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# Erasmus + Joint Master Degree



NATIONAL OFFICE OF ERASMUS+ IN KYRGYZSTAN





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# What is Erasmus+?

The program was established in 1987 and named after the Dutch philosopher Erasm Rotterdam, who promoted European unification.

Nowadays, 4 components of Erasmus + programme are being implemented in Kyrgyzstan. They are:

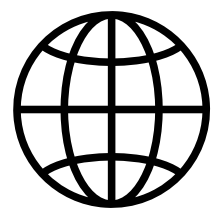
- International Credit Mobility,
- Erasmus Joint Master Degrees,
- Capacity Building in Higher Education
- Jean Monnet Program.



# Joint Masters Degree




Full financial coverage



Study takes place in at least  
two universities of Europe



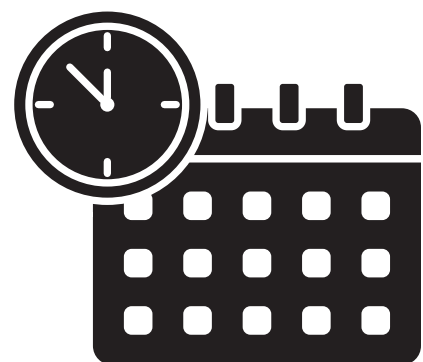
Conferment of joint or multiple  
masters degree



This is an innovative scholarship program for international exchange and cooperation in the field of higher education. The programs are implemented by a consortium of universities of program countries, sometimes with the participation of partner countries

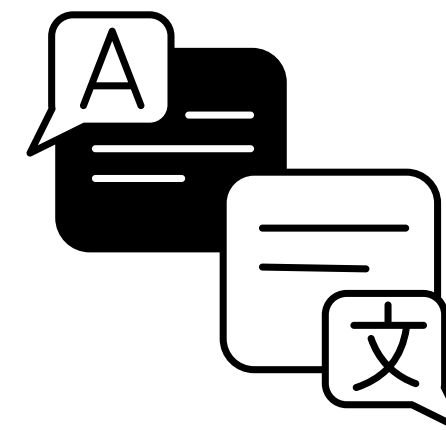


# Masters degrees differentiate by:



the length of the program

- 12 months (60 credit hours)
- 18 months (90 credit hours)
- 24 months (120 credit hours)



the language of teaching

- English (most common)
- German
- French



# Main objectives of the JMD

## 1st goal

Quality improvement, innovation, excellence, and internationalization of universities

## 2nd goal

Quality improvement and raise of the attractiveness of the European Higher Education Area

## 3rd goal

Improvement of competencies, skills, and employment opportunities of graduates with masters degree

## 4th goal

Increase of relevance to the labor market through increased involvement of employers





