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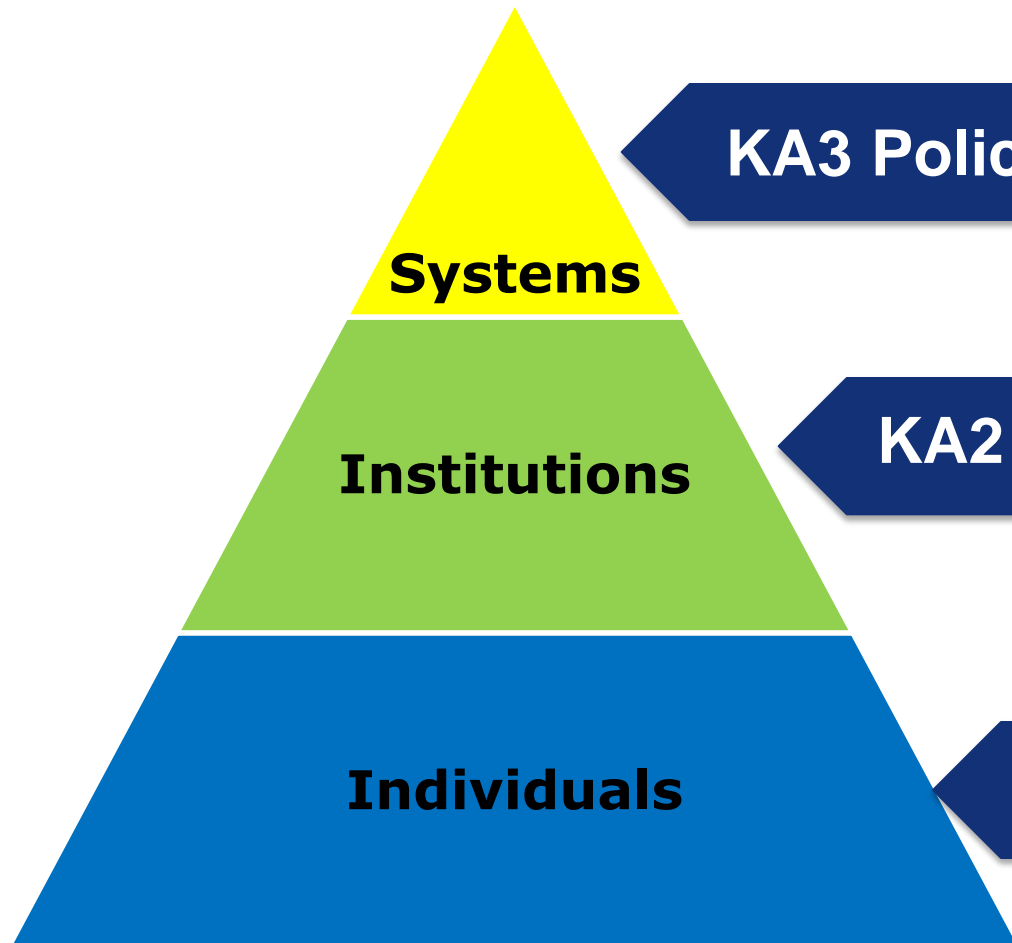
**Key Action 2**

**Capacity Building in the  
field of Higher  
Education**

**Call for proposals 2019  
EAC/A03/2018**

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# Erasmus+



**KA3 Policy**

**KA2 Cooperation**

**KA1 Mobility**

*Specific activities:*

- **Jean Monnet**
- **Sport**



# CBHE Programme and Partner Countries

## Programme Countries

(34\*\* countries paying a contribution to E+)

### 28\* EU Member States:



### Other programme countries:

Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Republic of Serbia\*\*, Turkey

\* For British applicants: Eligibility criteria must be complied with for the entire duration of the grant.

