



Other EC funded opportunities for Latin America higher education

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Programmes :

- Erasmus Mundus
- Erasmus for All
- Marie Curie Actions under FP7
- Marie Skłodowska-Curie under Horizon 2020
- Horizon 2020

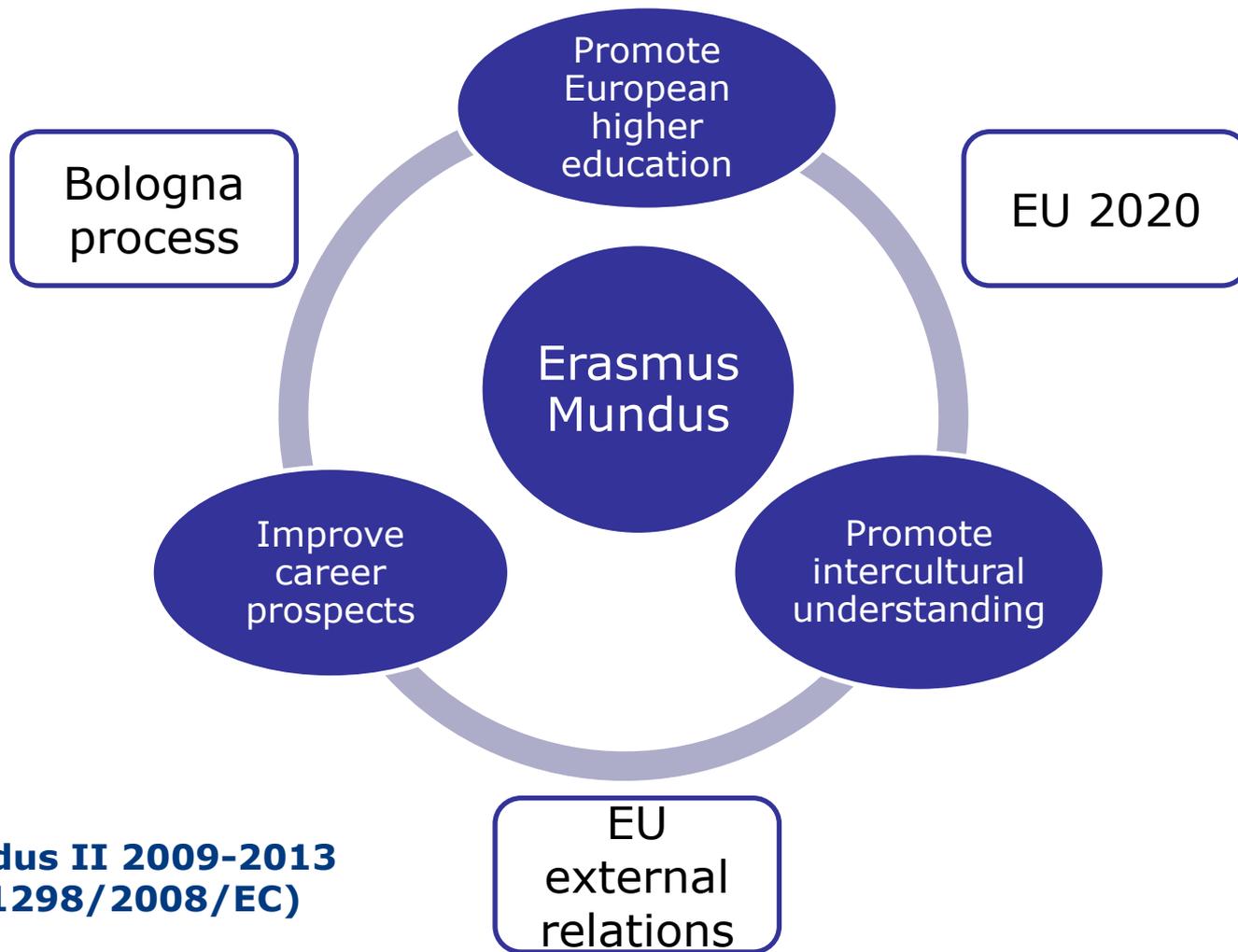


Erasmus Mundus

The programme in brief

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Policy context → programme aims





The Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA)

is in charge for the management and implementation of all three actions of Erasmus Mundus, under the responsibility supervision of the

Directorate-General for Education and Culture (DG EAC of the European Commission)

and

EuropeAid Development and Cooperation (DG DEVCO)

Erasmus
Mundus

EM 3 ACTIONS



ACTION 1:

Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Courses
NO CALL IN 2013
Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorates

ACTION 2:

Erasmus Mundus Partnerships

ACTION 3:

Projects to promote higher education cooperation between Europe and the rest of the world

SCHOLARSHIPS

students
(undergr to post-doc.) and
Staff
(acad. and admin.)

any organisation
active in the field of
higher education

Action 1: Joint Programmes



An EM Masters Course or Joint Doctorate

- is developed and delivered by a consortium of HEIs (with study in at least two HEIs)
- involve at least three European HEIs and may involve non-EU HEIs
- awards full-study scholarships + scholar grants
- provides a joint degree/multiple degrees

link:

Students, doctoral candidates, teachers, researchers and other academic staff from America Latina can address their applications directly to the selected Erasmus Mundus masters and doctoral programmes

Action 2: Partnerships



- **The external Cooperation scheme of Erasmus Mundus**, which was launched in 2006 as a complement to the original programme, is **financed by DG DEVCO** (ENPI, DCI, EDF) and DG Enlargement (IPA)
- It promoted partnerships and institutional co-operation exchanges between European higher education institutions and those in third countries, as well as a mobility scheme with scholarships for student and academic exchanges.

You may wish to review some of the websites of the existing projects

Action 3: projects



Supports transnational initiatives, events, studies, and other promotion projects that:

- promote European higher education
- tackle issues of international higher education cooperation:
 - in specific geographical areas
 - in particular academic disciplines
 - relating to higher education management

Universities from the 18 Latin American countries may be involved as a partner in one of the consortia which have to be submitted by European HEIs under the annual Erasmus Mundus Calls for Proposals.

Action 2 : Partnerships



Objectives:

- Large partnerships between universities from the EU and non-EU universities from a specific region (lots)
- Scholarships of varying length (1 month to 3 years)
- Bachelor, master, doctorate, post-doctorate students and Staff (training, teaching, research activities, HE management)
- Mobility not linked to specific programmes (all programmes on offer in partner HEIs can be followed)
- Addressing different target groups including vulnerable groups
- Integration of cross-cutting issues (i.e. disadvantaged group and gender balance)

Action 2:



- Universities from the 18 **Latin American** countries may **be involved as a partner** in one of the partnerships Action 2 which have to be submitted by European HEIs under the annual Erasmus Mundus Calls for Proposals.
- Under Action 2 Latin American Universities may be involved as partner or, in addition play an important **role as joint coordinator** for a partnerships proposals submitted by an EU HEIs.

You can also consult the Erasmus Mundus partner search tool here: <http://erasmusmundus.teamwork.fr/>

First Call for Proposals 2013 an exemple

- Calls for Proposals and selections are managed by the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) on behalf of the European Commission

2013 Call (EACEA/38/12) launched December 2012

- Deadline for proposals: 15 April 2013
- Assessment by independent experts
- Targets:
 - 62 Action 2 - Partnerships
 - 8 Action 3 - Projects
- Selection to be completed by July 2013



Proposed shape of lots:
Action 2 (**First**) Call 2013 (rest of the world)

Proposed n° of partnerships:

X



Erasmus Mundus Action 2: **first** Call 2013

America Latina Lot 14 and Lot 15

Budget available:	EUR 25,98 million
Partnership to be selected:	6
Max duration:	48 months
Minim. Mobility Flow:	130 mobility scholarships
Start of student mobility:	3 cohorts

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Action 2 partnerships

A. Organisation of the mobility:

- EUR 10,000 flat rate per partner
- EUR 10,000 flat rate for co-coordination (if applicable)

B. Scholarships:

- Monthly allowance
- Tuition and registration costs
- Insurance
- Travel costs, according to distance-based flat rates

Action 2: how much is the scholarship?

