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# Development of part-time and short cycle studies in higher education in Bosnia and Herzegovina PARTISH

PROJECT PRESENTATION  
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# PARTISH Consortium

1. University of Novi Sad
2. University of East Sarajevo
3. University of Sarajevo
4. University of Tuzla
5. University of Mostar
6. University of Zenica
7. Latvijas Universitātes Rīgas Medicīnas koledža
8. ACADEMIA DRUZBA ZA STORITVE d.o.o., OE Višja strokovna šola Academia Maribor, Academia
9. Tallin University
10. University of Montpellier
11. Ministry for scientific and technological development, higher education and information society from Republika Srpska
12. Ministry for education, science and youth of Sarajevo canton
13. Ministry for education, science, culture and sport of Zenica-Doboj canton
14. Ministry of education, science, culture and sport of the Tuzla canton
15. Chamber of Economy of the Federation of Bosnia and Herzegovina
16. Chamber Commerce of Republic of Srpska
17. Centre for Information and Recognition of Qualifications in Higher Education
  
18. Ministry for education, science, culture and sport of WestHercegovina canton – associated partner



## General goal:

Improvement of university studies and lifelong learning orientation in Bosnia and Herzegovina through the development of part-time and short cycle studies and development of legal framework for introduction of this type of studies in the entire BIH.

**START: 15/01/2021    END: 14/01/2024**



## Specific goals:

1. To define the legal framework that will support the development and implementation of part-time (PT) studies and short cycle (SCHE) studies in higher education in BH, because there is no legislation for the EQF Level 5 in BH.
2. To develop online and face-to-face (F2F) learning methodologies and technologies for PT and SCHE, suitable for adults and working students (they are found to be the most interested).
3. To set pilot implementations of five PT and SCHE online and face-to-face programs to test project outcomes.

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## Target groups:

1. Students, who will be able to acquire relevant knowledge and skills needed by companies.
2. Teachers from partner institutions, who will be able to network with their colleagues from other European universities, to exchange the know-how in the field of PT and SCHE programs and modern teaching methodology, and to increase their teaching competences and internationalization of HE.
3. Participating universities from BiH.
4. Ministries of cantons and entities involved in projects, as policy makers, because they will gain new knowledge and competences in the area of PT and SCHE programs, and be prepared to create new laws to support PT and SCHE.
5. Companies in BiH cantons and entities that are looking for cost-effective professionals, with adequate knowledge, skills, and abilities.
6. Chambers of Commerce in BH, because they will become more involved in the process of HE in cantons and entities in BiH that are in the project. The chambers will be helpful in investigation of the country-specific requirements and advice partners on contractual issues, and would be able to mediate the relationship between HEIs and business companies.

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<b>2. Travel Costs</b>	<b>75,510.00</b>
<b>3. Costs of Stay</b>	<b>204,960.00</b>
<b>4. Equipment Costs</b>	<b>271,004.00</b>
<b>5. Subcontracting Costs</b>	<b>65,300.00</b>
<b>6. Exceptional Costs</b>	<b>0.00</b>
<b>Total Grant requested from the European Union</b>	<b>960,644.00</b>

### Budget Breakdown by Workpackage / Budget Headings

WorkPackage	1. Staff Costs	2. Travel Costs	3. Costs of Stay	4. Equipment Costs	5. Subcontracting Costs	6. Exceptional Costs	Total (EUR)
Preparation	38,686.00	11,340.00	36,000.00	-	5,600.00	-	91,626.00
Development	145,625.00	50,260.00	120,480.00	271,004.00	14,900.00	-	602,269.00
Quality Plan	41,319.00	-	-	-	10,300.00	-	51,619.00
Dissemination & Exploitation	41,960.00	9,420.00	22,080.00	-	10,500.00	-	83,960.00
Management	76,280.00	4,490.00	26,400.00	-	24,000.00	-	131,170.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>343,870.00</b>	<b>75,510.00</b>	<b>204,960.00</b>	<b>271,004.00</b>	<b>65,300.00</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>960,644.00</b>

