



Erasmus+

# Capacity Building in Higher Education

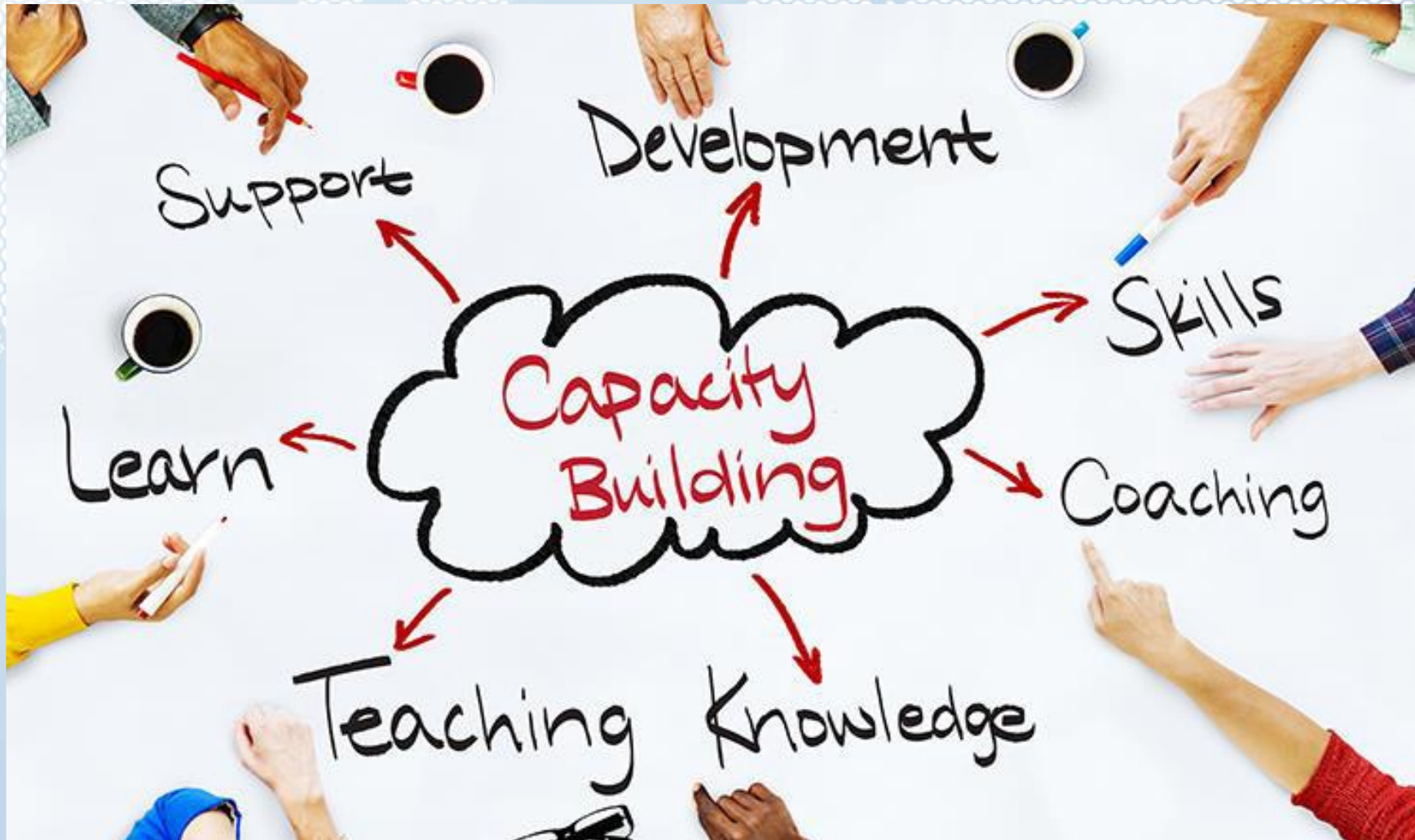
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# What is it about?



