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### **The Erasmus Mundus Programme**

The Erasmus Mundus 2009-2013 Programme is a cooperation and mobility programme in the area of Higher Education, implemented by the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA).

In case of the Erasmus Mundus Action 2 – Strand 1 (EMA2 – STRAND 1), under which the DREAM Project is being developed, the management is carried out under the supervision of the Directorate General EuropeAid (DG Aidco).





## Goals of Erasmus Mundus Programme

EMA2 – STRAND 1 main goals are:

- to promote the European Higher Education;
- to encourage the reinforcement and improvement of students' career perspectives;
- to favor the intercultural understanding through the cooperation with third countries, in harmony with the EU external policy objectives, in order to contribute to the sustainable development of the third countries' Higher Education.
- This strand includes partnerships between European and third countries' Higher Education Institutions, exchange and mobility in several Higher Education levels, and also a scholarship system.





# **The DREAM Partnership**

- The DREAMConsortium comprises 8 European universities, 12 ACP Countries' Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) and 29 Associate Institutions.
- The project foresees 190 mobilities of: MASTER (degree and nondegree seeking); PhD (degree and non-degree seeking) and Staff (academic and administrative)
- Mobility Flows: ACP » Europe and Europe » ACP (only staff)

Partner Universities PEAMACP

ACP Partners		
Angola	Universidade José Eduardo dos Santos	
Cabo Verde	Universidade de Cabo Verde	
Chad	Université de Ndjamena	
Ethiopia	Dilla University	
Fiji	The University of South Pacific	
Gabon	Université des Sciences et Techniques de Masuku	
Madagascar	Université d'Antananarivo	
Mozambique Universidade Eduardo Mondlane		
Nigeria	Univerty of Nigeria Nsukka	
Timor-Leste         Universidade Nacional Timor Lorosa'e		
Trinidad and Tobago University of the West Indies – co-coordinator		
Zambia Copperbelt University		





## **Partner Universities**

European Partners			
Belgium	Université de Liège		
France	Université de Lille		
France	Université de Rouen		
Italy	Universitá degli studi di Cagliari		
Portugal	Universidade do Porto - coordinator		
Spain	Universidad de León		
Spain	Universidad de Valladolid		
United Kingdom	Cardiff Metropolitan University		







Angola	Acção para o Desenvolvimento Rural e Ambiente	
Belgium	Santander Group	
Benin	Université d'Abomey-Calavi	
Cameroon	Association Aide aux Familles et Victimes des Migrations Clandestines	
Cameroon	Université de Douala	
Cameroon	Université de Yaoundé I	
Cameroon	Université de Yaoundé II	
Congo	Université Marien Ngouabi	
Djibouti	Université de Djibouti	
Dominican Republic	Universidad Autónoma de Santo Domingo	
Dominican Republic	Universidad Tecnológica Santiago	







Ethiopia	Jimma University
Gabon	Université Omar Bongo
Kenya	African Network for Internationalization of Education
Kenya	University of Nairobi
Madagascar	Agence Universitaire de la Francophonie - Bureau Afrique de l'Ouest
Madagascar	Université de Toamasina
Mozambique	Associação Mulher Lei e Desenvolvimento
Mozambique	Instituto de Bolsas de Estudo de Moçambique
Mozambique	Organismo para o Desenvolvimento Sócio-Económico Integrado







Mozambique	Universidade Pedagógica de Moçambique	
Papua New Guinea	Papua New Guinea University of Technology	
Portugal	Associação de Universidades de Língua Portuguesa	
Portugal	Centro de Estudos Africanos da Universidade do Porto	
Senegal	Université Gaston Berger de Saint-Louis	
Senegal	Université Internationale des Diasporas Africaines	
Тодо	Université Internationale des Diasporas Africaines	
Uganda	Regional Universities Forum for Capacity Building in Agriculture	
Zimbabwe	Women's University in Africa	





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# Who can apply?

