CAPACITY BUILDING IN FIELD

OF HIGHER EDUCATION

National Erasmus+ Office in Kyrgyzstan

Components of Erasmus+ open for Kyrgyz HEIs

Key action 1
International Credit mobility. Managed by the National agencies

Key action 2
Capacity building in Higher Education
Joint Masters degrees
Jean Monnet actions

Purpose

Focus on the needs of the third countries not associated to the Erasmus+ Programme

Targeting the priorities of the third countries not associated to the Erasmus+ Programme and matching them with the EU priorities for these countries

Maximising benefit to third countries not associated to the Erasmus+ Programme

Context (1)

➢ Supports the relevance, quality, modernisation and responsiveness of Higher Education Institutions for **socio-economic recovery, growth** and **prosperity**.

➢ Reacts to recent trends, in particular economic globalisation, but also the recent decline in **human development, fragility,** and **rising social, economic** and **environmental inequalities** exacerbated by the COVID-19 crisis.

➢ Aligned with the **'Sustainable Development Goals' (SDGs)** and the **Paris Agreement**.
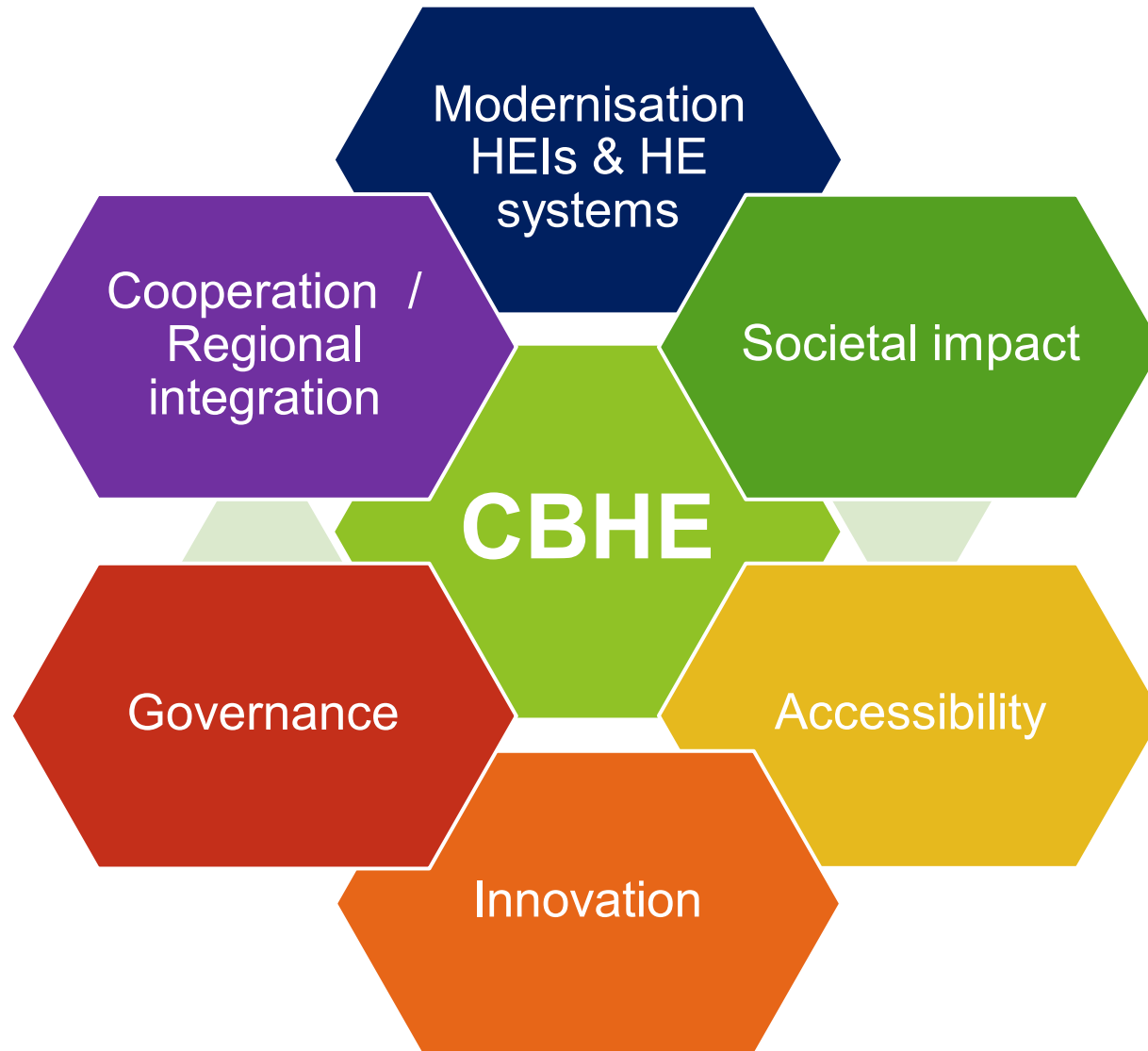
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Context (2)

➢ Ensures **equity, accessibility** and **inclusion**, system strengthening and **capacity building,** as well as **employability** transversally across the action.

