



National Erasmus+ Office Lebanon

# Opening Horizons for Cooperation

Baltic Info Days 2023

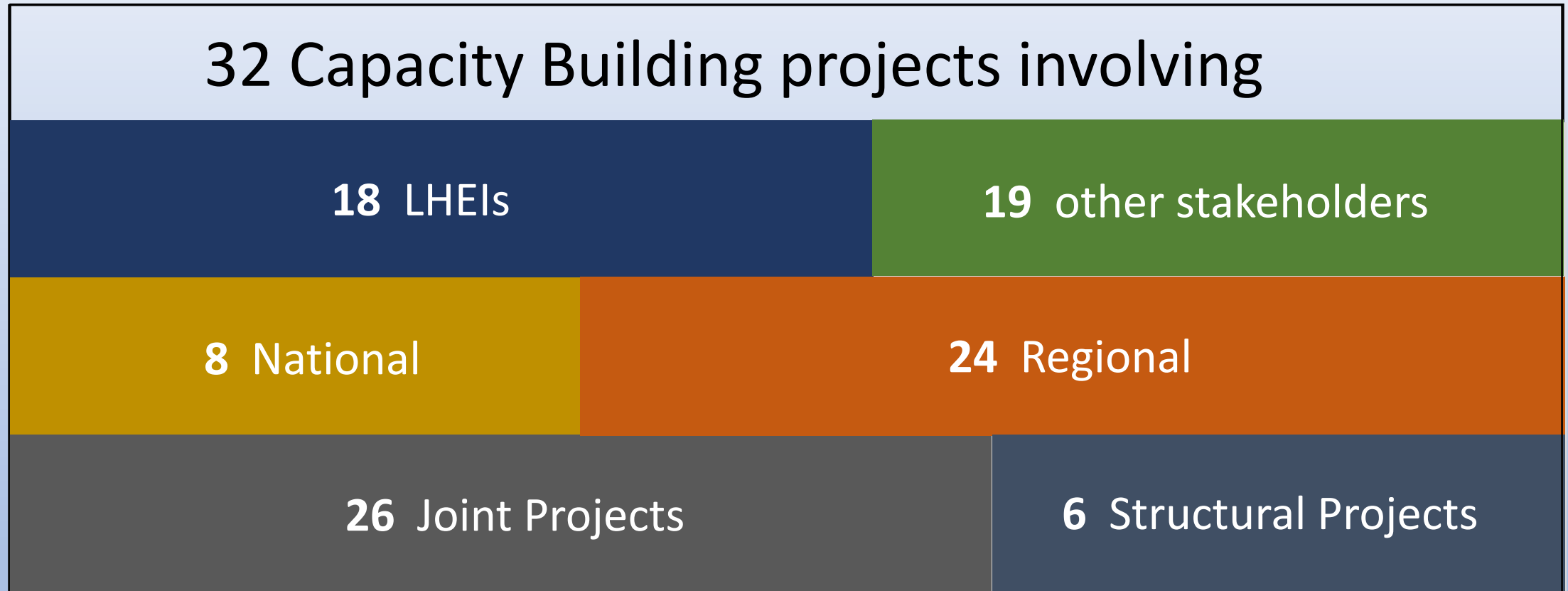
Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia

