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# Erasmus+ Information Session for Lesotho-Virtual 25 September 2025 Students Session

The Role of Education for Green Transition: Harnessing  
Lesotho's Green Energy Potential Through Erasmus+

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Enriching lives, opening minds

2021-2027

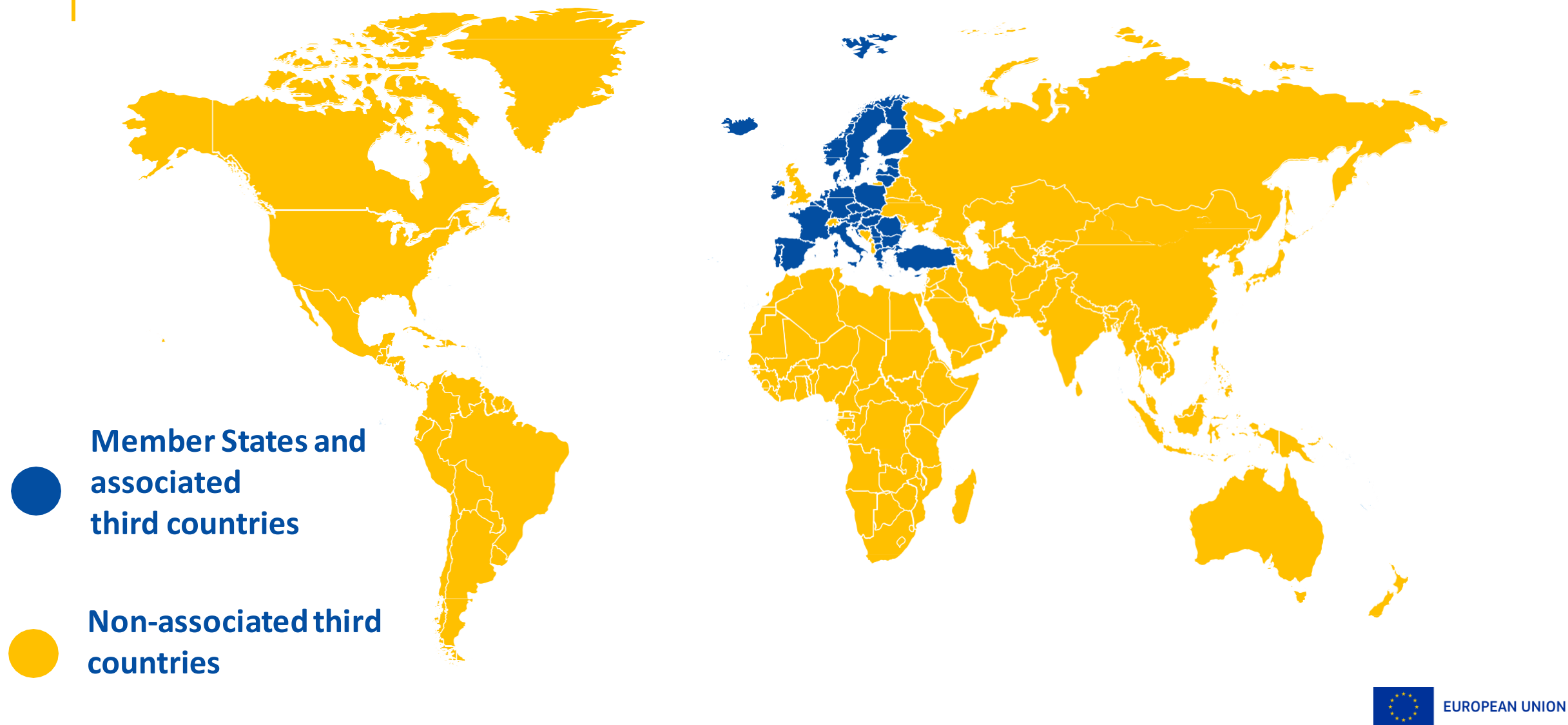


# What is Erasmus+?

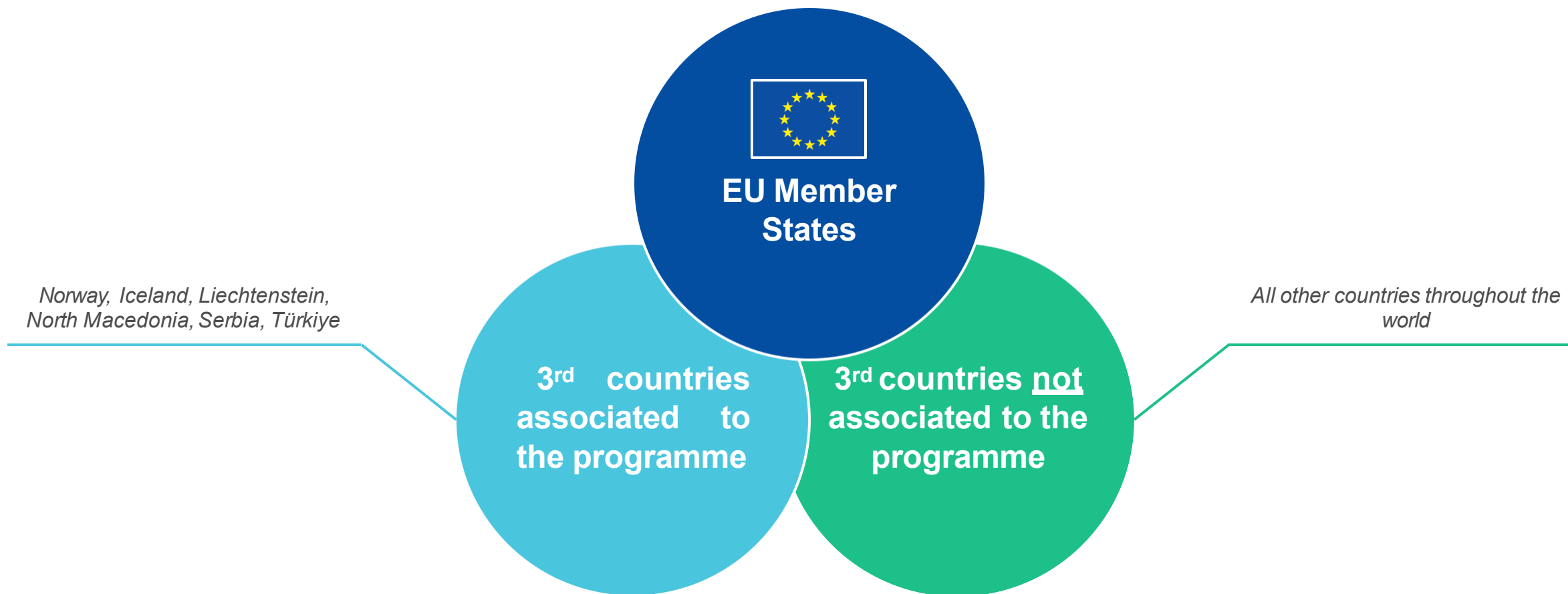
- The EU's programme to support education, training, youth and sport
- Funding for programmes, projects and scholarships
- Fosters EU-EU and EU-international cooperation
- Erasmus+ programme 2021-2027:
  - builds on previous programme
  - more international