\*\*The recognition of Serbia as a Programme Country is subject to conditions

## CBHE Eligible Partner Countries (> 150 countries)

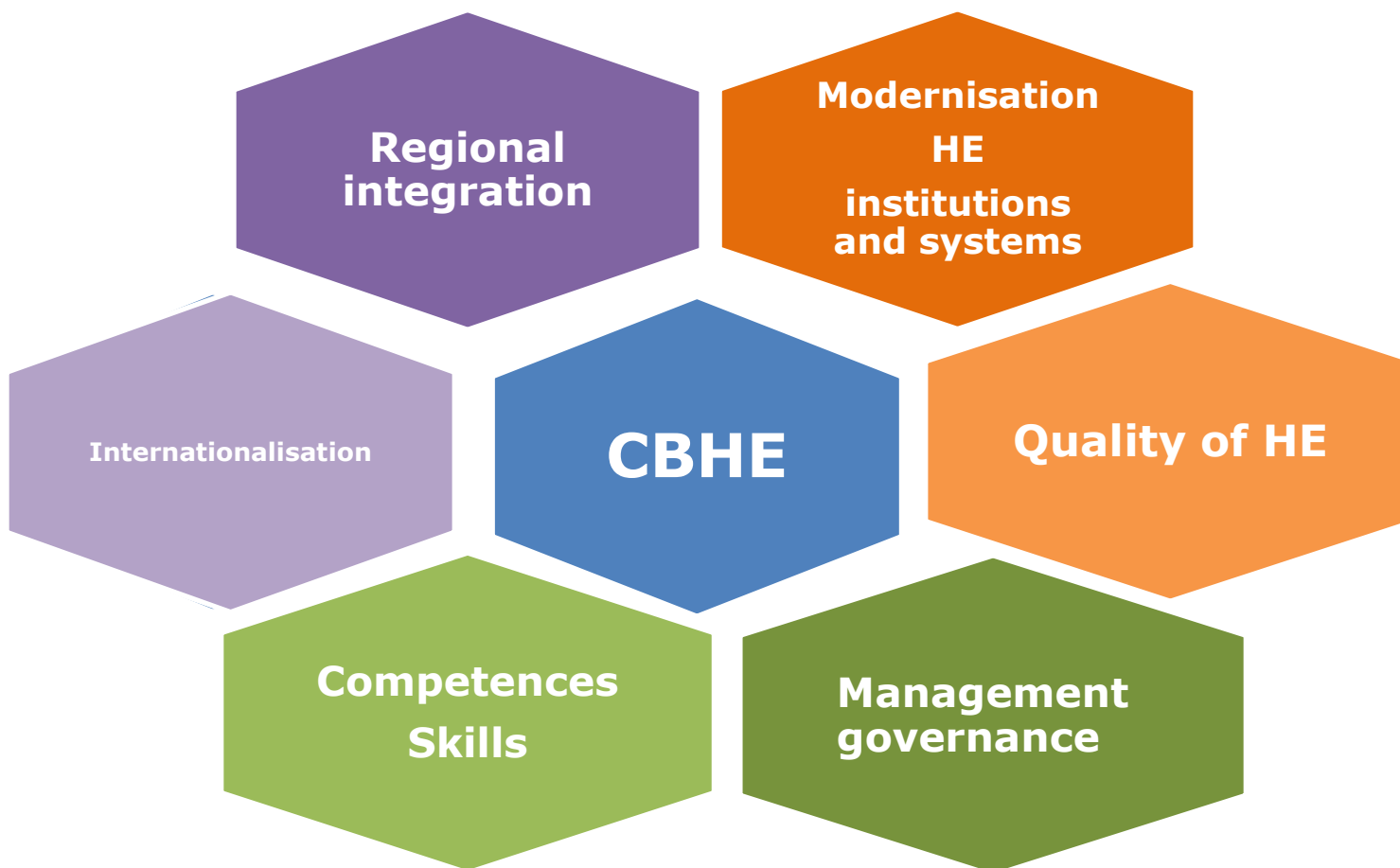
### Regions:

- 1: Western Balkans
- 2: Eastern Partnership
- 3: South-Mediterranean
- 4: Russian Federation
- 6: Asia
- 7: Central Asia
- 8: Latin America
- 9: Iran, Iraq, Yemen
- 10: South Africa
- 11: African, Caribbean and Pacific

### Ineligible Partner countries:

- Regions 5, 12 and 13
- Chile and Uruguay are now part of Region 13

# CBHE Objectives:



# Consortium structure

## National Projects

(1 Partner Country only + **min. 2 Programme Countries**)

