



Erasmus+

Capacity Building in Higher Education

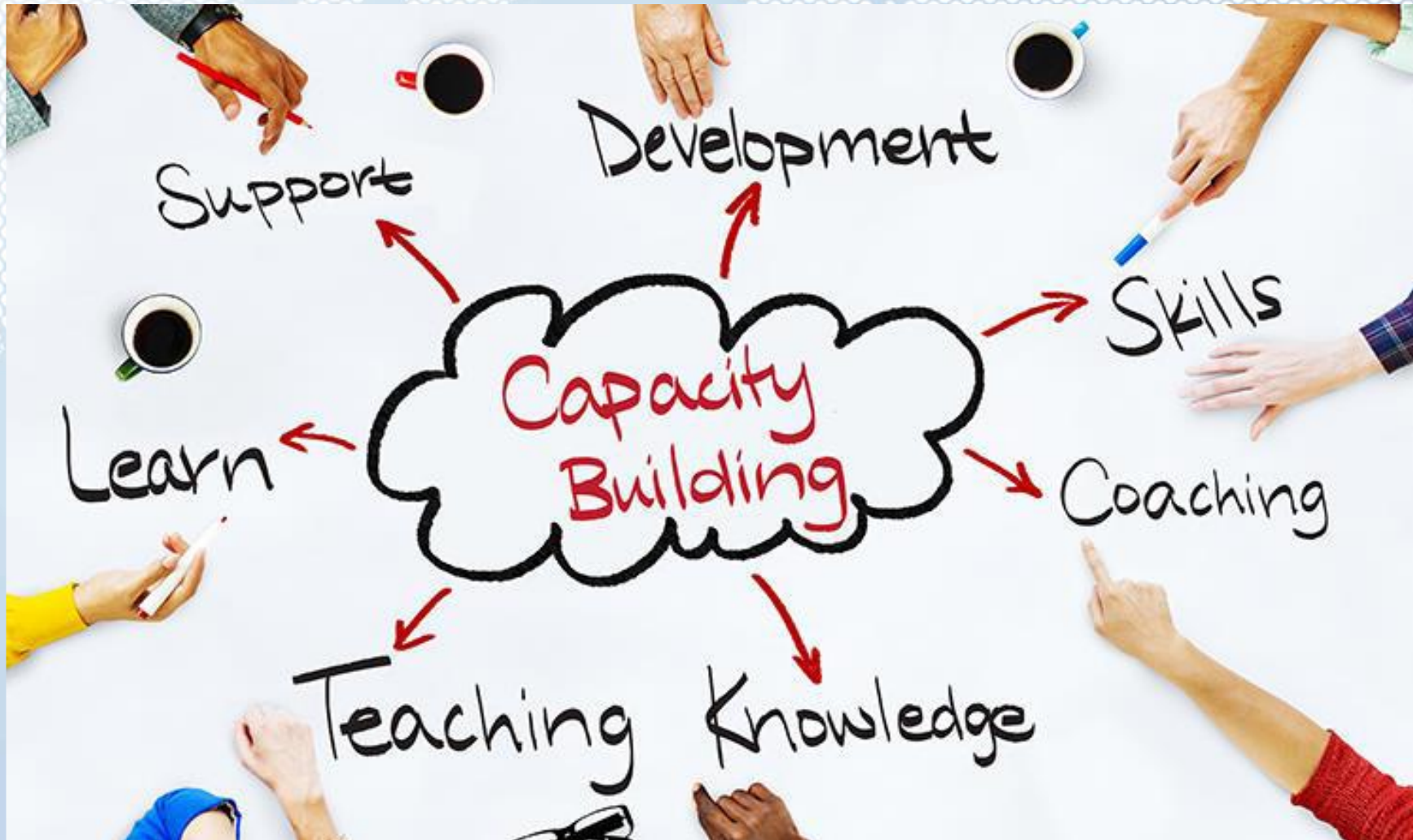
Erasmus+ Info Day

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What is it about?



