/added reality (virtual patient, modeling etc.).
- Support to develop concept of digitalisation of the educational process based on the expertise in host university: how it is organised, processes and procedures.
- Support to develop strategy, processes and procedures for international cooperation, mobility, recognition etc.
- Provide courses and develop proposals to apply for Erasmus+ HorizonEurope together.



Action Title

Deadlines

Code or Call ID
link to the call
documents

Ukraine is eligible as partners if value added* justified in:

Programme Countries are
applicants

Key Action 2 Cooperation among Organisations and Institutions

<p>Cooperation partnerships in education, training and youth, submitted by Non European NGOs*</p>	<p>23/03 12:00</p>	<p>KA220-SCH; KA220-VET; KA220-HED; KA220-ADU; KA220-YOU</p>
<p>Cooperation partnerships in youth submitted by Non European NGOs*</p>	<p>4/10 12:00</p>	<p>KA220-YOU</p>
<p>Cooperation partnerships in education, training and youth submitted by European NGOs*</p>	<p>23/03 17:00</p>	<p>ERASMUS-EDU-2022-PCOOP-ENGO; ERASMUS-YOUTH-2022-PCOOP-ENGO</p>
<p>Cooperation partnerships in the field of sport *</p>	<p>23/03 17:00</p>	<p>ERASMUS-SPORT-2022-SCP</p>
<p>Alliances for Innovation* (toolkit and flyer): Lot 1. Alliances for Education and Enterprises Lot 2. Alliances for Sectoral Cooperation on Skills</p>	<p>15/09 17:00</p>	<p>lot1: ERASMUS-EDU-2022-PI-ALL-INNO-EDU-ENTERP; lot2: ERASMUS-EDU-2022-PI-ALL-INNO-BLUEPRINT</p>

KA 2 Cooperation projects and looking forward partnerships

Cooperation projects in school, VET, higher education, youth, sport:

- As Partners: organisations from Ukraine with innovative potential.
- E.g. unique courses, technologies, methodologies or expertise needed at the international level with joint efforts the innovative platforms/tools/technologies could be created.

Attention!!!

Small scale partnerships and Looking forward partnerships in school, VET, higher education, youth, sport

- Not eligible for organisations from Ukraine, however Ukrainians abroad – kids, pupils and students as well as staff of VET, HE, AE are eligible as target audience!
- Do the needs assessment of individuals abroad and apply the needs into projects!



Action Title KA.2. Continuation – Ukraine is eligible

Deadlines

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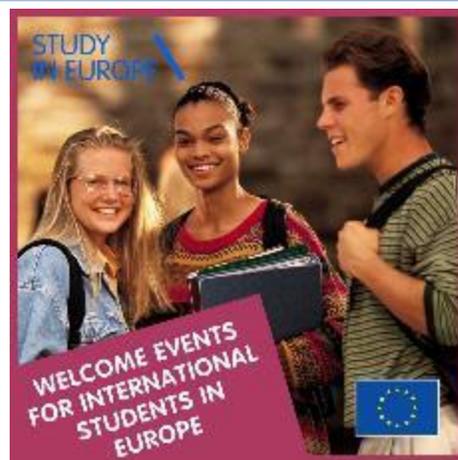
<p>European <u>Universities Alliances</u> (associated partners): Topic 1. Intensification of prior deep institutional transnational cooperation Topic 2. Development of new deep institutional transnational cooperation https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/news/opening-of-2023-erasmus-european-universities-call-comes-with-record-budget</p>	<p>Programme Countries are Applicants</p>	<p>31 /01 17:00</p>	<p>ERASMUS-EDU-2022-EUR-UNIV-1; ERASMUS-EDU-2022-EUR-UNIV-2</p>
<p>Centers of Vocational Excellence (as partners)</p>	<p>Programme Countries are Applicants</p>	<p>7/09/ 17:00</p>	<p>ERASMUS-EDU-2021-PEX-COVE</p>
<p>Erasmus Mundus (applicants/partners): Lot 1. Erasmus Mundus Design Measures EMDM Lot2. Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters EMJM</p>	<p>Programme and Partner Countries are Applicants</p>	<p>16/02 17:00</p>	<p>ERASMUS-EDU-2022-EMJM-DESIGN; ERASMUS-EDU-2022-PEX-EMJM-MOB</p>
<p>Capacity building in the field of <u>Higher Education</u> CBHE (applicants/partners) Strand 1. Fostering access to cooperation in higher education Strand 2. Partnerships for Transformation in Higher Education Strand 3. Structural Reforms Projects</p>	<p>Programme and Partner Countries are Applicants</p>	<p>17/02 17:00</p>	<p>Strand 1 ERASMUS - EDU-2022-CBHE-STRAND-1; Strand 2 ERASMUS - EDU-2022-CBHE-STRAND-2; Strand 3 ERASMUS - EDU-2022-CBHE-STRAND-3</p>
<p>Capacity building in the field of Vocational Education and Training (as partners) CBVET</p>	<p>Programme Countries are Applicants</p>	<p>31/03 17:00</p>	<p>ERASMUS-EDU-2022-CB-VET</p>