Min.1 HEI from each Programme Country

Min.3 HEI from the Partner Country

**At least** as many Partner Country HEIs as Programme Country HEIs

STRUCTURAL  
PROJECTS:  
Partner  
Country  
Ministries  
for HE must  
participate

## Multi-Country Projects

( $\geq$  2 Partner Countries+ **min. 2 Programme Countries**)

Min.1 HEI from each Programme Country

Min.2 HEI from **each** Partner Country

**At least** as many Partner Country HEIs as Programme Country HEIs

Exception  
Syria,  
Libya,  
Russia  
Latin  
America

# How? – Types of Projects

## Joint Projects:

=> Impact  
Institutions

curriculum development

university governance &  
management

Links between HE  
**institutions** and the  
wider economic and  
social environment

## Structural Projects:

=> Impact  
Systems

modernisation of policies, governance  
and management of higher education  
systems

Links between HE **systems** and the  
wider economic and social  
environment

# Priorities & Types of projects

## National Projects

Defined by the **Ministries of Education** in close consultation with the EU Delegations

Must address  
**National priorities** when available  
**Regional priorities** in other regions

## Multi-Country Projects

Defined by the **Commission** and based on EU's external policy priorities

Must address  
the a **regional priority** for  
the regions (regional projects)  
  
or  
**common** to different regions  
(cross-regional projects)

# CBHE Priorities

Types of Activities Categories of Priorities	Curriculum Development	Governance and Management	Higher Education and Society
1. Subject Areas	X		
2. Improving Management and operation of HEIs		X	
3. Developing the HE sector within society at large			X

***Only 1 choice per type of project is possible***



## Budget and Duration-Overview

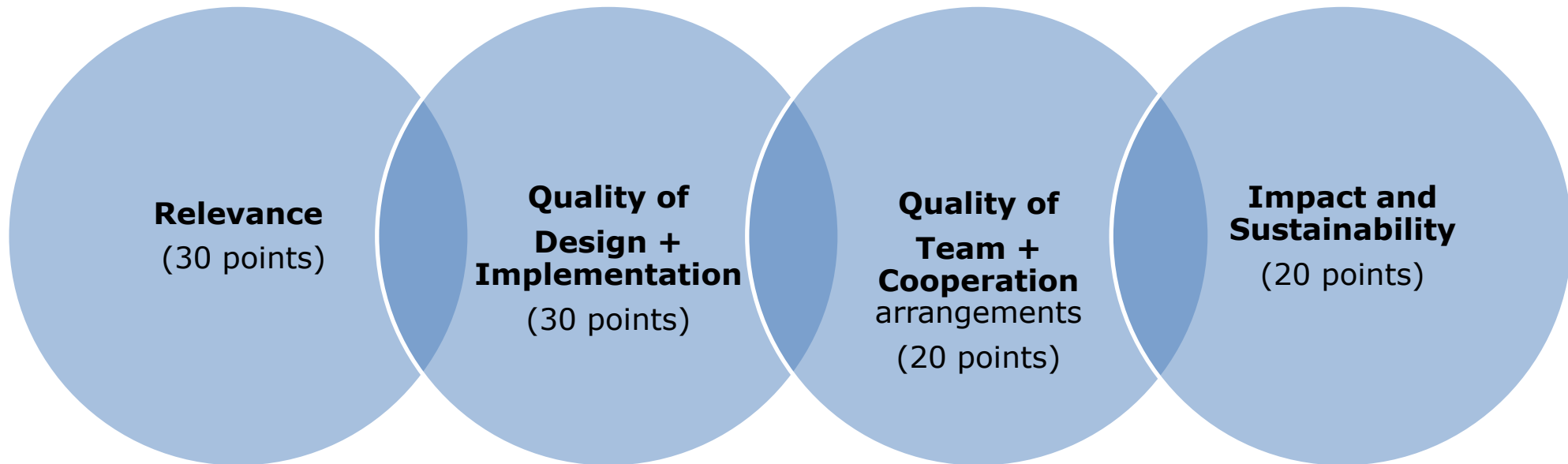
**Duration 24  
or 36  
Months**

**Min. 500,000 -  
Max. 1,000,000 €**

**Real Costs  
and Unit  
Costs**

**5 Budget Headings**

## What is assessed: Award Criteria



**To be considered for funding, proposals must score at least 60 points in total and - out of these points at least 15 points for "Relevance"**