➢ **Global interventions** that take into account governance, management and the **strengthening of higher education's wider economic and social ecosystems**.

➢ Addresses **regional issues**, build alliances and coalitions, pilot new approaches and initiatives built on **country ownership.**

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Objectives

Modernisation HEIs & HE systems

Societal impact

Cooperation / Regional integration

CBHE

Governance

Accessibility

Innovation

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Types of CBHE projects

Three types of CBHE projects

National projects	Multi-country regional projects	Multi-country cross-regional projects
HEIs from one third country not associated to the Erasmus+ Programme	HEIs from several countries not associated to the Erasmus+ Programme from one Region	HEIs from countries not associated to the Erasmus+ Programme belonging to several Regions
At least 2 HEIs from two countries associated to Erasmus+ (EU Member States and other Programme countries)		

National projects: eligibility criteria

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Third countries not associated to Erasmus+

EU Member States & third countries associated to Erasmus+

1 eligible country

+

At least 2 countries

Minimum 2 HEIs

Minimum 1 HEI from each participating country
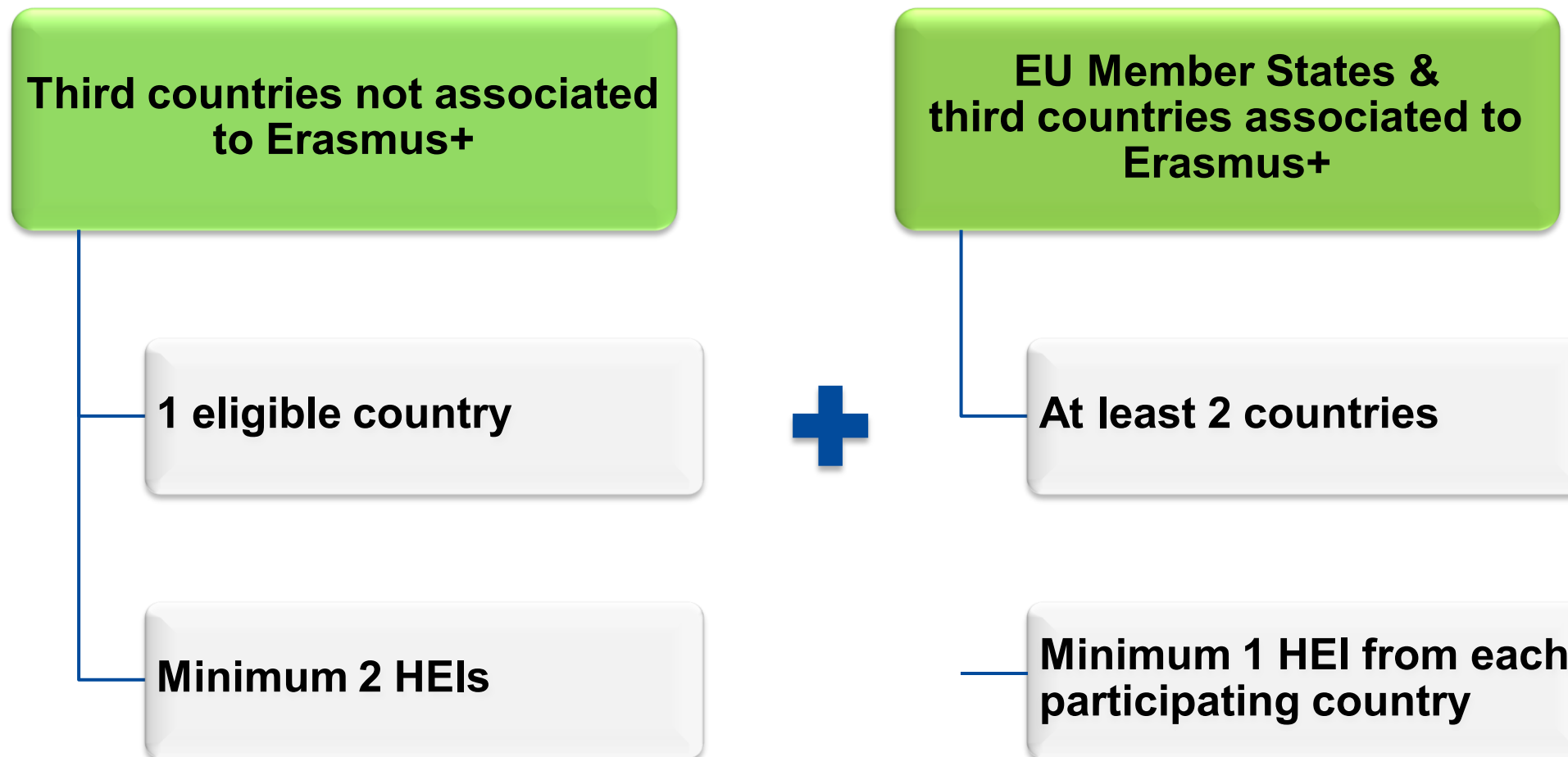
Multi-country projects: eligibility criteria