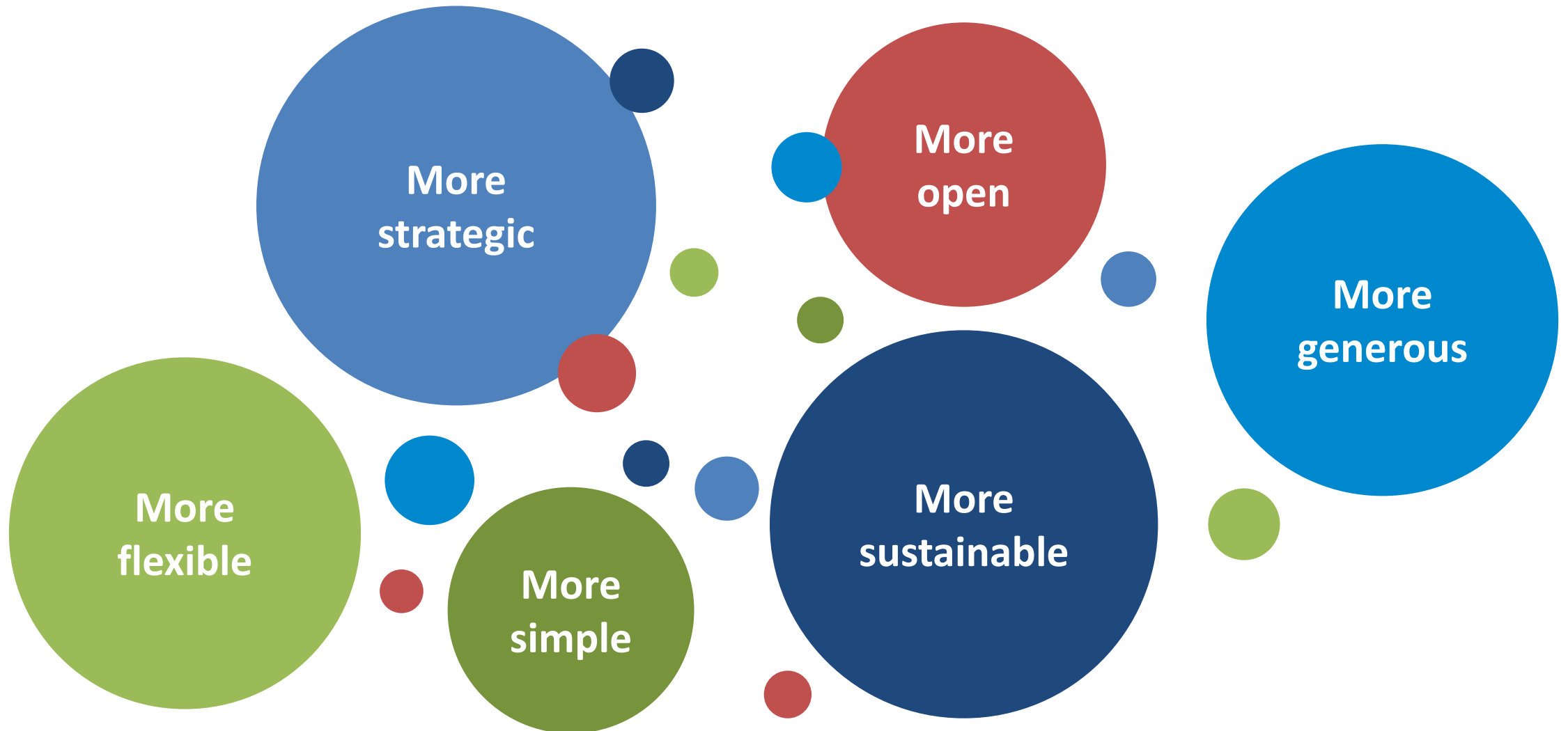
# International dimension of Erasmus+ 2021-2027