22 November

Vilnius, Lithuania

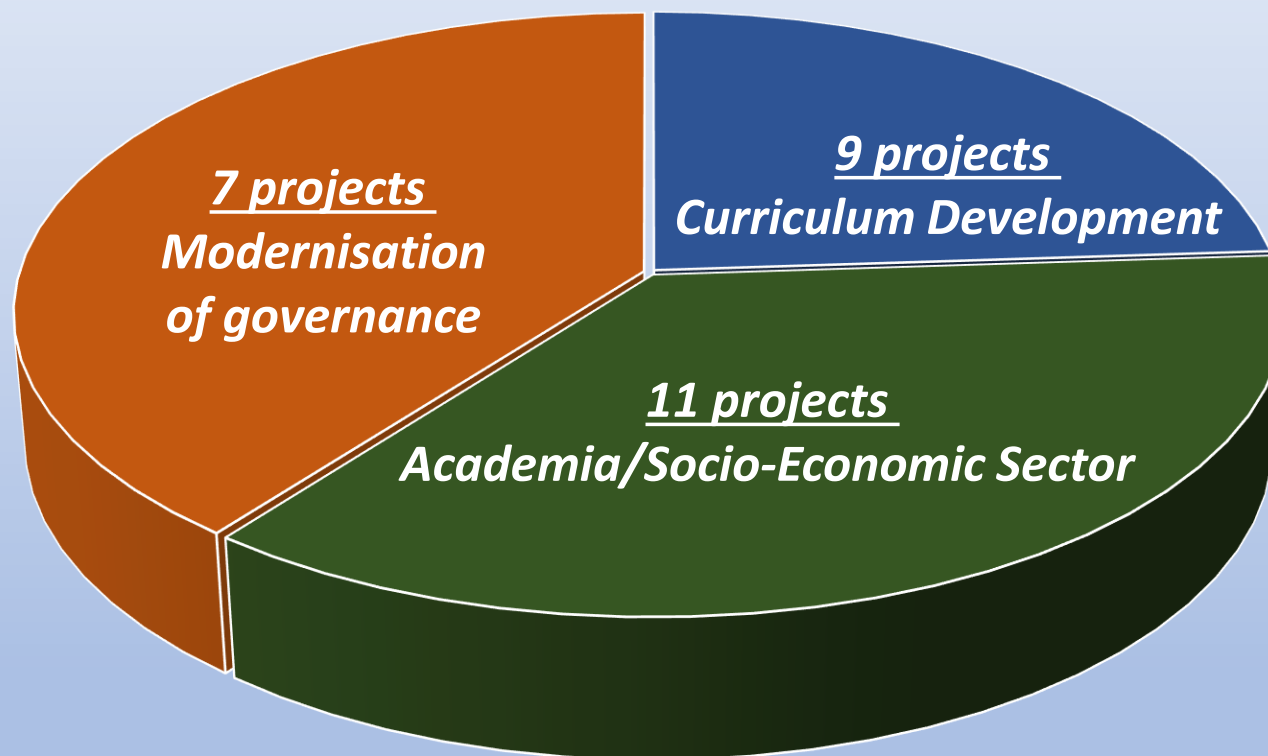


# Facts and Figures: Erasmus+ CBHE projects (2015-2023)



**2022 Guide for HEIs and CBHE projects by NEO Lebanon:** <https://erasmusplus-lebanon.org/guide>

# Facts and Figures: Priorities covered by 32 CBHE projects (2015 - 2020)



## Beyond 2020:

This categorisation is not used after 2020.

In the years 2022 and 2023, 5 projects were selected involving Lebanon in the areas of:

- Gender Equality & women empowerment
- Artificial intelligence
- Social entrepreneurship
- Sustainable energy