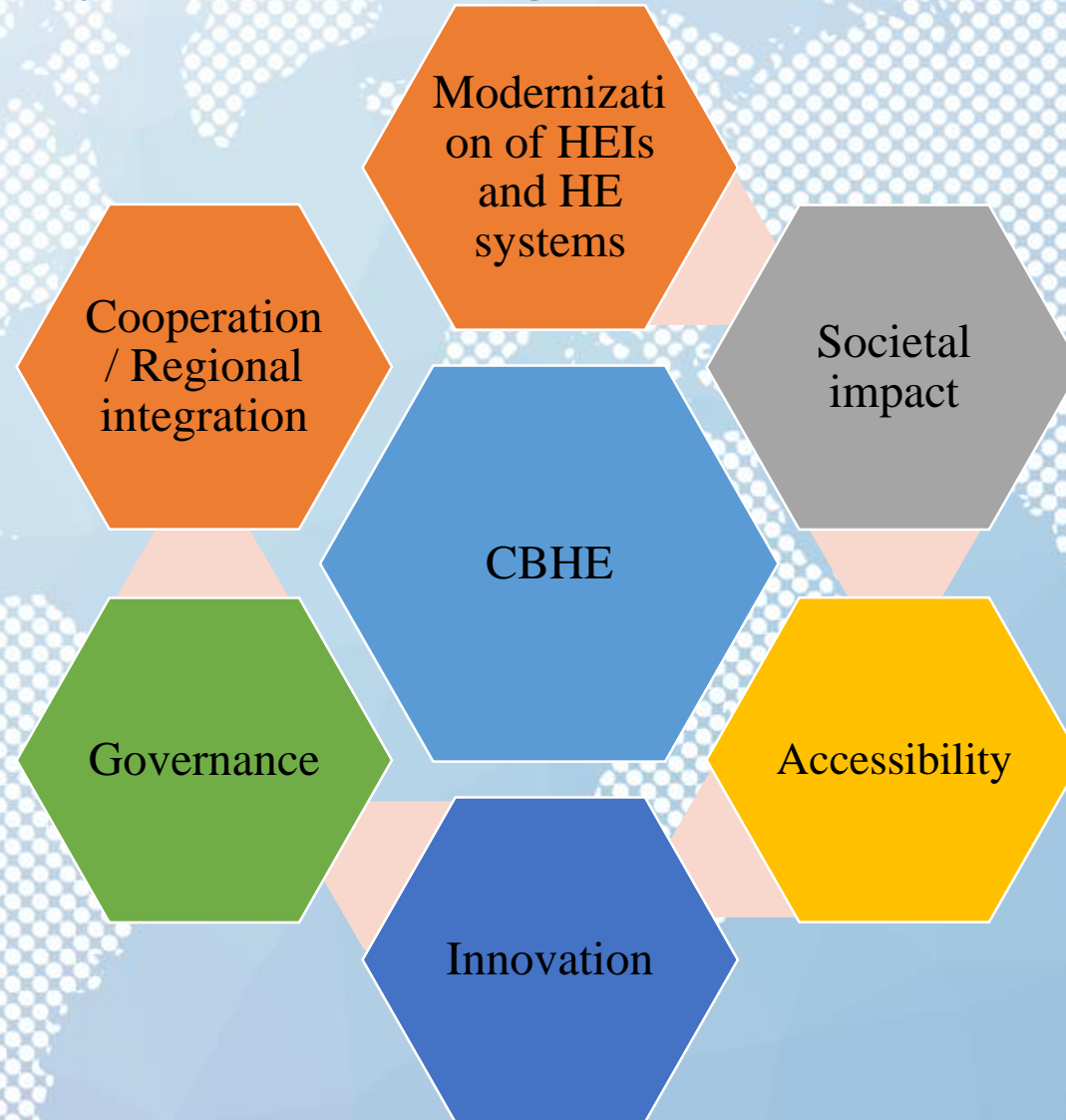
# Capacity Building in HE: Purpose

Focus on the needs of the third countries not associated to the programme

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

Maximizing benefit to third countries not associated to the programme

# Capacity Building in HE: Objectives



# 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 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 2 countries associated to Erasmus+ (EU member states and other Programme countries)