<p><u>Jean Monnet</u> Module, Chairs, Centers of Excellence, Networks (applicants/partners)</p>	<p>Programme and Partner Countries are Applicants</p>	<p>1/03 17:00</p>	<p>ERASMUS-JMO-2022-MODULE; ERASMUS-JMO-2022-CHAIR; ERASMUS-JMO-2022-COE; ERASMUS-JMO-2022-NETWORKS-HEI-NON-EUT</p>
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Capacity building projects higher education and VET

- Curricula modernisation or development of new innovative in Ukrainian and foreign languages and embedded window for mobility.
- Inclusive target audience must be in focus.
- Greening and digital technologies as a bases.
- TOT on professional innovations and on T&L excellence.
- Language courses for VET institutions staff development.
- Joint Programmes development from the scratch.
- courses in foreign languages (elective or core) – for future foreign students and incoming mobility to Ukraine.
- Blended or hybrid approaches and technologies.
- Purchase and usage as tool – labs, innovative software, simulators, virtual/added reality etc.

Individual Grants



Youth Mobility: exchanges for young people and youth workers - [link](#)

International Credit Mobility: ask your university for opportunities!

Erasmus Mundus Join Masters – search in [catalogue](#)

Study in Europe: find your [country](#) and [grants](#)

The Marie Skłodowska-Curie Action: [Supporting excellence in research and innovation](#)



ERASMUS+ STUDENT AND ALUMNI ALLIANCE

<https://www.salto-youth.net/rc/eeca/>

[Erasmus Students Network](#)

[EMA Alumni Ukraine](#)

<https://www.esaa-eu.org/about-us/esaa>

[HORIZONEUROPE FOR UKRAINE](#)

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ERASMUS+: 2014-2022

EDUCATION – formal, informal, lifelong learning with **245 HEIs funded**

International Mobility in Higher Education (KA1)

- **17 006** mobilities of students and staff**: **11 532** to Europe (5899 students, 5633 staff) and **5 474** (1555 students, 3919 staff) to UA
- **227** UA HEIs, **3** VET Institutions and **58** other organisations are involved into **1 889** projects.

Erasmus Mundus Joint Degrees – Master and PhD (KA1)

- **317** scholarships: **303** Masters and **14** PhD; **19** projects **23** partners.

Capacity building for Higher Education (KA2)*

- **48** projects, **271** instances, including **115** HEIs, **12** research institutions, **4** coordinators, about **43** mln. euro.

European University Alliance (KA2)

- **1** project with UA HEI as associated partner.

Strategic partnerships (KA2) in Education* – 23 projects with 9 HEIs among partners:

- **Higher Education** 7 projects, **6** UA HEIs as partners.
- **Adult Education** 12 projects with UA NGOs and **2** UA HEIs as partners.
- **School Education** 4 projects with UA **2** NGOs, **1** school, **1** gymnasium, **2** HEI as partners.

Strategic Partnerships (KA2) for COVID-19 Challenges Response (new)*:

- **for Digital Education Readiness:** **2** project with **2** UA HEIs as partner.
- **for Creativity:** **2** project with **2** UA NGOs as a partner.

E-Twinning Platform (KA2) for School Education: 1 317 schools, 2 549 teachers, 4 582 projects and School Education Gateway.

Policy support in higher education (KA3)

- **5 projects for Peer to Peer & Networks Support** with Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, ENIC/NARIC Ukraine* and UA NGO as partners (NEO&HERE).

Jean Monnet*

- **121** projects with participation **82** Modules, **4** Centers of Excellence, **12** Chairs, **10** Projects, **5** Networks and **8** Support for Associations projects, **1** module as experts. **57** UA organisations: including **45** Ukrainian Higher Education and research institutions, **2** research institutions and **10** NGOs from **21** cities of Ukraine. The total grant allocated amount is for **115** projects - over **3,9** mln. for Ukraine plus **1,3** mln. euro for multinational consortium of **5** networks.

YOUTH

Learning Mobility (KA1)

- **24 483** Youth strand and European Solidarity Corps participants** – **17 537** from **Ukraine**, **6 949** to **Ukraine****; **153** volunteering projects*, including **1** HEI in **2** projects* and **3 393** mobility projects*, including **15** HEIs among partners within **23** projects*.

Capacity building for Youth (KA2)*

- **59** projects, **46** partners including **3** HEIs; **22** organisations as coordinators at **6** mln. Euro.

Strategic partnerships for youth (KA2)*: 20 projects with UA NGOs including 4 UA HEIs as partners

Support to Policy Reform (KA3)*: 42 Youth Dialogue and **11** Dialogue between Young People and Policy Makers, as a result **53** projects with Ukrainian NGOs as partners, funded **287** participants.