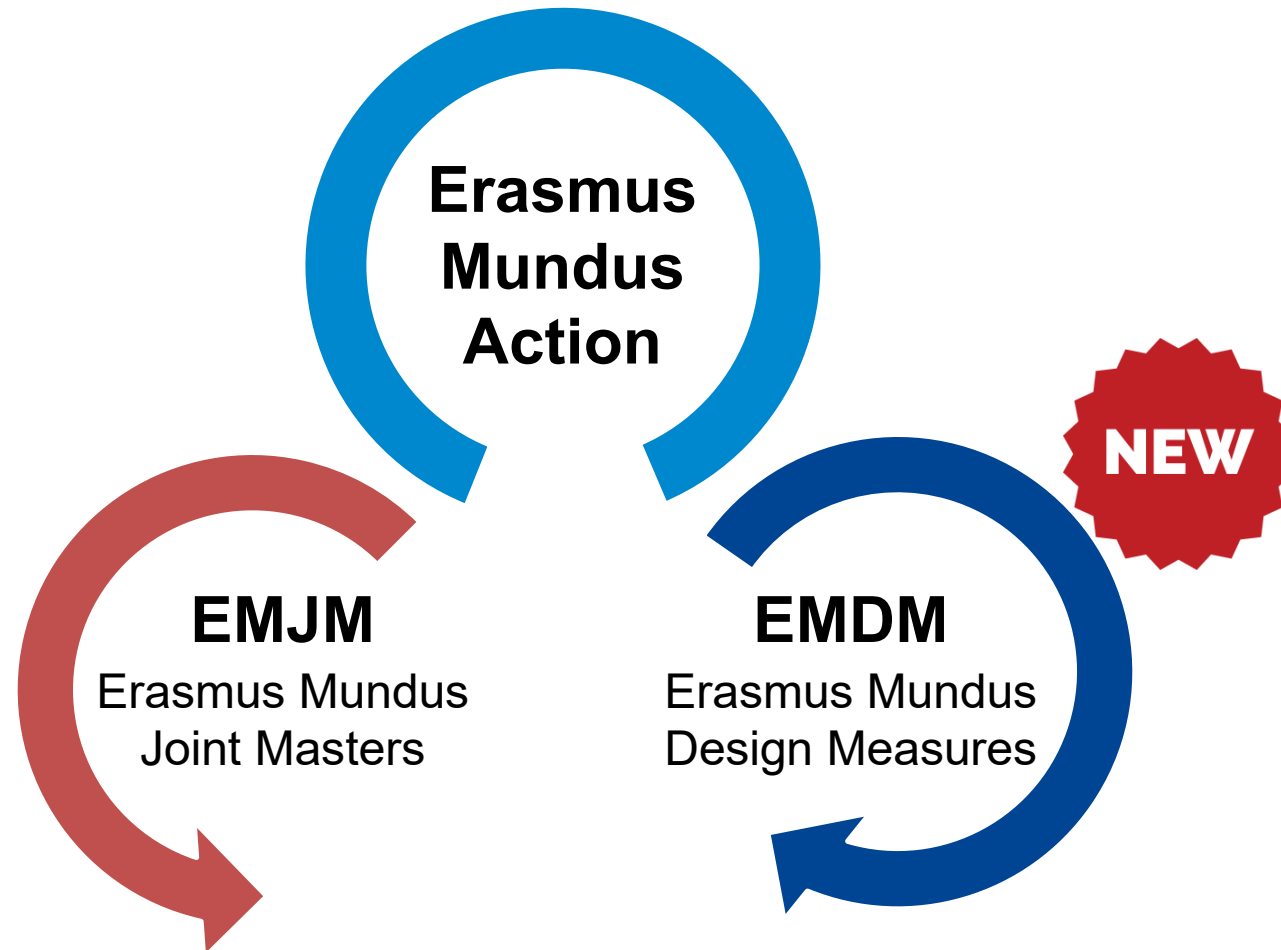
# Geographical scope of Erasmus