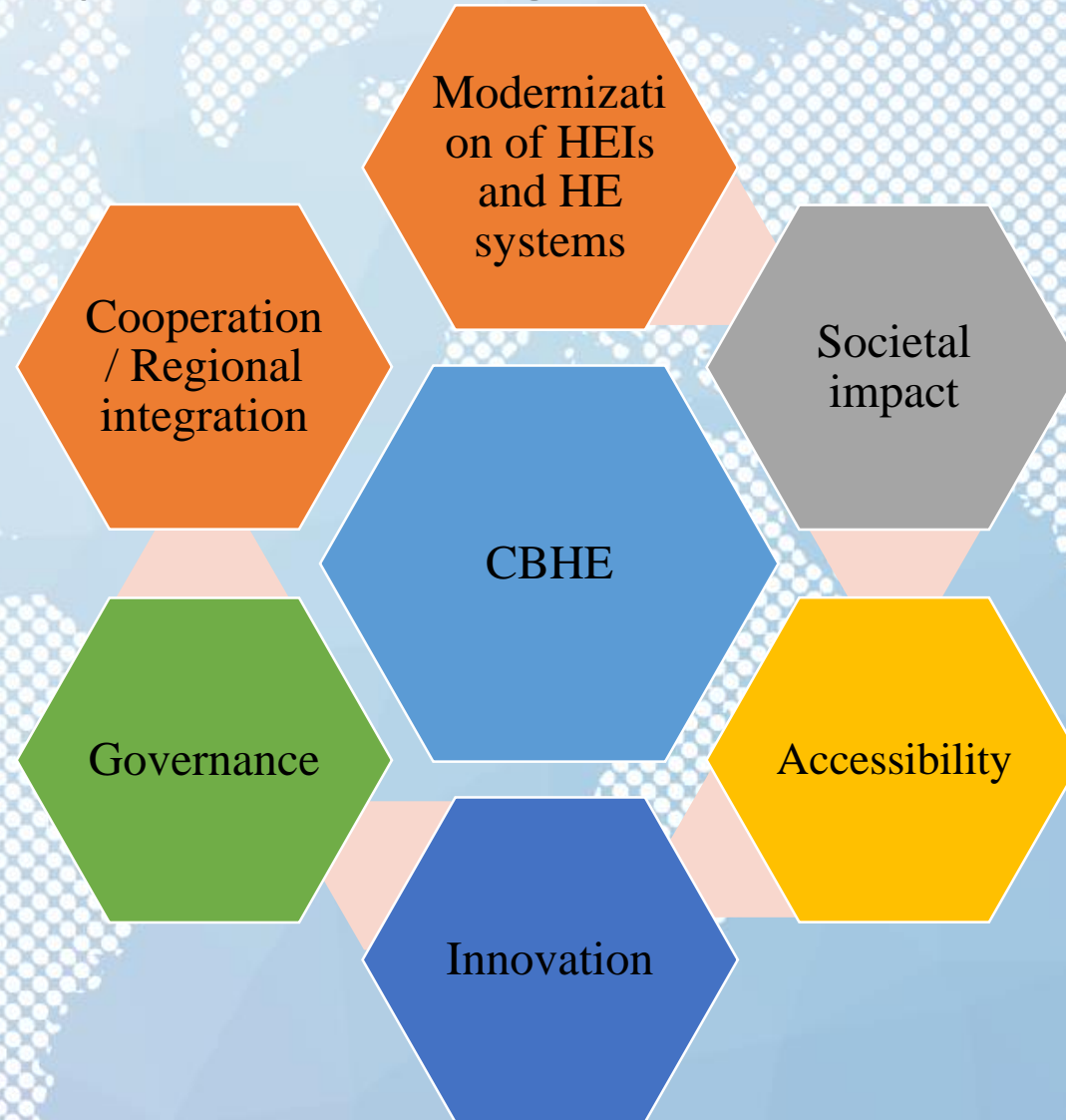
Capacity Building in HE: Purpose

Focus on the needs of the third countries not associated to the programme

Targeting the priorities of the third countries not associated to the Erasmus+ programme and matching them with the EU priorities for these countries