<ul> <li>Candidates enrolled or having a formal link with a part of application.</li> <li>I both cases candidates must have a formal support from institution (support letter) in order to submit the application.</li> </ul>		
Target Group II	<ul> <li>Candidates that are not enrolled or have a formal link with a partner University.</li> <li>It might be applicants who are registered at another institution of the ACP eligible countries; alumni from a partner University but are not currently enrolled.</li> <li>All applicants are advised to have the formal support of the institution (through formal letter of support) to submit the application.</li> </ul>	



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Target Group III Candidates in a particularly vulnerable situation for social and political reasons.

For example: having a refugee status or asylum beneficiaries; have been the object of unjustified expulsion from university on racial, ethnic, religious, political, gender or sexual inclination; belonging to an indigenous population targeted by a specific national policy; IDPs (Internally Displaced Persons).

For TG III, Full Master scholarships are the only available





### **Eligibility criteria for all types of mobility:**

- Must be a national of one of the eligible ACP countries;
- Must have not resided nor have carried out their main activity (studies, work, etc) for more than a total of 12 months over the last five years in any of the eligible European countries at the time of submitting their application to the partnership;
- Must have not benefited in the past from an Erasmus Mundus scholarship for the same type of mobility;
- Must have sufficient knowledge of the language of the courses or of one of the languages currently spoken in the hosting countries;
- Must respect the specific and additional criteria applicable to each type of mobility (master, doctorate, academic and administrative staff).





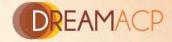
#### Specific eligibility criteria:

- Master (full) (ACP countries > EU) Must have already completed their Bachelor's course at an institution from an eligible ACP country on the moment of submitting the application.
- Master (mobility) (ACP countries > EU) Must be enrolled in the 1st year of a 2 year Master programme at one of the ACP Countries partner institutions (Target Group I and II applicants only).
- Doctorate (full) (ACP countries > EU) Must have already completed at least their Bachelor's course at an institution from an eligible ACP country on the moment of submitting the application.
- Doctorate (mobility) (ACP countries >EU)

Must be enrolled in a Doctorate programme at one of the ACP Countries institutions and must have already completed the 1st year of their course on the moment of submitting the application.

 Academic and Administrative Staff (both ways) Must work as a full time staff with one of the partner institutions.





### Specific eligibility criteria:

- In addition to these criteria there may be other defined internally by each institution.
- It is strongly recommended that the applicants prepare their application in close contact with the contact person of their institution, so as to obtain clear information about the specific eligibility criteria established either in their home institution (if applicable) or in the host Institution which they intend to apply to.





### **Eligible areas of study**

1	Agriculture Sciences	9	Languages and Philological Sciences
2	Architecture, Urban and Regional Planning	10	Law
3	Art and Design	11	Mathematics, Informatics
4	Business Studies, Management Science	12	Medical Sciences
5	Education, Teacher Training	13	Natural Sciences
6	Engineering, Technology	14	Social Sciences
7	Geography, Geology	15	Communication and Information Sciences
8	Humanities	16	Other Areas of Study







### **Scholarship conditions**

### Monthly scholarship

	Mobility	Number of Months	Monthly Amount
ACP » Europe	Master (mobility)	10	1.000 €
	Full Master	24	1.000 €
	Doctorate (mobility)	10	1.500 €
	Full PhD	36	1.500 €
	Academic and Administrative Staff	1	2.500 €
Europe » ACP	Academic and Administrative Staff	1	2.500 €

#### Journey – round trip

Purchased directly by the coordinating institution.

#### Health insurance, accidents and journey.

• Purchased directly by the coordinating institution.

#### **Tuition fees**

• If applicable – at the Host institution.





# How to apply?

- Check the website: <u>http://www.dream.up.pt/</u>
- Consult the university of origin
- Check the eligibility criteria
- ✓ Consult the academic offer
- Collect all the necessary documents
- ✓ Fill in the online application form

 Send the application form until the deadline:
 10th January 2014 (CET time-zone !)





# Which language to use?

- The Application Form can be filled in English, French, Portuguese or Spanish.
- If you intend to apply only to French speaking institutions, you may fill in the Application Form and attach all the required documents in French.
- If you intend to apply to institutions from 3 different countries you must use the English language to fill in the form and in the attached documents, so that all the host institutions may be able to analyze the submitted proposal.





### GOOD LUCK ! Thank you for your attention!