Plus



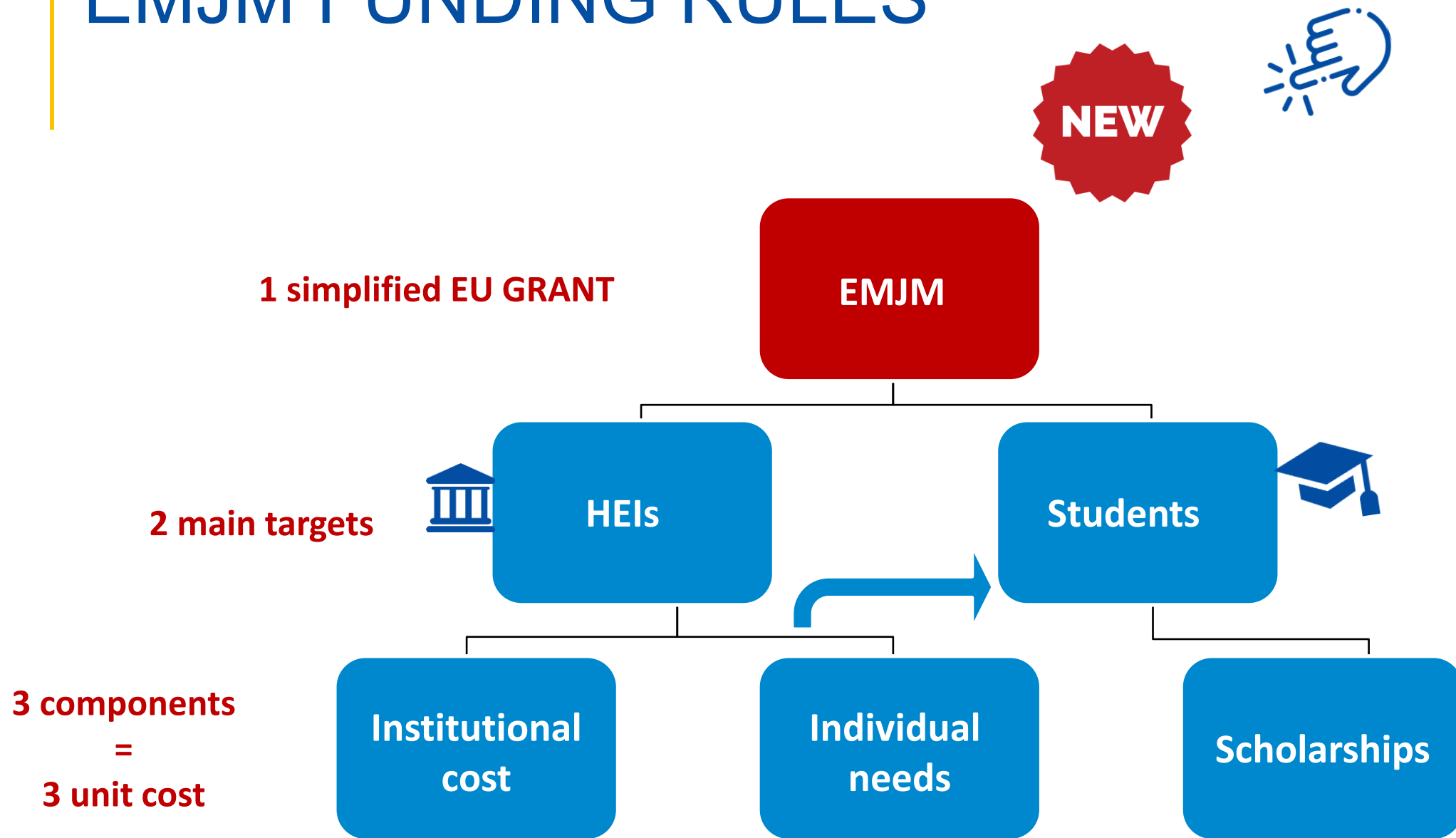
# Erasmus Mundus 2021-2027!