Maximizing benefit to third countries not associated to the programme

Capacity Building in HE: Objectives



Three types of CBHE projects

National projects	Multi-country regional projects	Multi-country cross-regional projects
HEIs from one third country not associated to the programme	HEIs from several countries not associated to the Erasmus+ programme from one region	HEIs from countries not associated to the Erasmus+ programme belonging to several regions

At least 2 HEIs from 2 countries associated to Erasmus+ (EU member states and other Programme countries)

National projects: eligibility criteria

Third countries not associated to Erasmus+

1 eligible country

Minimum 2 HEIs

EU member states & third countries associated to Erasmus+

At least 2 countries

Minimum 1 HEI from each participating country



Multi-country projects: eligibility criteria

Third countries not associated to Erasmus+

- Same Region (regional projects)
- Different Regions (cross-regional projects)

EU member states & third countries associated to Erasmus+

Minimum 2 eligible countries

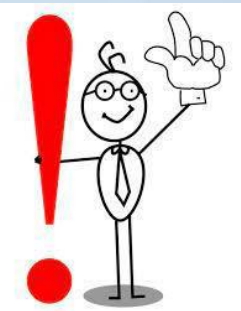
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Minimum 2 HEIs from each eligible country

Minimum 1 HEI from each country



**For Western Balkans, Russian Federation, Latin America and Caribbean:
Only multi country projects!**



New features

Three strands

- New type of support

Regional priorities

- Overarching and sub-priorities

New budget system

- Lump sum

New publication system

- FTOP

Three strands

Strand 1

Fostering
access to
cooperation in
HE

Strand 2

Partnerships
for
transformation

Strand 3

Structural
reform
projects

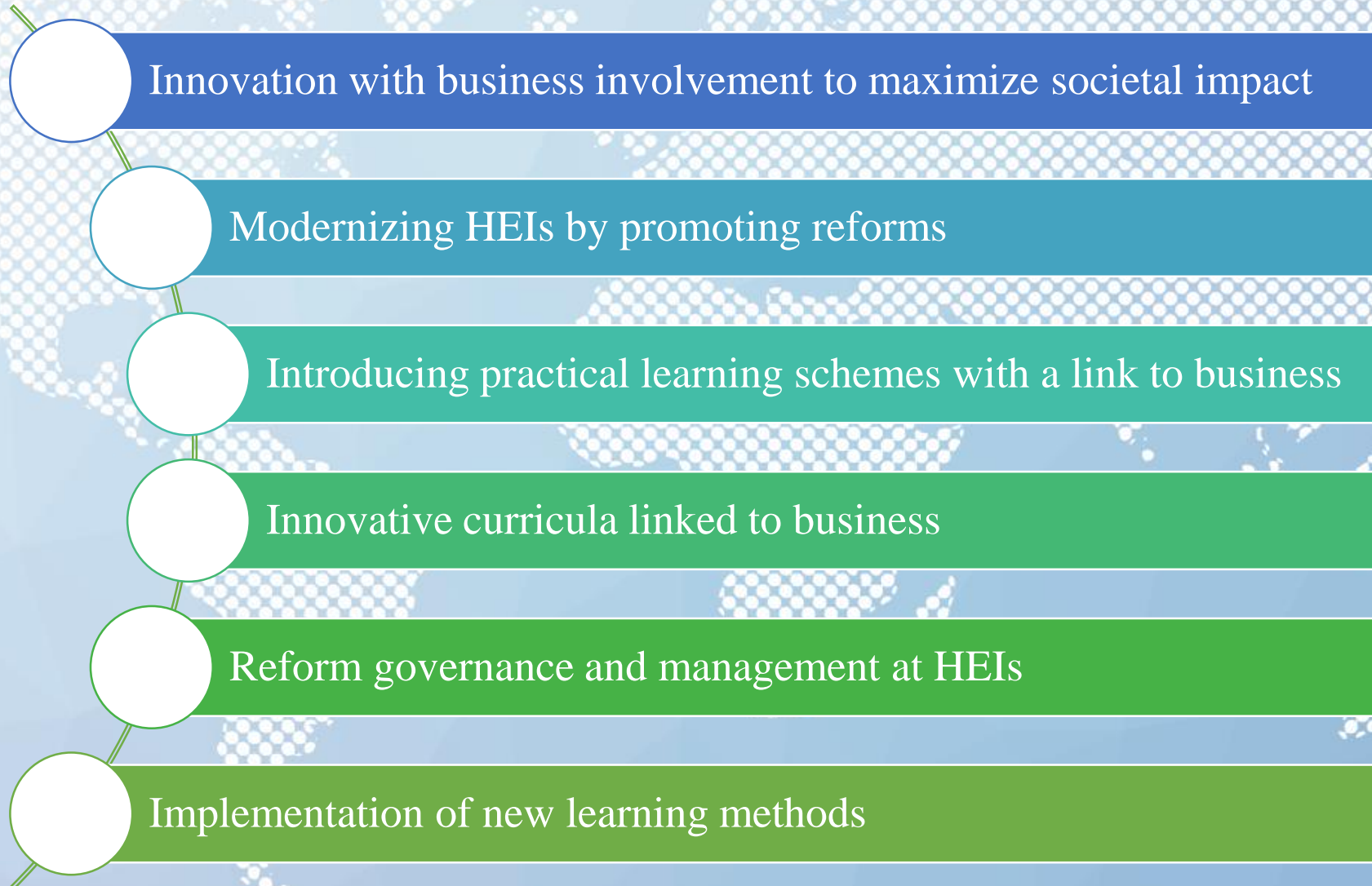
Strand 1