Third countries not associated to Erasmus+

Same Region (regional projects)

Different Regions (cross-regional projects)

Minimum 2 eligible countries

Minimum 2 HEIs from each eligible country

+

EU Member States & third countries associated to Erasmus+

Minimum 2 countries

Minimum 1 HEI from each country

Eligible applicant

Who can apply?

▶ **Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)   or**
▶ **Associations or organisations of HEIs**

What else?

Applicant must be established in a EU Member state or third country associated to the Erasmus+ programme (*Programme Country*), or in an eligible third country not associated to Erasmus+ programme (*Partner Country*)

The applicant applies on behalf of all participating organisations involved in the proposal

Exception: organisations from Syria (Region 3) and the Russian Federation (Region 4) cannot act as applicants.

Eligible partners

What types of organisations are eligible?

▶ any public or private organisation recognised as **HEI** by the competent authorities of their country(ies)

▶ any public or private organisation **active in the labour market or in the fields of education, training and youth**

▶ **Associations or organisations of HEIs** dedicated to the promotion, improvement and reform of higher education as well as to co-operation within Europe and between Europe and other parts of the world

▶ **International governmental organisations** on a self-financing basis.

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New features

Three strands • **a new type of support**

Regional Priorities • **overarching & sub-priorities**

New budget system • **lump sum II**

New publication system • **FTOP**

European Commission

Three strands

Strand 1
Fostering access to cooperation in Higher Education

Facilitate access to **newcomers**.

First step for participating organisations to **enhance** and **increase** means to reach out to **people with fewer opportunities**.
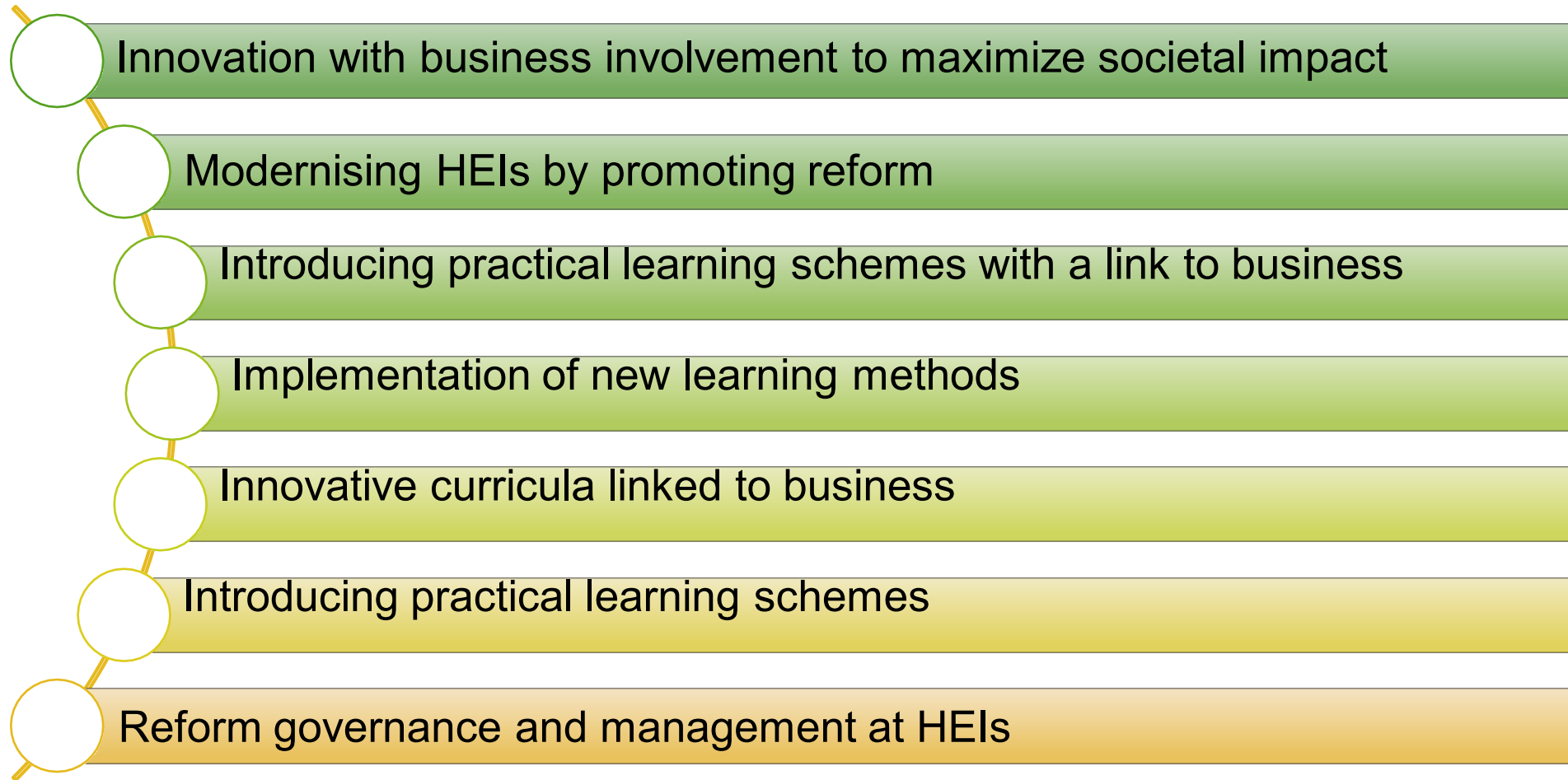
Reduce the internationalisation gap of HEIs from the same country/region.