# National projects: eligibility criteria

Third countries not associated to Erasmus+

1 eligible country

Minimum 2 HEIs

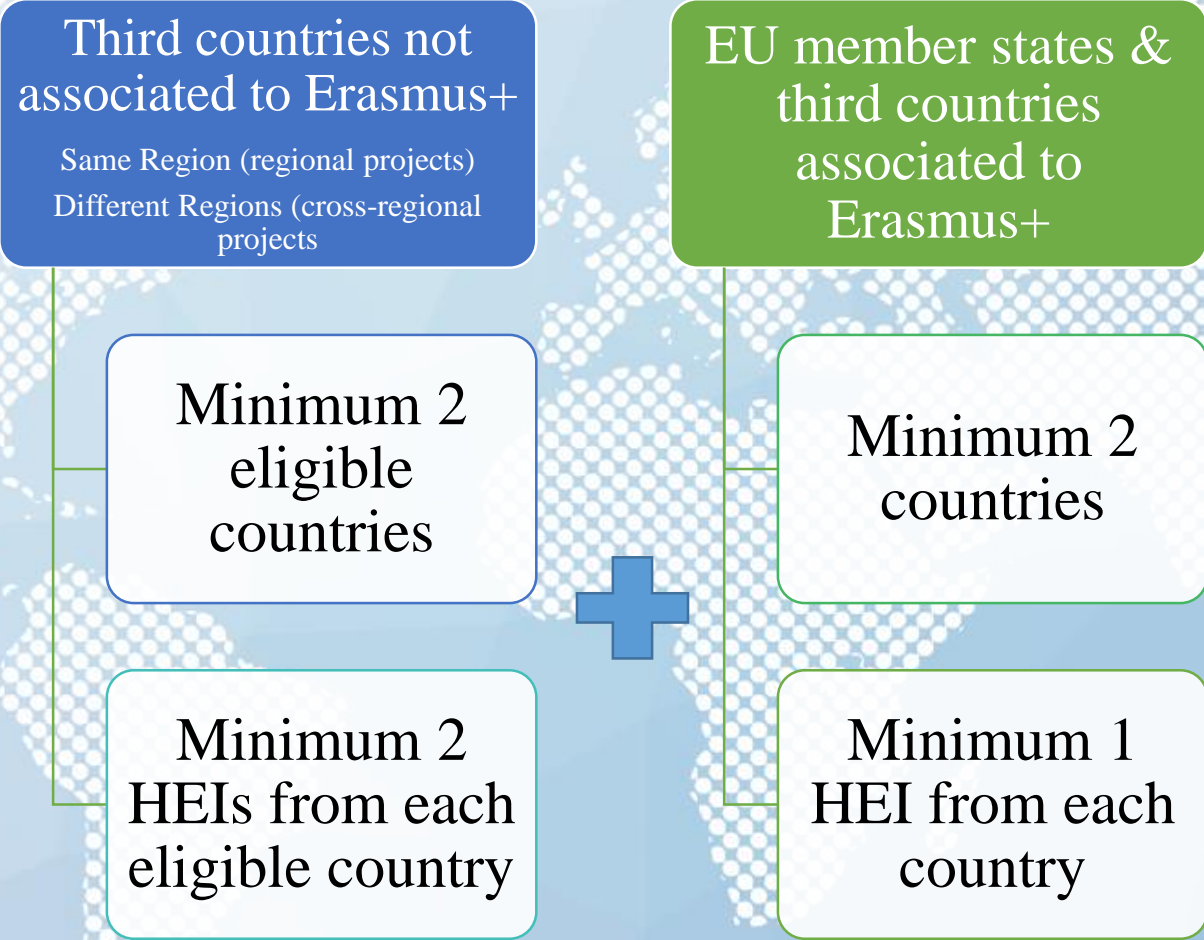
EU member states & third countries associated to Erasmus+