Type	Monthly subsistence	Duration (months)	Tuition/ Registration	Insurance (per month)	Maximum (excl travel)
Masters	€ 1 000	1 sem – 24 m	€ 3000 if > 10m <i>- Fee waiver if stay below 10 months</i>	€ 75	€ 31 800
Doctorate	€ 1 500	6 – 36	€ 3000 for min 10 m	€ 75	€ 65 700
Post-Doctorate	€ 1 800	6 – 10	No unit costs. € 5000 per acad yr for specialised postdoc studies	€ 75	€ 23 750
Staff	€ 2 500	1 - 3	n.a.	€ 75	€ 7 725

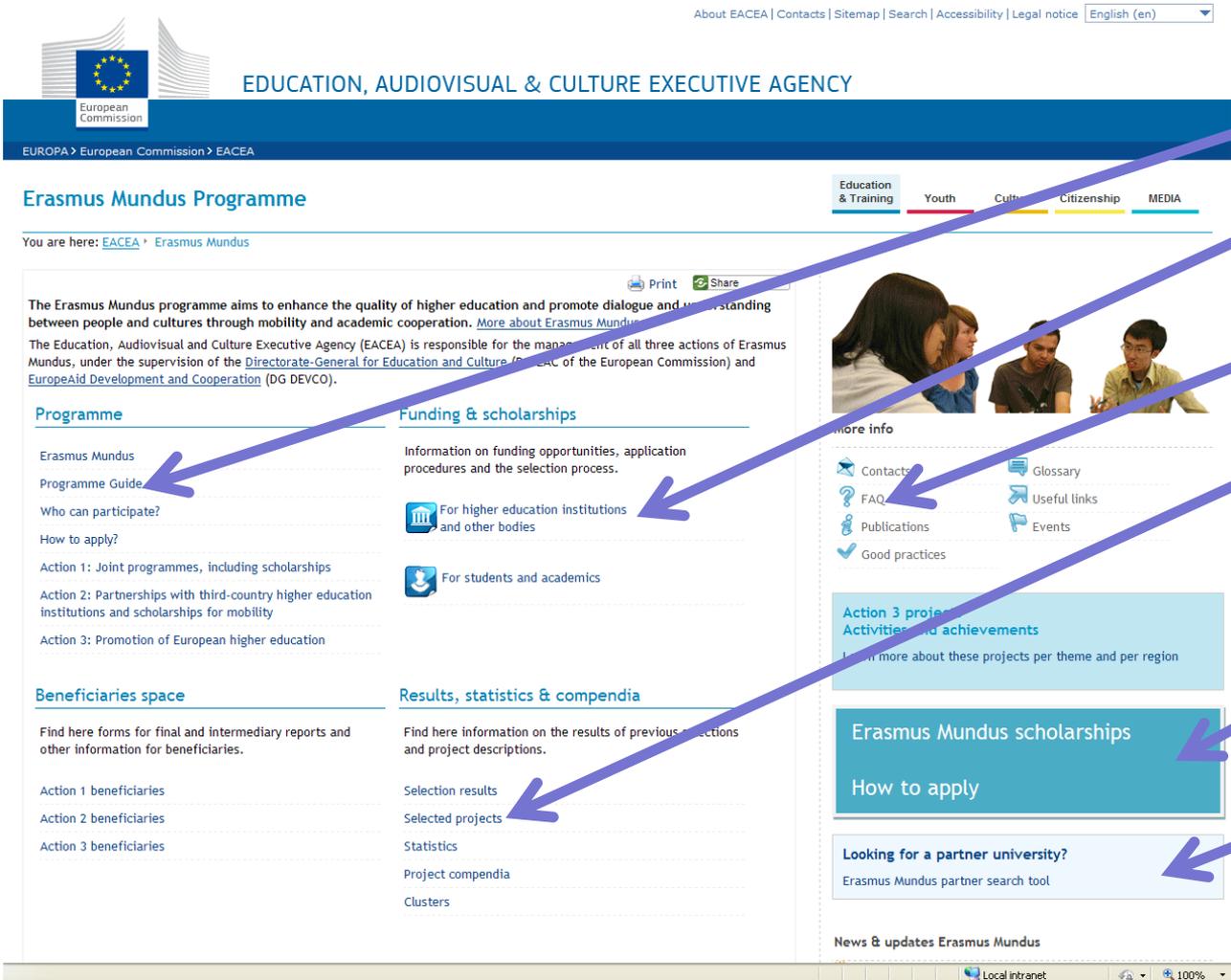
Next Call for Proposals

Second Call for Proposals 2013

A new Call for proposals targeting Latin American region will be launched in the second semester of 2013