Fostering **social inclusion**.

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Strand 2 Partnerships for transformation

- Innovation with business involvement to maximize societal impact
- Modernising HEIs by promoting reform
- Introducing practical learning schemes with a link to business
- Implementation of new learning methods
- Innovative curricula linked to business
- Introducing practical learning schemes
- Reform governance and management at HEIs

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Strand 3
Structural Reform projects

Mutual learning between public authorities of the countries associated to the Programme and those of the third countries

Promote inclusive Higher Education systems

Increase capacities of bodies in charge of Higher Education

Identify synergies with ongoing EU initiatives

Foster national ownership

Efficient and effective policy making

Foster common regional strategies in Higher Education

Introduction of funding mechanisms

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New regional priorities

Overarching priorities

Green deal

Digital transformation

Migration and Mobility

Governance, peace, security and human development

Sustainable growth and jobs

Regions

Region 1 - Western Balkans	Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Kosovo*, Montenegro
Region 2 - Neighbourhood East	Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Moldova, Ukraine - Territory as recognised by international law
Region 3 - South-Mediterranean countries	Algeria, Egypt, Israel, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Palestine*, Syria, Tunisia
Region 4 - Russian Federation	Russia - Territory as recognised by international law
Region 5 - Asia	Bangladesh, Bhutan, Cambodia, China, DPR Korea, India, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Maldives, Mongolia, Myanmar, Nepal, Pakistan, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Thailand, Vietnam
Region 6 - Central Asia	Afghanistan, Kazakhstan, **Kyrgyzstan**, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan
Region 7 - Middle East	Iran, Iraq, Yemen
Region 8 - Pacific	Cook Islands, Fiji, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Micronesia - Federated States of, Nauru, Niue, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Timor-Leste, Tonga, Tuvalu, Vanuatu
Region 9 - Sub-Saharan Africa	Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo, Congo - Democratic Republic of the, Djibouti, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Eswatini, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Rwanda, Sao Tome and Principe, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Sudan, Tanzania, Togo, Uganda, Zambia, Zimbabwe
Region 10 - Latin America	Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela
Region 11 - Caribbean	Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Saint Kitts And Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent And The Grenadines, Suriname, Trinidad and Tobago

New budget type

Lump sum II: approach – basic principles

In the proposal, applicants must provide a **detailed estimation of costs** and a **split of the lump sum per work package and per beneficiary**

Evaluators assess cost details during evaluation and make recommendations if needed.

Based on this, the **lump sum is fixed during grant preparation**

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Duration and funding rules per Strand

▶ **Strand 1**

- Projects can last 24 or 36 months

- Funding between EUR 200.000 and EUR 400.000 per project

▶ **Strand 2**

- Projects can last 24 or 36 months

- Funding between EUR 400.000 and EUR 800.000 per project

▶ **Strand 3**

- Projects can last 36 or 48 months

- Funding between EUR 800.000 and EUR 1.000.000 per project

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