SPORT

- **Collaborative Partnerships including Small Collaborative Partnerships*:** **12** projects with Ukrainian sports organisations, NGOs and **1** HEI are among partners or associated partners, plus Be Active Weeks.

Tempus/Erasmus Mundus/Jean Monnet: 1993 – 2017

- ✓ Tempus Programme in 1993-2013: **338** projects for modernisation of higher education
- ✓ Erasmus Mundus Programme in 2007-2013: **26** Partnerships with **1800** staff and students benefited from mobility.
- ✓ Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters and PhD students 2004-2013: **366** scholarships
- ✓ Jean Monnet Programme in 2001-2013: **27** projects for European Studies

#ErasmusPlus: projects with Ukraine 2021, 2022 calls (tbc)

- Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree Project in 2021 – One Ukrainian among the applications, and it was selected:
Taras Shevchenko University of Kyiv is a full partner of the EMJM ChEMoinformaticsplus - Artificial Intelligence in Chemistry
<https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/how-to-participate/org-details/999999999/project/101050809/program/43353764/details>
- Erasmus Mundus Design Measures in 2021 – 5 Ukrainian applicants, none of them funded.
- Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree Project in 2022 – No Ukrainian applicants, but 2 institutions were present as associated partners in applications.
- Erasmus Mundus Design Measures in 2022 – 6 applications, 2 selected projects:
National University of Kyiv – Mohyla Academy: Resource and Energy Efficiency and Circular Economy
<https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/how-to-participate/org-details/999999999/project/101082540/program/43353764/details>
National Aviation University – International Master Degree Programme Design: Sustainable Transport Engineering.
- Jean Monnet in 2021: 212 applications, 38 selected and under implementation.
- Jean Monnet in 2022: 233 applications, 93 selected and under signature of the grant agreements – deadline was March 1 with additional call April 9 specially for Ukraine.

We invite you to explore more on the [Projects Results Portal!](#)

Who we are – Erasmus Generation: in Ukraine 1993 – 2022

#ErasmusPlus: for Ukraine 2021-2027

We invite you to explore more on the [Projects Results Portal!](#)

- Over 5000 projects funded in education, youth and sports for staff, students, youth and infrastructure development
- Over 20 000 international mobilities in higher education of students and staff
- Over 24 000 youth learning mobilities
- + Erasmus families and kids!
- + Erasmus+ supports education institutions' staff, students and youth abroad and in Ukraine from the 1st day of Russian war against Ukraine!!!



- Over 30 calls are open as partners under all actions
- International mobility for HEIs and VET (blended)
- Learning mobility for youth
- Virtual Exchanges
- Erasmus Mundus
- Capacity Building in Higher Education and VET (staff/content/infrastructure)
- Jean Monnet (teaching/research/platforms)
- Cooperation Partnerships for Innovations
- European Universities Alliances
- eTwinning, SchoolEducationGateway, EPAL etc.

We invite you to collaborate actively with Ukrainian universities
under over **30 Erasmus+ opportunities!!!**

Welcome to contact for help, cooperation and synergy:

National Erasmus+ Office – [Ukraine team](#)
Information Center [Erasmus+ Youth and ESCs](#)
SALTO – [Youth Center](#) EaP
Erasmus Mundus [Alumni Association](#)
ESN – [Kyiv](#)
Eurodesk – [Ukraine](#)
eTwinningPlus – [Ukraine](#)
House of Europe – [Ukraine](#)
Creative Europe – [Ukraine](#)
HorizonEurope – [Ukraine](#)

Promotion of UA universities for foreign students by www.studyinukraine.gov.ua



Students of culture and arts faculty painting classes at the shelter.



Small girl is singing the Ukrainian Anthem during the medical care at the hospital after the missile targeted at her home!!!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=96WvadEMpx8>



National Erasmus+ Office and Higher Education Reform Experts team



- 3 colleagues are in Kyiv, 3 are temporary working from other cities and **13 HERES**
 - Regular contacts and support to HEIs, individuals and projects – Erasmus special measures for UA
 - Cooperation with the universities management and teams on the challenges to find solutions
 - Cooperation with the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine and other authorities
 - Communication/meetings with Erasmus+ project teams, coordinators, EACEA project officers and others
 - Cooperation/communication with DGs, EACEA, EU Delegation, Erasmus+ Agencies, education institutions, NGOs, other international organisations on the situation in Ukraine, challenges, needs, new opportunities, additional calls, sanctions on Erasmus without russia/belarus etc.
 - Matching between European and Ukrainian partners for cooperation
 - Organisation of webinars for beneficiaries and applicants
 - Regular website news unit updates
- EU and other support to Ukraine during war
 - Recommendations to the projects implementation
 - Recommendations to potential beneficiaries
 - Events/opportunities for staff and students
 - Other resources to support for educational institutions, staff and students during the war



Helping hands
Ambassadors
Academic and Science diplomacy
Resources
Other activities





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#StandWithUkraine

You are welcome to contact for help
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Official HELP Ukraine:

<https://war.ukraine.ua/support-ukraine/>



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