

JOINT PROJECT:

Development of approaches to harmonisation of comprehensive internationalisation strategies in Higher Education in Asian countries / HARMONY

HARMONY project`s Summary:

The Project addresses the process of internationalisation of higher Education (IoHE) in Asian countries as the one that requires immediate national and institutional response and joint action. Enabling national Higher Education (HE) bodies and Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) to strategically manage internationalisation in the provision of education, research, mobility and services are regarded to be the project`s overall objective and the main underpinning of Partner countries` accountable and complementary role in EU-Asia cooperation development.

The project's key target groups are academics, researchers, students and administrators who are participating or wish to participate in international collaboration. The qualitative leap in the process of internationalisation they will benefit from stems from the project's main outcomes:

1. Developing and implementing of internationalisation strategies at university level along with coherent institutional measures capable of steering comprehensive internationalisation, improving institutional capacities for the growing participation in international projects and strengthening the process of internal integration of Partner countries.
2. Consolidation of national legislative that has been lacking to date by developing of Set of Recommendations (Roadmap) on Internationalisation of Higher Education (including Internationalisation of curricula, Academic Mobility and Recognition of Degrees) (in line with the National development programmes).

HARMONY project`s duration: 36 months (15th January 2020 – 14th January 2023)

Foreseen BUDGET: 1.000.000, 00 EUR

Overall Objective:

Strengthening the role of Asian HEIs within the EU`s strategy “Connecting Europe & ASIA” through building up of comprehensive internationalisation of higher education (IoHE) in Asian countries in order to enhance the quality of education and research, mobility and services, and to make meaningful contribution to society.

Specific Objectives:

- To develop and implement comprehensive internationalisation strategies at universities in Asian countries.
- To encourage flexible and sustainable international and regional cooperation and capacity-building in respect of research and education at university level.
- To advance national legislative which will sustain the process of internationalisation of Asian countries education and research.

Partners:

Partners:		PIC:
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P18-	SPAIN	

3. Preliminary actions and requested documents

- **Mandate:** a scanned copy of a Mandate (please, find attached), duly signed by your University's legal representative (Rector or President) please, send to me as soon as possible.
- **University profile and operational capacity:** information on your University shall be submitted to me no later than **25th January 2019**.