Remember to check the specific implementation rules!!!

http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus_mundus/index_en.php



The screenshot shows the homepage of the Erasmus Mundus website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the EACEA logo and the text 'EDUCATION, AUDIOVISUAL & CULTURE EXECUTIVE AGENCY'. Below this, there is a main header with the title 'Erasmus Mundus Programme' and a navigation menu with tabs for 'Education & Training', 'Youth', 'Culture', 'Citizenship', and 'MEDIA'. The main content area is divided into several sections: 'Programme', 'Funding & scholarships', 'Beneficiaries space', 'Results, statistics & compendia', and 'Looking for a partner university?'. Each section contains links to various resources and information. The website is in English (en) and has a search bar and a language dropdown menu.

Programme Guide

Calls for Proposals

FAQs

Selected projects

How to apply for scholarships

HEI partner search

Questions on **Erasmus Mundus:**
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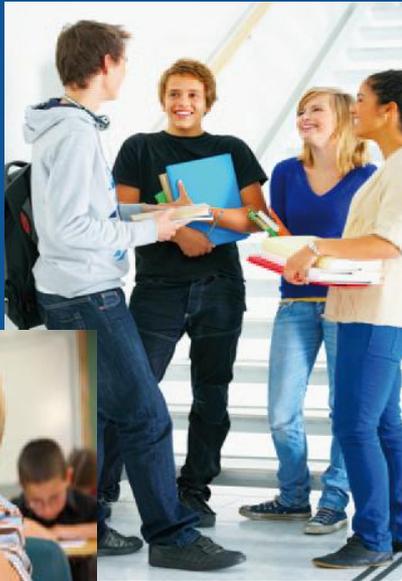
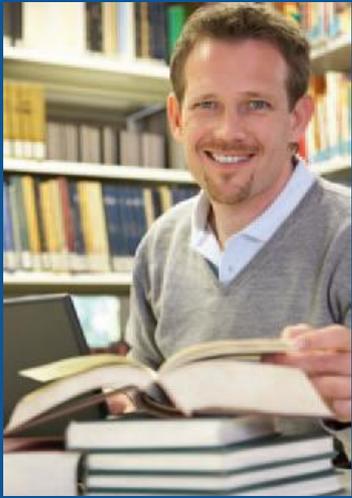


