



# Erasmus+

## Tell me about your story – what`s on after mobility period? Overcoming the credit recognition challenges after Erasmus + mobility period

Europe Month – Erasmus+ Month

25<sup>th</sup> of May 2021

Rectorate of the University of Montenegro

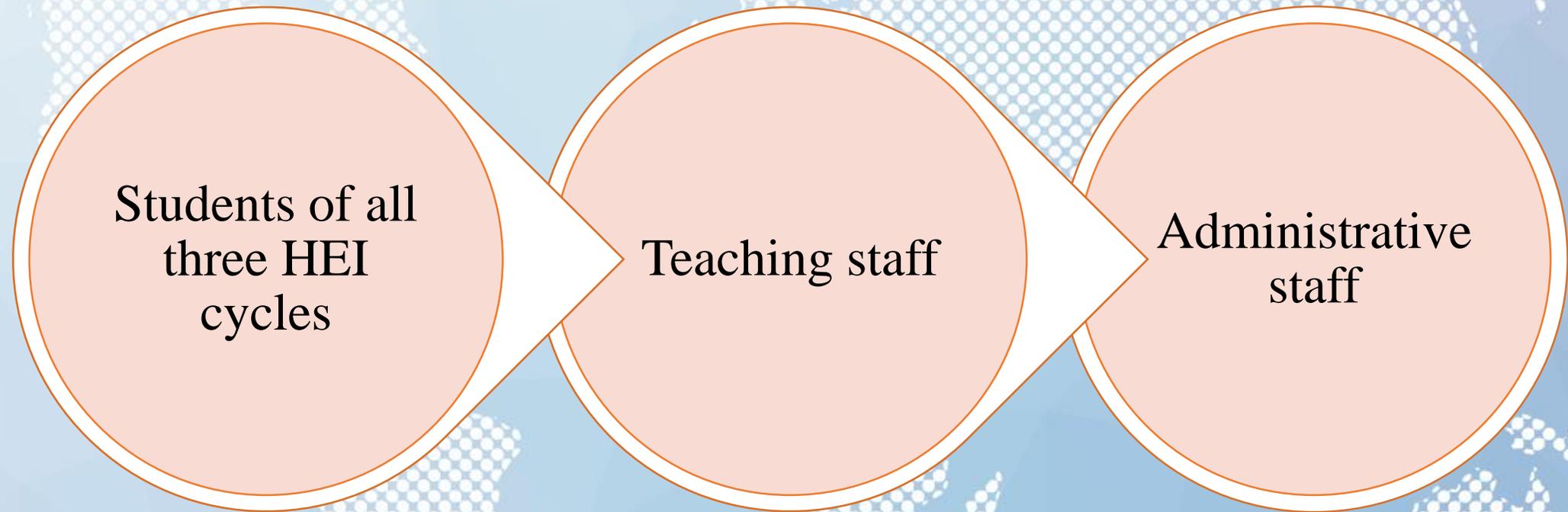


# Rationale behind the event

- Improving credit recognition at all levels
- Analyze problems related to recognition
- Raising awareness of elements to be taken into account when applying
- Encourage participation of under-represented university units
- Encourage participation in traineeship opportunities
- Encourage inclusive approach
- Systematic approach towards mobility



# ICM – who is it for?



# How does ICM work?



2022  
call

- Short-term studies or traineeships abroad (2-12 months) that count to a degree back home.
- For staff (5 days – 2 months)

- Bachelor, Master and Doctoral level

- Grants to cover travel and living costs

- HEIs from EU MS and associated third countries may apply to their National Agency

# International Credit Mobility: application

How to  
apply?

Contact the International  
Office of your HEI to get  
informed about the  
conditions of participation

Application is done  
through your own  
HEI

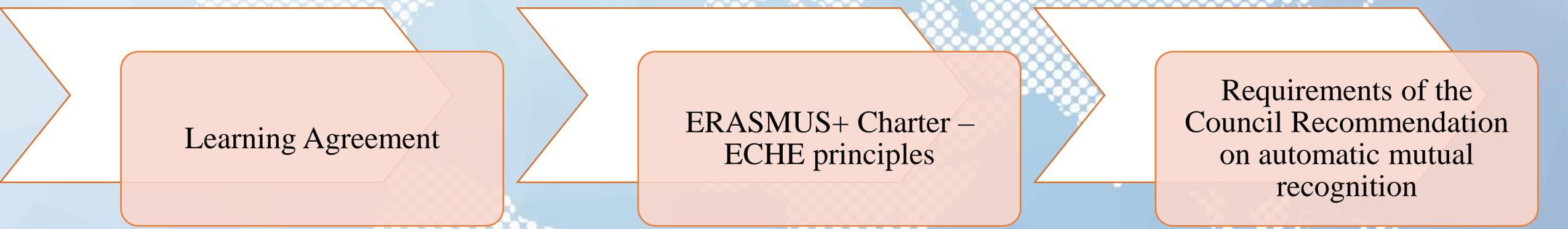
What's  
next?