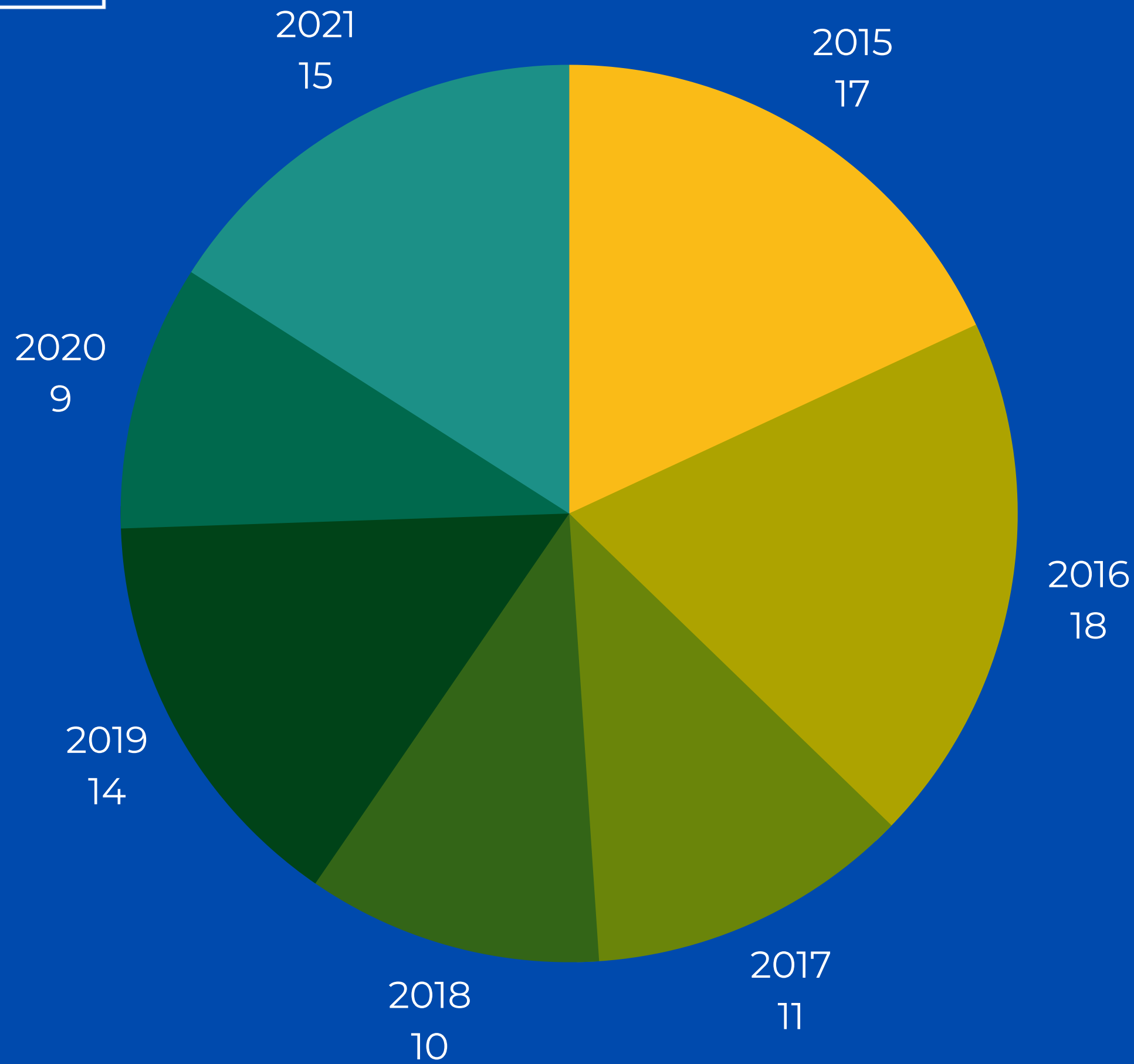
# Student opportunities



- 1 Access to best academic knowledge and specialization opportunities
- 2 Unique mobility experience, recognized Joint degree/Multiple degrees
- 3 Scholarships with an attractive financial package
- 4 High employment rates due to the development of key skills
- 5 Support of consortium partners and EMA



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## Statistics

### Erasmus+ JMD Program scholarship holders

The diagram shows the number of students from Kyrgyz Republic who received a scholarship between 2015 and 2021

In total 94 students received the Erasmus+ Scholarship.



# Financing conditions

The scholarship for JMD students covers the costs of participation, including:



tuition fees



living expenses



full insurance package



travel expenses





€1000

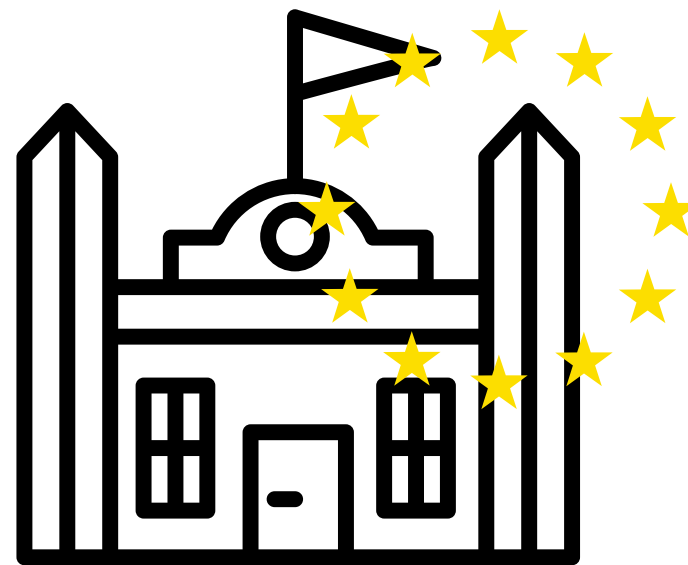
€2000\3000

€9000

- 1.000 euro per month for the entire period of study
- 2.000 \3.000 euro per year for travel costs
- up to 9.000 euro per year for scholarship holder