Erasmus for All

The EU programme for
Education, Training,
Youth and Sport

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2014-2020

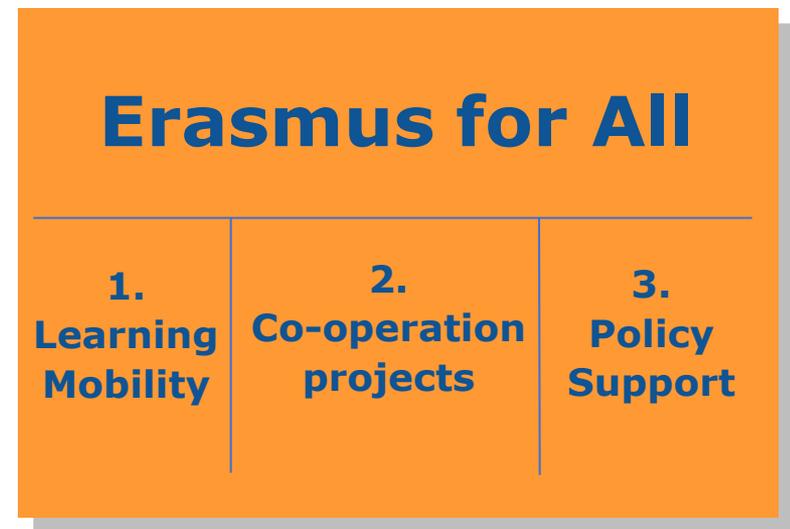


A streamlined architecture : 3 Key actions

Existing programmes



A single integrated programme

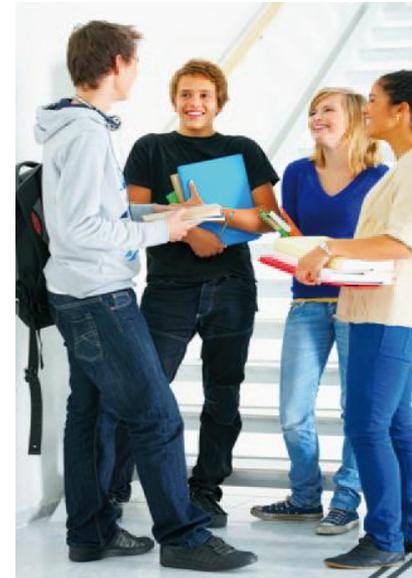


Total budget: € 19 billion over 7 years (+ 70%), incl 1,8 bn for cooperation outside EU (+10%)

Erasmus for All: the international dimension

- ❑ ***Incorporate all existing international higher education related programmes*** (Erasmus Mundus, Tempus, Alfa, Edulink and cooperation with industrialised countries)
- ❑ ***Support to the modernisation and sustainable development of higher education in non EU countries***
- ❑ ***Integrate the youth international dimension***

Co-financed by Dg DEVCO that will ensure that the Development priorities of LA will be taken into account





Marie Curie Actions under 7th Framework Programme (FP7)

Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions under Horizon 2020



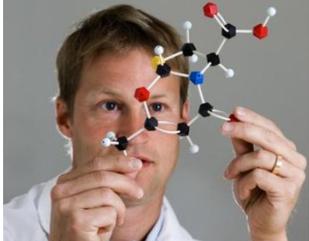
Pierre and Marie Curie honeymoon, 1895

Marie Curie Actions



Key features:

- Main EU programme providing structured doctoral training, including industrial doctorates
- Bottom-up approach: **grants available to researchers regardless of their nationality or field of research**
- Mobility, both transnational & intersectoral
- Opening research careers at European & international level
- Enhanced business-academia collaboration & staff exchange
- Excellent employment and working conditions, in line with the EU *Charter and Code for Researchers*



FP7 MC Actions



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ITN (Initial Training Networks) including EID and IDP since 2012	Research networks supporting initial and doctoral training 43% of FP7 MCA budget, 9-10% success rate
IEF (Intra-European Fellowships)	Support for researchers moving inside Europe
IOF (International Outgoing Fellowships)	Support for researchers moving away from Europe
IIF (International Incoming Fellowships)	Support for researchers moving to Europe
CIG (Career Integration Grants)	Support for researchers starting a permanent position in Europe
IAPP (Industry-Academia Partnerships and Pathways)	Industry-Academia cooperation through exchange of staff
IRSES (International Research Staff Exchange Scheme)	International cooperation between MS/AC & other third countries through exchange of staff
COFUND (Co-funding of regional, national, international programmes)	Co-funding of regional, national and international research funding programmes for experienced researchers