# Facts and Figures : Areas covered by CBHE projects (2015-2023)

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Gas and Oil

Road Safety

Energy Planning

Management of Engineering projects

Professional Standards for Teaching and Learning

Mediterranean Network for Employability

European Projects Design and Management

Renewable Energy,

Lebanese Diploma Supplement

eHealth

Career building

Internationalisation at Home

Univ-Enterprise Coop

Democratic Governance and Human Rights

Support to student refugees

Recognition of qualifications

Quality Assurance

Support to NGOs

UNESCO Biosphere

Students Empowerment

Urban Development

Artificial Intelligence & Robotics

Wastewater treatment for hospitals

Student-run care clinics

Entrepreneurship

Supply Chain Management

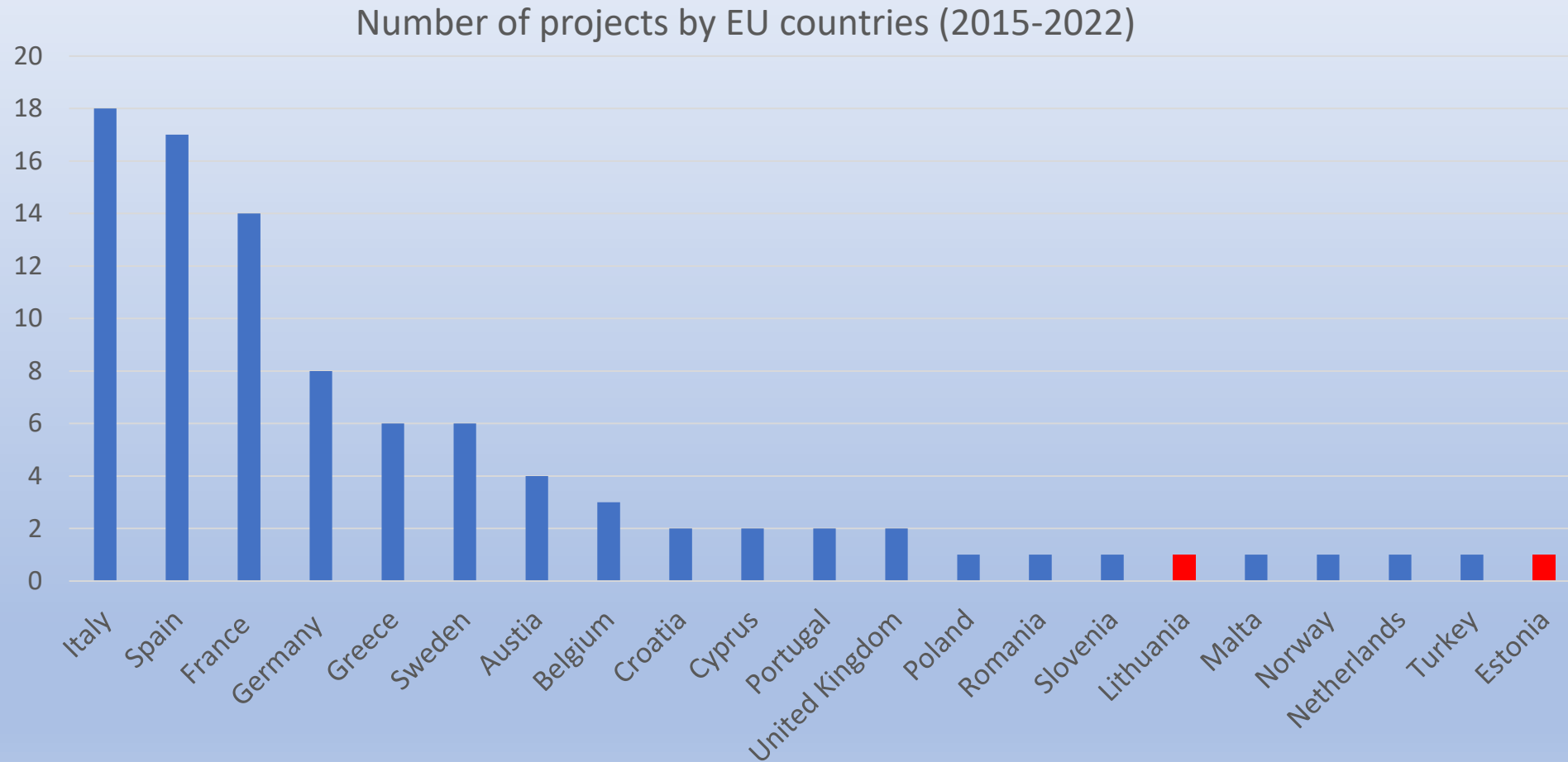
Gender Equality and women empowerment

Artificial intelligence

Social entrepreneurship



# Preferred Partnerships: partnering in CBHE projects



# Cooperation with Baltic Countries in CBHE & ICM (2015-2023)

	E+ CBHE	Coordinator	E+ ICM (up to 2021)
<i>Lithuania</i>	1	0	18
<i>Latvia</i>	0	0	3
<i>Estonia</i>	1	0	1

