

## Erasmus Policy Statement

### **B.1. Erasmus+ activities included in your EPS**

In order to facilitate the evaluation of your current application form, please tick those Erasmus+ activities that are part of your current Erasmus Policy Statement

#### ***Erasmus + Key Action 1 (KA1):***

Study between Programme Countries:

Programme Countries - Student incoming mobility

Programme Countries - Staff Incoming mobility

Programme Countries - Student outbound mobility

Programme Countries - Staff outbound mobility

Partner countries - Study between Partner Countries:

Partner countries - Student incoming mobility

Partner countries - Staff Incoming mobility

Partner countries - Student outbound mobility

Partner countries - Staff outbound mobility

Traineeships:

Traineeships - Student incoming mobility

Traineeships - Staff Incoming mobility

Traineeships - Student outbound mobility

Traineeships - Staff outbound mobility

Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees

#### ***Erasmus + Key Action 2 (KA2):***

Strategic Partnerships

Knowledge Alliances

Capacity Building Projects

#### ***Erasmus + Key Action 3 (KA3):***

KA3 Projects

#### ***Jean Monnet Activities***

Jean Monnet projects

### ***B.2. Erasmus Policy Statement: your strategy***

Please be aware that your Erasmus Policy Statement should reflect your intended involvement in Erasmus+. Should you wish to add additional activities in the future you will have to amend your Erasmus Policy Statement and inform your respective National Agency accordingly.

The Institution agrees to publish this overall strategy (all three parts of the Part B) on its website within one month after reception of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education from the EACEA.

Please describe your institution's international (EU and non-EU) strategy. In your description please explain a) how you choose your partners, b) in which geographical area(s) and c) the most important objectives and target groups of your mobility activities (with regard to staff and students in first, second and third cycles, including study and training, and short cycles). If applicable, also explain how your institution participates in the development of double/multiple/joint degrees:

Original language [EN]

Cappadocia Vocational College which started to function under Cappadocia University on July 1, 2017, was established directly according to Turkey's economic development goals and the objective of the school was therefore to equip the students with high level of contemporary economic abilities suited for the needs of the business world. The same mission and vision have been adopted by the university.

Our university's international strategy is to provide International experience in training and research for our students and teaching staff, help incoming foreign students and academicians integrate with the university, take maximum advantage out of shared programs and projects, and to contribute to the development of the Cappadocia Region. Furthermore, we believe that by joining the exchange programs and creating projects or being a partner of already created projects will also contribute to the personal and vocational development of all participants and help them improve their skills.

a) While choosing partners, we negotiate on common programs and interest to offer to our students and staff. The exchange agreements are signed in specific fields of study, therefore the participants can only choose courses from the faculty, programme or field of the study mentioned in the agreement.

b) Our partners are higher education institutions, partners in research and development projects and collaborations with both European and other countries by means of investigative, innovative, and modern methods of all degrees.

c) The most important objectives and target groups of our mobility activities in all degrees include study and training.

d) We are planning to participate in double/multiple/joint degree programs in two or more years parallel to the development of new university programs.

Please describe your institution's strategy for the organisation and implementation of international (EU and non-EU) cooperation projects within the framework of the Erasmus+ Programme. If not applicable, please explain:

Original language [EN]

The International Affairs Unit was founded with one coordinator and two part-time academic staff. The positive impact of the student experiences, the implementation of new programmes and medium of instruction changing to English, the need for reorganization within the Office became inevitable. In July 2017, with the foundation of Cappadocia University, international relations office was reorganized with one institutional coordinator and three administrative personnel. Each programme has at least one departmental coordinator to support internationalization strategy of the university and to advise students and staff about the mobility process. Financial issues are carried out in cooperation with the accountancy department of the university.

Please explain the expected impact of your participation in the Erasmus+ Programme on the modernisation of your institution.

Please refer to each of the priorities of the renewed EU Agenda for higher education as well as the goals towards a European Education Area\* and explain the policy objectives you intend to pursue:

Original language [EN]



The main strategy of Cappadocia University is to become a distinguished university which continuously enhances the quality of its work in the fields of education, research, environmental issues, entrepreneurship, and international recognition for scientific achievements. In order to implement an international cooperation project within the framework of the Erasmus+ Programme, we study on all conditions we should comply.

While developing and implementing the curricula, partnership, and cooperation with local business sectors and responding to their needs and expectations to contribute to the regional development and training of qualified workforce is the core policy of our university. To increase spending levels on innovation and knowledge transmission, funding from EU programmes and governance of the expenditures to provide more opportunities is considered a significant objective.

\* COM (2017) 247 (<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:52017DC0247&from=ES>)