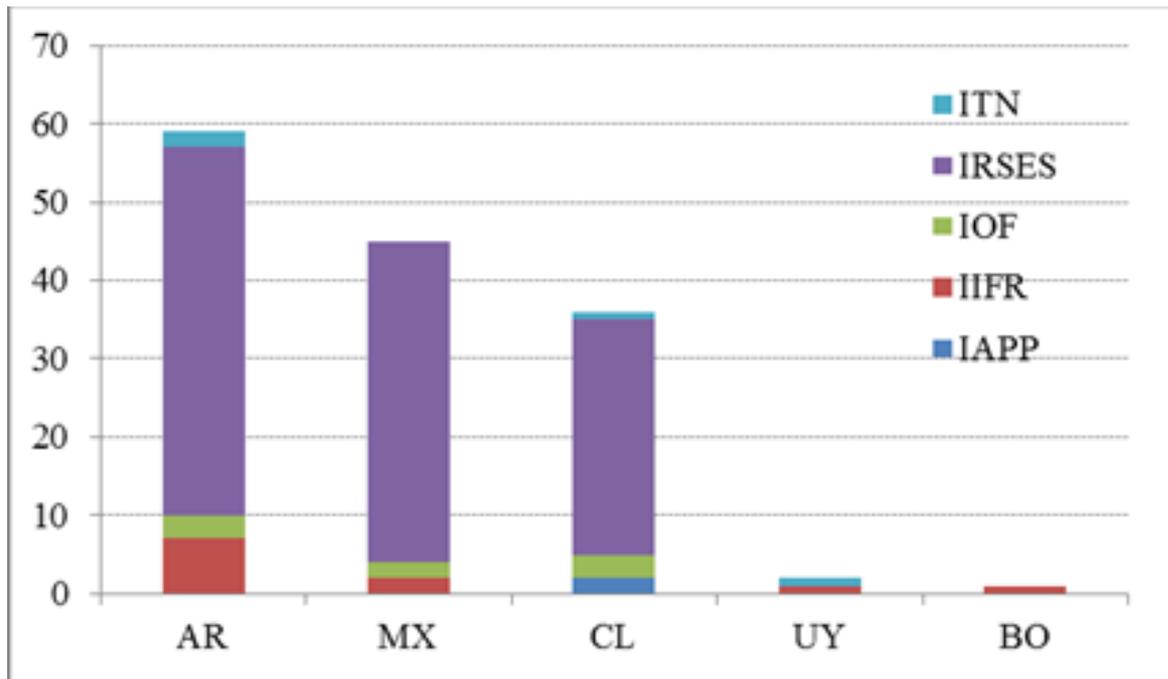
Marie Curie International Dimension LAC

- The Marie Curie Actions strengthen international partnerships and research collaboration, **by promoting mobility and career development of researchers.**
- Participation of researchers and organisations in **LAC is welcome in all Marie Curie Actions.**
- **343 researchers from LAC** have undertaken Marie Curie Fellowships in Europe under FP7.
- Excellent cooperation developed through the IRSES action: **approximately 2.900 researchers** are expected to be exchanged between the EU/AC and LAC.



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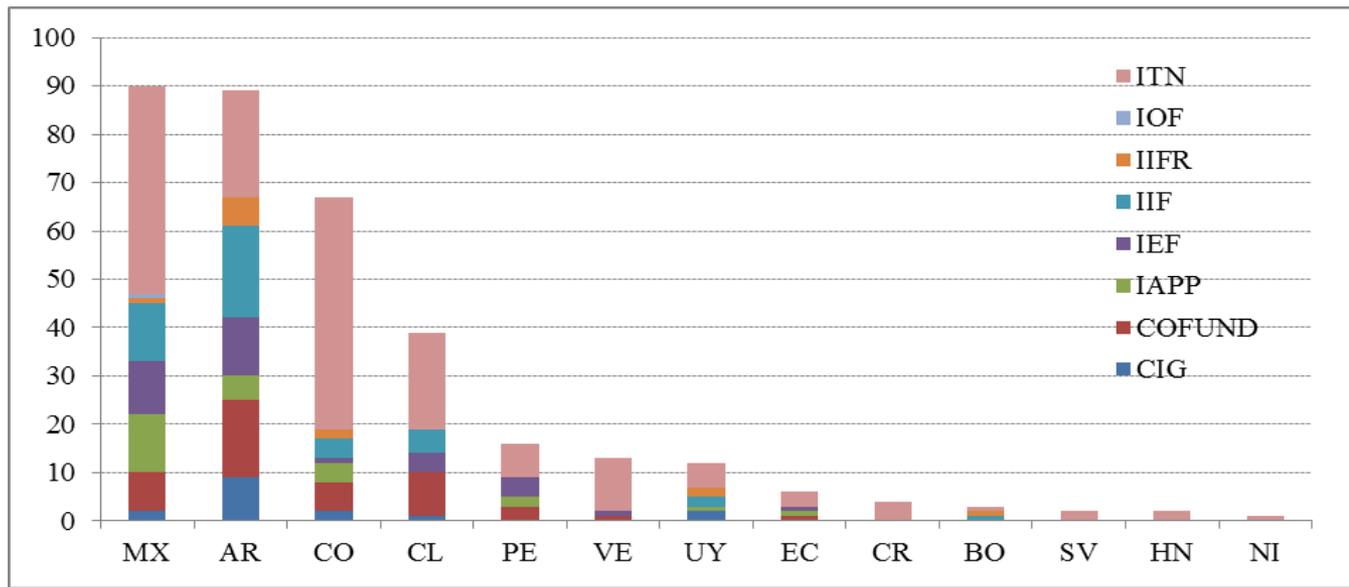
Participation by host organisation AL