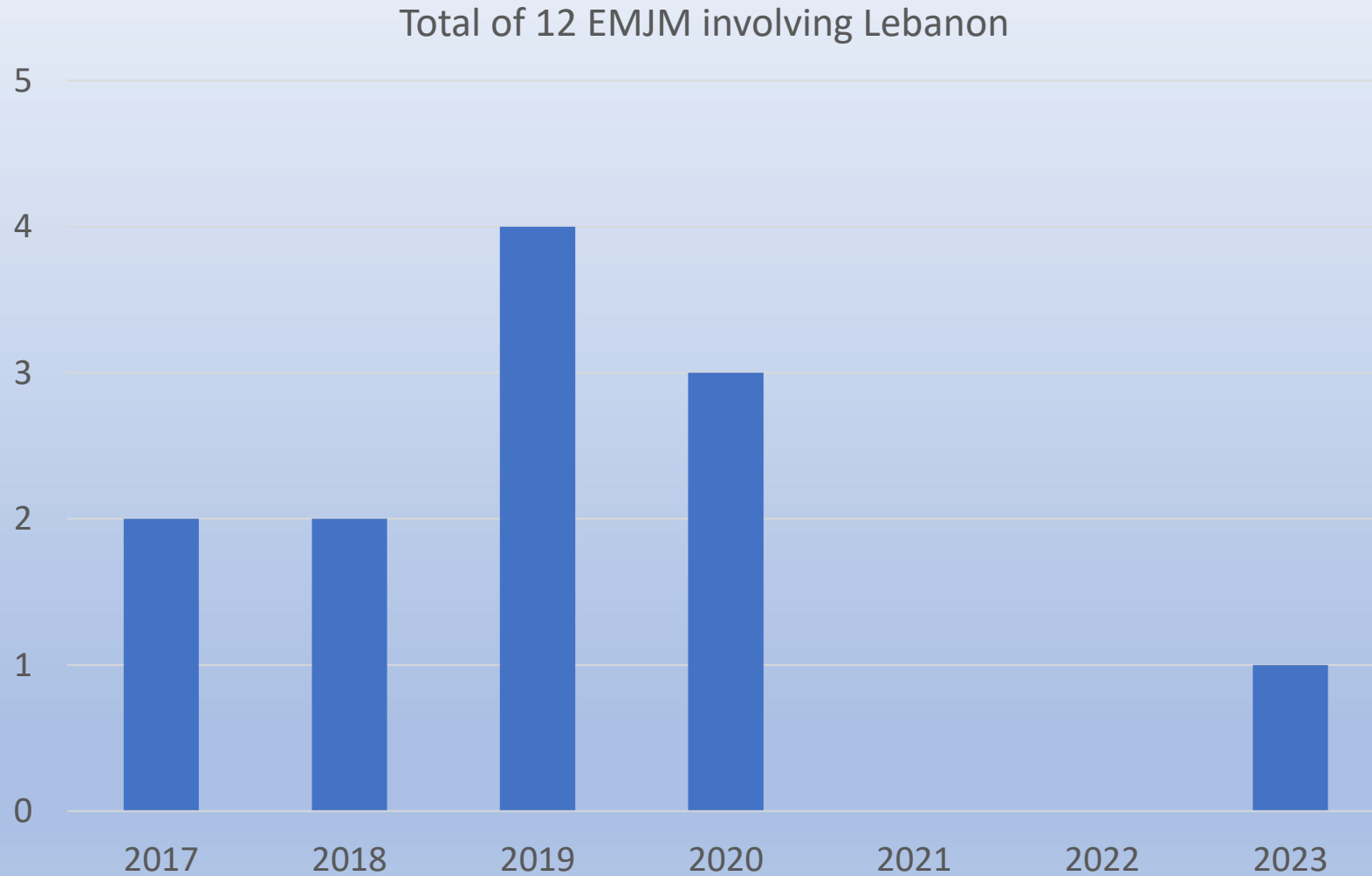
# Cooperation with Baltic Countries in CBHE (2015-2023)

2018	Female Academic Role Model Empowerment, Equality and Sustainability at Universities in Mediterranean Region: towards 2030 Agenda ( <b>FREE</b> ) <a href="https://freeproject.eu/">https://freeproject.eu/</a>	American University of Beirut, Lebanese University, Modern University for Business and Science	Spain (Applicant), Germany, Lithuania*, Syria, Jordan  *Vilnius Gediminas Technical University	36	996,779.00
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2020	Interprofessional student-run primary CARE clinics: A University-Enterprise Knowledge Triangle Cooperation Approach ( <b>ICARE</b> )	Beirut Arab University, Modern University of Business and Science, Notre Dame University, LEAD	Sweden (Applicant), Italy, Greece, Estonia*, Austria, Egypt  *Tallin University of Technology	36	906,990.00
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# Facts and Figures: Erasmus+ EMJM projects (2015-2023)

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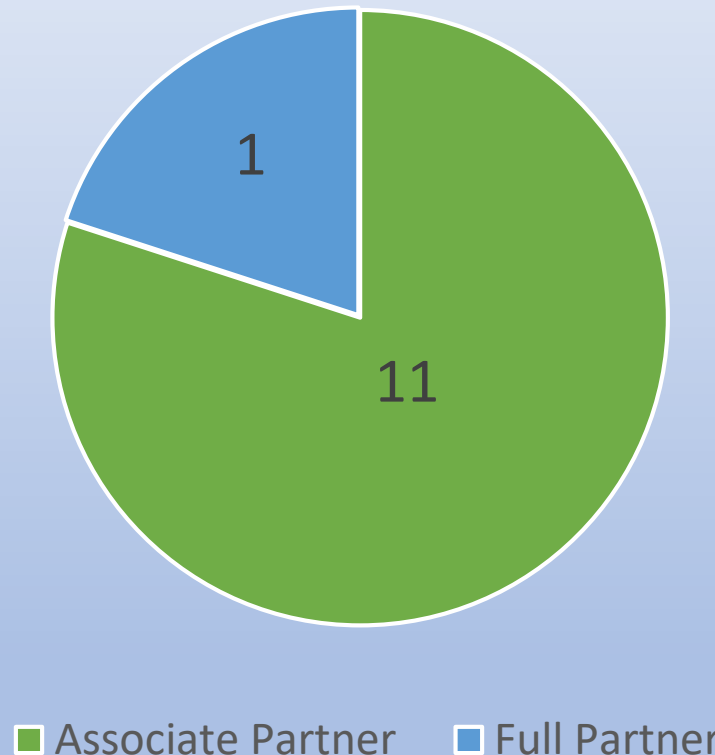


