

**Requirements for application of projects in the field of capacity building in higher education (CBHE),
within the Erasmus+ program for 2025 (ERASMUS-EDU-2025-CBHE)**

Who can send a project application (i.e. who can be a lead partner)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Higher Education Institution (HEI) • organisation of HEIs
Consortium composition (min. number of partners)*	<p><u>For Strands 1 and 2:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at least 2 countries from the group of EU countries or third countries associated to the Programme, with at least 1 HEI from each country • at least 2 third countries not associated to the Programme, with at least 2 HEIs from each country <p><u>For Strand 3:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • at least 2 countries from the group of EU countries or third countries associated to the Programme, with at least 1 HEI from each country • at least 1 third country not associated to the Programme, with participation from each country of at least 2 HEIs and of a national competent authority (e.g. Ministry) responsible for higher education
Duration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 or 36 months – Strands 1 and 2 • 36 or 48 months – Strand 3
Deadline for submission of applications	6 th of February 2025, at 17:00 (Brussels time)
Grant amount	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strand 1: 200.000 – 400.000 EUR • Strand 2: 400.000 – 800.000 EUR • Strand 3: 600.000 – 1.000.000 EUR
Own financial contribution	At least 10% of the estimated budget
Limits per budget categories	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • for equipment: max. 35% of the awarded grant • for subcontracting: max. 10% of the awarded grant
Indicative date of grant agreement signing	October/November 2025

* “Third countries associated to the Programme”: Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Turkey, North Macedonia, Serbia.
“Third countries not associated to the Programme” (from “Region 1” – Western Balkans): Montenegro, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Albania, Kosovo. “Not associated” countries can be from the same Region or from different Regions.

The number of participating institutions from third countries not associated to the Programme must be equal or higher than the number of institutions from EU countries and third countries associated to the Programme.

In third countries not associated to the Programme where the number of HEIs is lower than 5 in the whole country, or in cases where one single institution represents more than 50% of the overall student population of the country, applications counting only one HEI from those countries will also be accepted.