# Selection results 2018

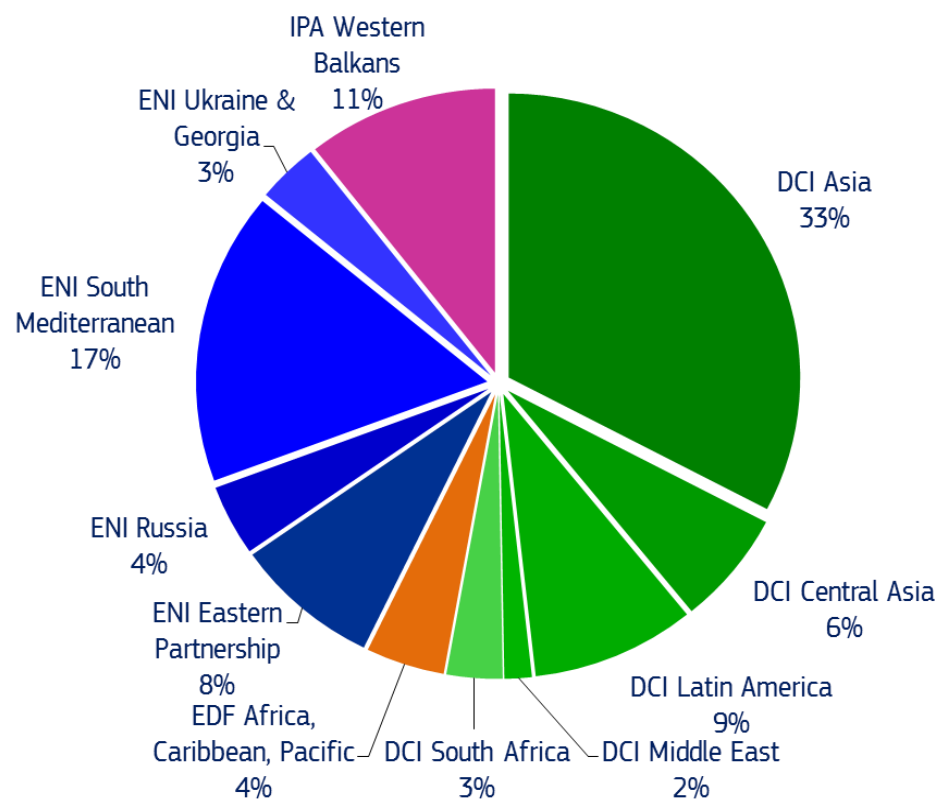
Stages	Region 1 - Western Balkans	Region 2 - Eastern Partnership Countries	Region 3 - South Mediterranean Countries	Region 4 - Russian Federation	Region 6 - Asia	Region 7 - Central Asia	Region 8 - Latin America	Region 9 - Middle East (Iran, Iraq, Yemen)	Region 10 - South Africa	Region 11 - ACP	TOTAL
Number of Proposals Received	154	200	241	103	156	128	101	19	11	43	887
Number of Eligible Proposals	153	196	234	102	155	125	100	18	11	42	874
Number of Proposals Above Threshold(s)	102	134	158	53	88	74	67	8	5	31	587
Number of Proposals Sent to Consultation	49	56	78	42	108	46	33	8	5	21	336
Number of Proposals Proposed for Funding	19	17	30	10	48	14	15	2	5	7	147
Success Rate	12,4%	8,7%	12,8%	9,8%	31,0%	11,2%	15,0%	11,1%	45,5%	16,7%	16,8%
Success Rate 2017	11,85%	7%	19%	10%	37,5%	19%	15%	25%	33%	14%	18%
Success Rate 2016	16,5%	10%	21%	20,5%	68%	19%	18%	50%	36%	17%	20%

*\* Figures cannot be added as cross-regional applications are counted in one or two regions*