Fostering access to cooperation in HE



Strand 2

Partnerships for transformation



Strand 3

Structural reform projects

Mutual learning between public authorities of the countries associated to the programme and those of the third countries

Promote inclusive Higher Education systems

Increase capacities of bodies in charge of HE

Identify synergies with ongoing EU initiatives

Foster national ownership

Efficient and effective policy making

Foster common regional strategies in HE

Introduction of funding mechanisms



New regional priorities

Overarching priorities

Green deal

Digital
transformation


Migration and
mobility

Governance,
peace, security
and human
development

Sustainable
growth and
jobs

New budget type

Lump sum II: approach – basic principles



Applicant must provide a detailed estimation of costs and a split of the lump sum per work package and per beneficiary

Evaluators assess cost details during evaluation and make recommendations if needed

The lump sum is fixed during grant preparation

Duration and funding rules per Strand

Strand 1

- Projects can last 24 or 36 months
- Funding between EUR 200.000 and EUR 400.000 per project

Strand 2

- Projects can last 24 or 36 months
- Funding between EUR 400.000 and EUR 800.000 per project

Strand 3

- Projects can last 36 or 48 months
- Funding between EUR 800.000 and EUR 1.000.000 per project

Indicative available budget and no of projects

	Indicative 2022 CBHE budget	Indicative budget for strand 1	Indicative n° of projects to be funded	Indicative budget for strand 2	Indicative n° of projects to be funded	Indicative budget for strand 3	Indicative n° of projects to be funded
Western Balkan region	12.020.010	5.168.610	12	4.808.000	6	2.043.400	2