At least 2 countries

Minimum 1 HEI from each participating country



# Multi-country projects: eligibility criteria



**For Western Balkans, Russian Federation, Latin America and Caribbean:  
Only multi country projects!**



# New features

## Three strands

- New type of support

## Regional priorities

- Overarching and sub-priorities

## New budget system

- Lump sum

## New publication system

- FTOP



# Three strands

## Strand 1

Fostering  
access to  
cooperation in  
HE

## Strand 2

Partnerships  
for  
transformation

## Strand 3

Structural  
reform  
projects

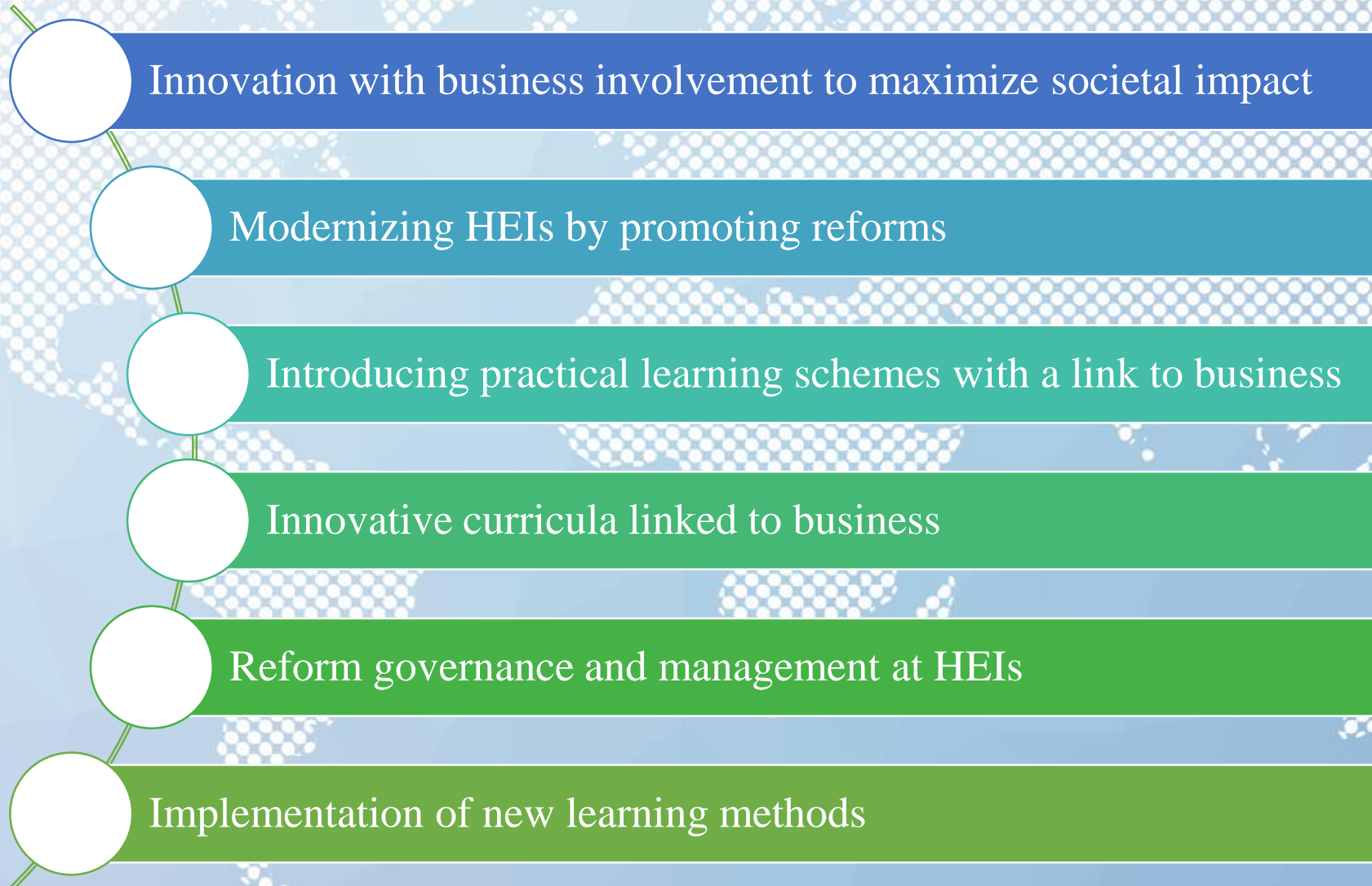
# Strand 1

## Fostering access to cooperation in HE



# Strand 2

## Partnerships for transformation



# 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 HE

Identify synergies with ongoing EU initiatives

Foster national ownership

Efficient and effective policy making

Foster common regional strategies in HE

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

# New budget type

## Lump sum II: approach – basic principles



Applicant 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

The lump sum is fixed during grant preparation

# 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



# Indicative available budget and no of projects

	Indicative 2022 CBHE budget	Indicative budget for strand 1	Indicative n° of projects to be funded	Indicative budget for strand 2	Indicative n° of projects to be funded	Indicative budget for strand 3	Indicative n° of projects to be funded
<b>Western Balkan region</b>	<b>12.020.010</b>	<b>5.168.610</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>4.808.000</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2.043.400</b>	<b>2</b>