# Indicative budget for 2019

**Estimated 2019 CBHE Budget**





Region	Budget allocated 2016 (in Mio €)	Budget allocated 2017 (in Mio €)	Budget allocated 2018 (in Mio €)	Budget allocated 2019 (in Mio €)	Indicative number of selected projects**
<b>REGION 1 - Western Balkans</b>	13,17	13,82	14,57	<b>16,39</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>REGION 2 - Eastern Partnership countries</b>	13,86	13,51	12,88	<b>12,77</b>	<b>15</b>
<i>Additional allocation for Georgia/Ukraine*</i>				<b>1+1</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>REGION 3 - South-Mediterranean countries</b>	28,57	27,84	26,55	<b>26,17</b>	<b>30</b>
<i>Additional allocation for Tunisia*</i>		3,00	0	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>REGION 4 - Russian Federation</b>	6,89	6,72	6,41	<b>5,85</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>REGION 6 - Asia</b>	35,38	39,55	41,44	<b>47,46</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>REGION 7 - Central Asia</b>	9,2	8,80	8,80	<b>9,42</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>REGION 8 - Latin America</b>	13,1	13,20	13,20	<b>12,70</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>REGION 9 – Middle East (Iran, Iraq, Yemen)</b>	1,9	2,00	2,10	<b>2,20</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>REGION 10 - South Africa</b>	3,42	3,91	4,20	<b>4,50</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>REGION 11 - ACP countries</b>	5,29	5,64	6,00	<b>6,35</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>131,47</b>	<b>138,68</b>	<b>136,15</b>	<b>148,81</b>	<b>174</b>

\* An additional allocation for Tunisia/Georgia/Ukraine might become available subject to the relevant Commission decisions being taken.

\*\* Calculated on the average grant/project recorded in 2018

## News in the 2019 Call for proposals

- **British Applicants must be aware that eligibility criteria must be complied with for the entire duration of the grant agreement**
- **The Republic of Serbia will take part as a Programme Country (if the conditions are fulfilled)**
- **Chile and Uruguay are not considered as eligible Partner Countries in CBHE anymore**
- **Ukraine and Georgia have been awarded 1 extra million €/each**
- **Tunisia has been awarded 3 extra million €**



## **Key messages for 2019 (I)**

- **Encouraging the cooperation with Asian countries**
- **Diversification of projects**
- **Attention to national and regional priorities**
- **National and regional relevance in cross-regional applications**
- **Migration, a Commission priority for President Juncker**
- **Attention to eligibility criteria**
- **Attention to the coherence of the information provided in the application form, in particular in the "Detailed description of the project (Annex 1)"**



## **Key messages for 2019 (II)**

- **Special attention will be given to proposals:**
  - **Involving the least developed countries**
  - **Involving universities in more remote areas**
  - **Targeting disadvantaged students from poor socio-economic backgrounds**
  - **Targeting students with special needs**



# Roadmap for 2019 CBHE Call

Steps	Date
Publication Erasmus+ CBHE Call for Proposals	24 October 2018
Deadline for submission of applications	<b>7 February 2019</b>
Verification of eligibility of project proposals	February – March 2019
Assessment of projects by experts (remotely)	March – May 2019
Consultation procedure	June 2019
Evaluation Committee for selection of projects	July 2019
Sending for signature of Award decision by Agency AO	July 2019
Notification of applicants & publication of results	August 2019
Preparation and signature of grant agreements	August-September 2019
Start of eligibility period	15 November 2019 or 15 January 2020



# CBHE Information sources (I)

## **Erasmus+ website - EACEA**

[http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/actions/key-action-2-cooperation-for-innovation-and-exchange-good-practices/capacity-0\\_en](http://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/actions/key-action-2-cooperation-for-innovation-and-exchange-good-practices/capacity-0_en)

## **Erasmus+ website – EU Commission**

[http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/index\\_en.htm](http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/index_en.htm)

## ***Study in Europe website:***

[http://ec.europa.eu/education/study-in-europe\\_en](http://ec.europa.eu/education/study-in-europe_en)

## **Erasmus+ e-tutorials:**

[https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/introduction-international-dimension-erasmus-plus\\_en](https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/introduction-international-dimension-erasmus-plus_en)



## CBHE Information sources (II)

### **International E+ International Contact Points (ICPs) in Programme Countries**

[https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/contacts/international-erasmus-plus-contact-points\\_en](https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/contacts/international-erasmus-plus-contact-points_en)

### **National Erasmus+ Offices (NEOs) in certain Partner Countries (PCs)**

[https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/contacts/national-erasmus-plus-offices\\_en](https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/contacts/national-erasmus-plus-offices_en)

