Erasmus Multilateral projects Modernisation of Higher Education

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Within the priorities set in the general call for proposals, the following information can be used

Objectives and description of the action

European higher education needs reform in order to play its full role in the Europe of Knowledge and contribute to the Lisbon Strategy for Growth and Jobs. Modernisation of higher education is necessary in the areas of curricula (Bologna process), funding and governance so that higher education institutions can face the challenges posed by globalisation and contribute more effectively to the training and retraining of the European workforce.

Within the priorities announced in the general call for proposals , activities supported under this action may include:

□ Projects which help institutions to develop strategies for the modernisation of their curricula, making them more responsive to the needs of the labour market, citizens and society at large.

□ Projects which help institutions to develop lifelong learning strategies and become 'open learning centres' for their region.

□ Projects which help institutions to develop pro-active funding strategies, matching the diversity of their institutional profiles with a variety of funding sources.

□ Projects which help institutions to develop internal governance systems based on their strategic priorities.

□ Projects which help institutions to enhance the quality of their performance, contribute to their accountability and enhance their attractiveness.

Who can benefit

Higher Education institutions.

Associations, networks or consortia of higher education institutions or other bodies active in relation to higher education.

Who can apply

Higher Education institutions holders of an Erasmus University Charter Associations, networks or consortia of higher education institutions or other bodies active in relation to higher education.

Selection Procedure COM Management of selected projects Executive Agency Minimal size of the consortium

Please refer to Part II -Annex 1 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals **Participating countries** Please refer to Part II - section 3.1 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals

Duration, methods of funding, level of funding

Please refer to Part II -Annex 1 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals **Funded activities** Please refer to Part II - section 7 of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals

Political priorities for this action

Please refer to Part I of the Lifelong Learning 2007 general Call for Proposals Application Form