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Country distribution of LAC nationals funded under MCAs





Marie Curie Open Call for Proposals

- IOF and IIF calls deadline: 14/08/2013
- CIG call deadline: 18/09/2013
- Marie Curie positions (ITN, IAPP and COFUND) published in EURAXESS:
http://ec.europa.eu/euraxess/index_en.cfm

Opportunities for participation



EURAXESS mobility portal:

<http://ec.europa.eu/euraxess/index.cfm/general/index>

Marie Curie Actions Website:

<http://ec.europa.eu/mariecurieactions>

Registration of experts:

<https://cordis.europa.eu/emfp7/index.cfm>

Call deadlines in 2013:

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/page/people&tate=open>

To get info via National Contact Points (NCP):

http://cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ncp_en.html

To submit a proposal:

<https://cordis.europa.eu/emfp7/index.cfm>

List of co-funded Fellowship Programmes:

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/page/people&cofund#List>





Marie Skłodowska - Curie Actions under Horizon 2020



**The next EU Framework programme for Research and
Innovation**

**A strong international dimension of MSCA
will remain**

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/horizon2020>

MSC Actions



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ITN
(including EID and IDP) →

Action 1
Early-stage
Researchers

Doctoral and initial training of researchers proposed by international networks of organisations from public & private sectors

IEF
IOF
IIF
CIG →

Action 2
Experienced
Researchers

Individual fellowships for most promising **experienced researchers** to develop their skills through international or inter-sector mobility

IAPP
IRSES →

Action 3
Exchange of
Staff

International & inter-sector cooperation through the **exchange of research & innovation staff**

COFUND →

Action 4
COFUND

Co-funding of regional, national & international programmes covering actions 1 & 2

What is Horizon 2020

- **Commission proposal for a 80 billion euro research and innovation funding programme (2014-2020)**
- **A core part of Europe 2020, Innovation Union & European Research Area:**
 - **Responding to the economic crisis** to invest in future jobs and growth
 - **Addressing people's concerns** about their livelihoods, safety and environment
 - **Strengthening the EU's global position** in research, innovation and technology



Three priorities:

- 1. Excellent science**
- 2. Industrial leadership**
- 3. Societal challenges**

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Europe 2020 priorities

International cooperation

European Research Area



Shared objectives and principles
Common rules, toolkit of funding schemes

Societal Challenges

- Health, demographic change and wellbeing
- Food security, sustainable agriculture, marine and maritime research, and the bio-based economy
- Secure, clean and efficient energy
- Smart, green and integrated transport
- Climate action, resource efficiency and raw materials
- Inclusive, innovative and secure societies

Industrial Leadership

- Leadership in enabling and industrial technologies (ICT, nano, materials, bio, manufacturing, space)
- Access to risk finance
- Innovation in SMEs



Excellent Science

- European Research Council
- Future and Emerging Technologies
- **Marie Skłodowska-Curie actions on skills, training and career development**
- Research infrastructures



Simplified access

Dissemination & knowledge transfer

Supporting the objectives:

**European Institute for Innovation and Technology
Joint Research Centre**

New strategy for international cooperation in research and innovation

<http://ec.europa.eu/research/iscp/index.cfm?lg=en&pg=strategy>

- The EU will engage more actively and strategically in international cooperation

Three main objectives:

Strengthen the Union's excellence and attractiveness in research and innovation as well as its industrial and economic competitiveness

Tackle global societal challenges

Support the Union's external policies

- Horizon 2020 is open at global level
- Targeted actions with key partner countries
- Promoting common principles for international cooperation

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