For more info: <https://erasmusplus-lebanon.org/resources/EG5Agpl0nV/JYqKp3x7am>



# Facts and Figures: Erasmus+ EMJM projects (2015-2023)

Participation of Lebanese HEIs in the 12 EMJMs



## Topics covered:

- Engineering
- Robotics
- Journalism
- Film directing
- Architecture
- Public health in disaster
- Cropping system

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# Cooperation with Baltic Countries in EMJM up to 2023

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2020	Kino Eyes - The European Fiction Master	USJ (Associate Partner)	COFAC COOPERATIVA DE FORMACAO E ANIMACAO CULTURAL CRL, Portugal (Applicant), <b>TALLINN UNIVERSITY, Estonia (Partner)</b> , DUN LAOGHAIRE INSTITUTE OF ART, DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY, Ireland (Partner), EDINBURGH NAPIER UNIVERSITY, UK (Partner) + 40 Associate partners
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# National Needs

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- Revision of higher education law that dates back to 2014
- National system for QA
- Alignment of university programmes to address employability and labor market needs
- Need for more research and innovation to contribute to better employment
- Structured inter-university cooperation in the field of research – cooperation framework for research
- National Qualification Framework
- Restructuring of the Directorate General of HE
- National Higher Education Management Information System - HEMIS
- Action plans to implement the National policy for inclusion, health, digital transformation
- Waste management
- Skills development/upskilling/reskilling/short cycled education certification/micro credentials
- Recognition of online teaching and learning

# Priority areas to cooperate with Lebanon

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## Lebanon 5-year HE plan 2023-2027 – Priorities:

- **Priority 1:** Strengthen governance and accountability
- **Priority 2:** Enhance quality and quality assurance
- **Priority 3:** Increase funding and monitor performance
- **Priority 4:** Higher education information and data
- **Priority 5:** Education, skills, relevance
- **Priority 6:** University-based research, development and innovation
- **Priority 7:** Doctoral education
- **Priority 8:** Teaching and learning
- **Priority 9:** Service to society and civic engagement
- **Priority 10:** Internatiolisation and strategic partnership
- **Priority 11:** Equality, diversity and Inclusion

# Good practice CBHE projects

2020	SWaTH	Environment	Establishment of the waste water treatment facility; recommendation letter to the ministry of public health, involvement of Lebanese red cross, 165 hospitals and municipalities. <a href="http://www.swath.eu/">http://www.swath.eu/</a>
2019	MED2IaH	Internationalisation	Internationalisation at Home strategies and action plans. <a href="https://emuni.si/projects/med2iah/">https://emuni.si/projects/med2iah/</a>
2018	FREE	Women empowerment	Virtual courses: Gender equality, sustainability in HE, female empowerment, soft and digital skills around 1000 attendees in each <a href="https://freeproject.eu/">https://freeproject.eu/</a>
2018	EduBioMed	Environment	Developing a legal framework that governs the work of UNESCO BRs in relation to a clearly identified governing body; Cooperation between HE, research, BR and citizens through online tools of citizen science and IT management system for collaborative research. <a href="https://www.edubiomed.eu/">https://www.edubiomed.eu/</a>
2015	RESUME	Employability	reveals high sustainability level of its projects results such as the sustainability of its career centre CENTRE MINE for training, capacity building, skilling. <a href="https://www.resumeproject.eu/">https://www.resumeproject.eu/</a>

# Project Ideas

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21 project ideas collected from Lebanese HEIs:

<b>AI and robotics</b>	<b>Climate justice</b>	<b>Inclusion</b>
<b>Geopolitics</b>	<b>Nuclear physics</b>	<b>Sustainable development</b>
<b>Green chemistry</b>	<b>Chemical engineering</b>	<b>Applied mathematics</b>
<b>Micro credentials</b>	<b>Solid waste management</b>	<b>Human rights</b>

→ Some alignment with national needs

→ You will see them soon on the search for partner tool on our website: <https://erasmusplus-lebanon.org/resources/OJyKjbKBq0/M0YAn1KXp4>

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