## Project activities and methodology

- WP1 Cross-country analysis of the policies, practices, and legal frameworks for PT and SCHE in European countries (Tallin University )
- WP2 Development of legal frameworks for PT&SCHE (University of East Sarajevo)
- WP3 Strengthening sustainability of PT and SCHE program (University of Sarajevo)
- WP4 Pilot implementation of distance learning PT and SCHE programs (University of Mostar and University of Tuzla)
- WP5 Pilot implementation of F2F PT and SCHE programs (University of Zenica)
- WP5 Dissemination and Exploitation of Results (Latvijas Universitātes Rīgas Medicīnas koledža)
- WP6 Quality assurance and monitoring (Academia)
- WP7 Project Management (University of Novi Sad)



## The role of partners BIH cantons/entities

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## The role of partners from program countries

- Advice
- Benchmark analysis in WP1
- Hosting of study visits (organization of studies and courses, foreign students, practical examples of part-time and short cycle studies, etc.)
- Dissemination of project results and Quality control of study programs and the entire project



## Associated partners

- WP2 Development of legal frameworks for PT and SCHE,
- WP6 Dissemination and Exploitation of Result, and
- WP7 Quality control and Monitoring



# Action Plan



Deliverabel No.	Title of the deliverable	Deadline	Status
<b>WP1</b>	<b>WP1 Cross-country analysis of the policies, practices, and legal frameworks for PT and SCHE in European countries</b>	<b>TU</b>	
1.1	Report on PT and SCHE in Europe	14/05/2021	<b>DONE</b>
<b>WP2</b>	<b>WP2 Development of legal frameworks for implementation of PT and SCHE</b>	<b>UES</b>	
2.1	Report with survey results	14/08/2021	<b>DONE</b>
2.2	Reports on round table discussions	14/10/2021	<b>DONE</b>
2.3	Drafted policies	14/12/2021	
2.4	Conference report	14/03/2022	
2.5	Recommended policies	14/04/2022	
2.6	Drafted legal documents for adoption of PT and SCHE	14/10/2021	
2.7	Defined accreditation criteria	14/12/2022	
<b>WP3</b>	<b>WP3 Strengthening sustainability of PT and SCHE based on eLearning technologies and pedagogical approaches</b>	<b>UNSA</b>	
3.1	Specification of needs and requirements for PT and SCHE	14/09/2021	<b>DONE</b>
3.2	Report on the existing eLearning methodologies and technologies	14/09/2021	<b>DONE</b>
3.3	Specification of adopted eLearning technologies and methodologies	14/12/2021	
3.4	Developed authoring tool	14/06/2022	
3.5	Developed e-learning platform	14/12/2022	
<b>WP4</b>	<b>WP4 Pilot implementation of online PT and SCHE programs</b>	<b>UNMO UNTZ</b>	
4.1	Developed curricula and course syllabi	14/03/2022	
4.2	Developed eLearning materials	14/12/2022	
4.3	Purchased equipment	14/06/2022	
4.4	Operational eLearning portal	14/12/2022	
4.5	Report on implemented online PT and SCHE programs	14/09/2023	

<b>WP5</b>	<b>WP5 Pilot implementation of F2F PT&amp;SCHE studies</b>	<b>UNZE</b>	
5.1	Developed curricula and course syllabi	14/03/2022	
5.2	Developed teaching and learning material	14/11/2022	
5.3	Report on implemented F2F PT&SCHE programs	14/09/2023	
<b>WP6</b>	<b>WP6 Dissemination and exploitation of project activities and results</b>	<b>LURMC</b>	
6.1	Dissemination and exploitation plan	14/05/2021	<b>DONE</b>
6.2	Promotional products	14/08/2021	
6.3	Interim and final dissemination and exploitation report	14/11/2023	
6.4	Final Conference Proceedings	14/01/2023	
<b>WP7</b>	<b>WP7 Quality control and monitoring</b>	<b>ACADEMIA</b>	
7.1	Plan for project quality control	14/04/2021	<b>DONE</b>
7.2	Internal project control and monitoring report	14/12/2023	
7.3	External evaluation report	14/10/2023	
<b>WP8</b>	<b>WP8 Project management</b>	<b>UNS</b>	
8.1	Interim Report (IR)	14/07/2022	
8.2	Final Report (FR)	14/01/2024	



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