TIMELINE

Publication,
second half
of November
2021

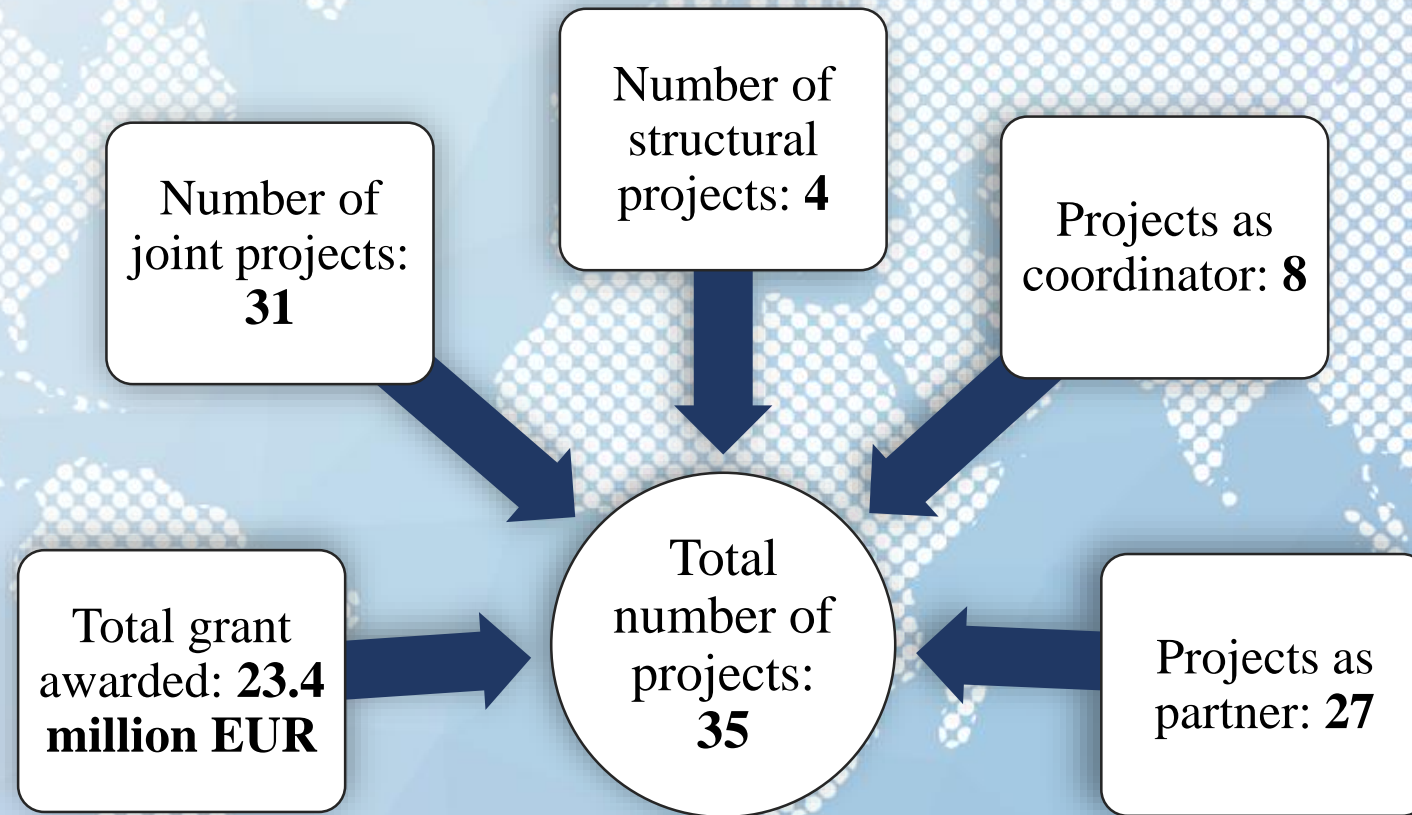
Deadline:
**February 17,
2022**

Evaluation
process:
**March-July
2022**

Information
to applicants:
August 2022

Start of
project:
end of 2022

An overview from the past experience Montenegro in CBHE projects 2014-2020





Thank you for your attention!

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