\*The amount of the scholarship for travel/accommodation costs depends on the place of residence at the time of applying for the scholarship

# Other financing opportunities



**Consortium scholarship**  
(full, partial.  
Depends on program)



**Self-funding**  
(All expenses are covered by the  
participants themselves)

The deadline for submitting applications is different from the deadline for applying for the Erasmus+ Scholarship!

# How to apply?



- The application is submitted online through the program platform/website
- A candidate can apply for an unlimited number of programs per one academic year
- Pay attention to the DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING APPLICATIONS .  
Each program has its own deadlines.

## Required documents

- Online application.
- Resume (CV)
- Motivational letter (letter parameters are described in program requirements)
- Diploma(s)
- Diploma addendum (transcript)
- 2 recommendation letters
- Official language certificate (TOEFL, IELTS)
- Valid passport
- Certificate of residence
- (Optional) Any certificates of professional qualification (not work experience)

All documents must be officially translated and notarized!

# How to find information on our website?

The screenshot displays the website's header and main navigation. The top banner includes the European Union logo and text 'Funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union' on the left, and the Kyrgyzstan flag on the right. The main title 'National Erasmus+ Office in Kyrgyzstan' is centered. Below this is a dark blue navigation bar with the following items: Home, Erasmus+ (with a dropdown arrow), For universities (with a dropdown arrow), Study in Europe Portal, For Applicants (highlighted in yellow with a dropdown arrow), Selected Projects (with a dropdown arrow), HERE Section (with a dropdown arrow), Seminars, Publications (with a dropdown arrow), Useful links, and Contacts (with a dropdown arrow). A red arrow points from the title area to the 'For Applicants' menu item. A second red arrow points from the 'For Applicants' dropdown menu to the 'Erasmus+' logo in the main content area. The 'For Applicants' dropdown menu lists: Mobility, Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree, Student handbook, FAQ for Higher Education Students Staff, and For Staff: Jean Monnet. The main content area features a large 'Erasmus+ 2021-2027' logo on the left and a list of available projects on the right, each with a deadline. A large Kyrgyzstan flag is positioned on the right side of the content area.

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Erasmus+ 2021-2027

The following projects are available at universities:

- Deadline: 23.02.2022
- Deadline: 16.02.2022
- Education Deadline: 17.02.2022
- Deadline: 11.02.2022

Mobility

Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree

Student handbook

FAQ for Higher Education Students Staff

For Staff: Jean Monnet





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A search bar with a filter and catalogue of available courses

More information

Advices for successful application



# Step-by-step guide of admission to the program

## Application submission

**01**

Find an application form on a program's website, fill the application, and enter the scanned documents into the database.

## Results

**03**

All applications are considered by the Academic Council. There are three possible outcomes: "selected", "on the waiting list" or "not selected".

## Interview

**02**

It is a second stage in your admission. There you will be asked about work experience, education, what you can bring new to the program, how you plan to use the acquired knowledge in the future.

## Scholarship Approval and visa application

**04**

Candidates who have successfully passed all the stages receive a notification of the award of a scholarship and admission to the university. Then it remains to apply for a visa and prepare for departure.



# Tips for increasing your chances

## Application

Find all necessary information about the program on the official website.

If you have any questions, write an email to the official email address listed there.

## Recommendation letters

Get recommendation letter from people who know you and your abilities, and could draw an interesting personal and professional portrait.

## Motivational letter

Explain why the Program you have chosen fits you;

Demonstrate the correspondence between your experience and the Program;

Highlight your previous experience in education, and in interpersonal communication skills.

## Interview

Think of what you can bring to the Program, describe your strengths and weaknesses.

Provide them with new information that they have not read in your application.

## Where to find us?

The National Erasmus+ Office in Kyrgyzstan conducts online consultations of students on weekdays from 10:00 to 17:00



the number 8956  
(free for users O! and Megacom)



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