Learning agreement  
*(signed between mobility user, sending  
and receiving institution for study  
programme definition aims, learning  
outcomes and credit recognition aims)*



Once selected

# Roles and responsibilities of different parties



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Learning Agreement

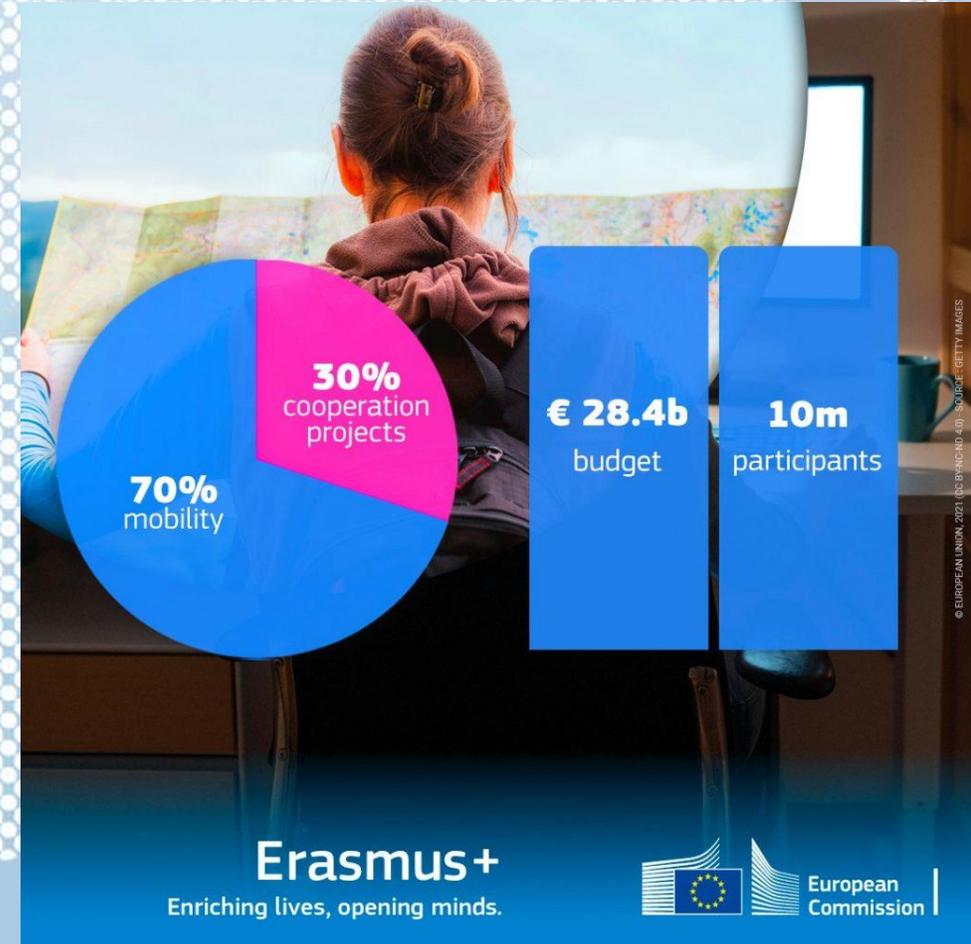
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# LOOK INTO THE FUTURE

## ERASMUS + 2021-2027

Budget:  
More than  
28 billion  
EUR



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## ERASMUS + 2021-2027

Priorities of  
the  
programme:

- Inclusion and diversity
- Digital transformation
- Green economy

# Important features of the new Erasmus+ programme

Multilingualism

Protection, health and safety of participants

International dimension

Recognition and validation of skills and qualifications

Communicating projects and their result to maximize impact

Open access for educational materials

Open access for research and data

# International Credit Mobility projects 2014 -2020



**475**  
selected  
ICM  
project



# Role of National Erasmus + Office

Monitor the implementation of ICM projects

Draft recommendations as regards further improvements based on the discussion held with HEIs representatives and students

Conveying message to DG EAC and respective NAs

Assisting in promoting and connecting Montenegrin HEIs with potential partners

# Challenges for Montenegro

- Proactive role of vice-deans for international cooperation
- Coordinated approach when entering partnership schemes
- Analysis/database of the so far participation
- Involve underrepresented units
- Pay attention to regulated professions
- Make connection with companies from Montenegro
- Enable practical traineeship of students
- Prioritization in terms of fields to be covered
- Evaluation of students` opinion
- Obligatory inclusive approach from systemic level
- Valorization of practical traineeship done through recognition of credits

# More information



[2021 Erasmus+ Programme guide](#)



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## **Thank you for your attention!**

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