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# EMJM FUNDING RULES





# Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters

EMJM

- A full degree programme at Master level
- Study at two or more universities
- Full scholarships (participation fees, travel, living costs) for the best-ranked applicants from all over the world.
- Over 200 programmes to choose from in 2025



# Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters



Open to applicants **worldwide**



Applicants must:

- hold **a first higher education degree** or equivalent
- **not have benefited previously from** an EMJM scholarship



**The best ones can benefit from a scholarship** depending on the number of scholarships available



Students **apply directly to the EMJM consortium.**

Catalogue of running Master courses: [Erasmus Mundus Catalogue \(europa.eu\)](https://eumondus.europa.eu/)



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# Scholarships



- **Full Scholarship** to cover subsistence, installation and travel
- **A single unit cost per scholarship holder:** €1400 per month (min. 1 academic year - max. 24 months)

**=> max. amount per student: 33 600 euro**

- Erasmus Mundus Scholarship holders benefit from a **fee waiver** and an **insurance coverage**



# Individual needs (top-up mechanism)



**Enrolled students (with or without scholarship) with disabilities (e.g. long term physical, mental intellectual or sensory impairments)** can get additional support to cover costs such as those related to the acquisition of special items or services (e.g. assistance by third persons, adaptation of work environment, additional travel/transportation costs)

➤ Contribution **based on individual needs** of students:

**10 different unit costs varying between €3 000 – €60 000**



# How to apply for a scholarship

## Check the application requirements

- Eligibility
- Academic record; experience
- Language abilities
- Motivation – sell yourself!
- References
- Administrative documents

## Each EM Masters programme selects its students

- Check the catalogue of masters courses
- Apply directly to the course – consult the catalogue
- Application period: late 2025-early 2026 for programmes starting in September 2024
- [Erasmus Mundus Catalogue \(europa.eu\)](https://eum-catalogue.europa.eu/)



**DEADLINES !**

# Language?

**Vast majority of Master courses are taught in English, but...**

- Whatever the language of instruction, it is important to have the right level of linguistic ability, and...
- You'll also have the chance to enroll in tailor-made language courses. These add to your skills and improve your employability

# Successful?

- Prepare your visa requests/other administrative procedures
- Ensure you have all the necessary documents ready well in advance (originals, certified copies)
- Check your rights and obligations in the student agreement
- Ask advice and support from fellow students who have already benefited from an EM scholarship (see EMA website)

# Erasmus Mundus scholarship-winners 2025

## 2 176 scholarships worldwide in 137 countries

- Top 20 countries
- Other countries



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# Thank you



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