# TIMELINE

Publication,  
second half  
of November  
2021

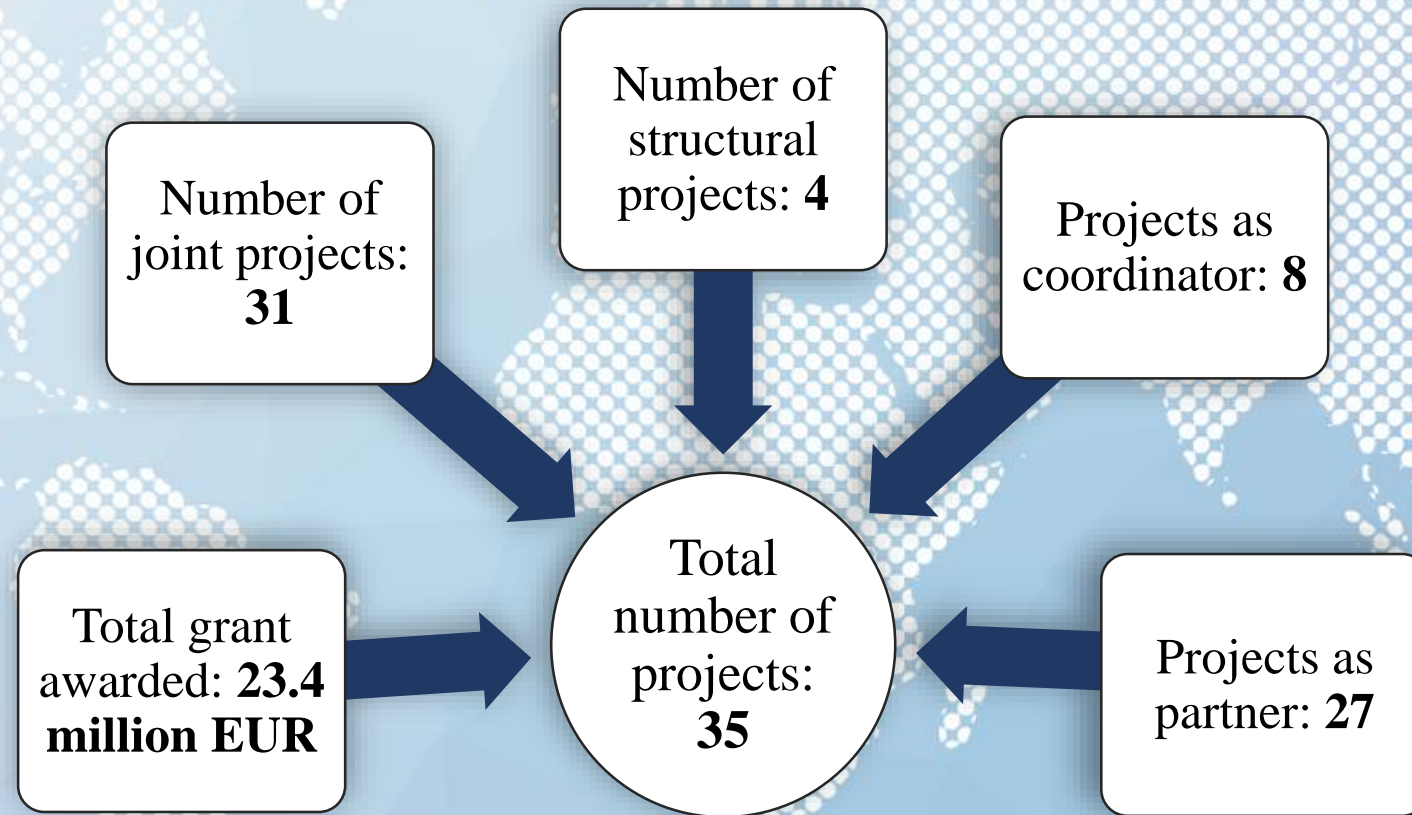
Deadline:  
**February 17,  
2022**

Evaluation  
process:  
**March-July  
2022**

Information  
to applicants:  
**August 2022**

Start of  
project:  
**end of 2022**

# An overview from the past experience Montenegro in CBHE projects 2014-2020





## **Thank you for your attention!**

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