

# Capacity Building in the Field of Sports

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# Western Balkan countries in the context of the Erasmus+ programme











# Capacity building in the field of sports Objectives:



Raising the capacity of grassroots sport organisations

Encouraging the practice of sport and physical activity

Promoting social inclusion through sport

Promoting positive values through sport

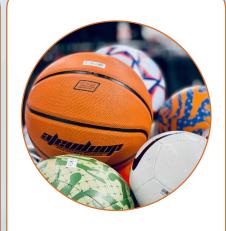
Fostering cooperation across different regions of the world through joint initiatives



#### Thematic areas:



Promotion of common values, non-discrimination and gender equality



Integration of migrants



Development of skills needed to improve the social involvement of disadvantaged groups



Post-conflict reconciliation



### Activities supported: examples

Creating and developing networks between organizations/countries/regions

Developing and implementing exchange of best practices and ideas

Implementing common sport activities and educational side events

Implementation of new forms of non formal learning methods, tools, practices and materials through practical training and mobility of sport staff

Raising awareness on issues of discrimination of disadvantaged groups in sport

Supporting the building of an engaged and active civil society



# Horizontal aspects to be considered when designing your project:

Environmental sustainability

Common values, civic engagement and participation

Inclusion and diversity

Digital dimension



#### Eligibility

#### Who can apply?

 Any public or private organization (a legal entity), with its affiliated entity, active in the field of sport established in countries eligible for participation in this action

# Types of organizations (examples)

- A public body in charge for sport
- A sport organization
- National Olympic
   Committee or National Sport
   Confederation
- An organization representing "sport for all" movement
- An organization active in the field of physical activity promotion
- An organization representing the active leisure sector

#### N° of organizations

- At least 4 organisations from minimum 3 countries
- At least 1 organization from 2 different EU Member States and third countries associated to the programme and at least 2 organizations from at least 1 eligible third country not associated to the programme from Region 1



# An example of a consortium







# **Application**

Duration of the project

12, 24 or 36 months

Where to apply?

The European
Education and Culture
Executive Agency
(EACEA)

Call ID: ERASMUS-SPORT-2024-CB

When to apply?

March 5, 2024, at 17:00 (Brussels time)

Grant awarded

Min 100.000 EUR

Max 200.000 EUR



#### Award criteria



<u>Note</u>: To be considered for funding, the proposal must score at least 60 points, at least half of the maximum score per each category.



# How to apply?

Erasmus+
Programme Guide

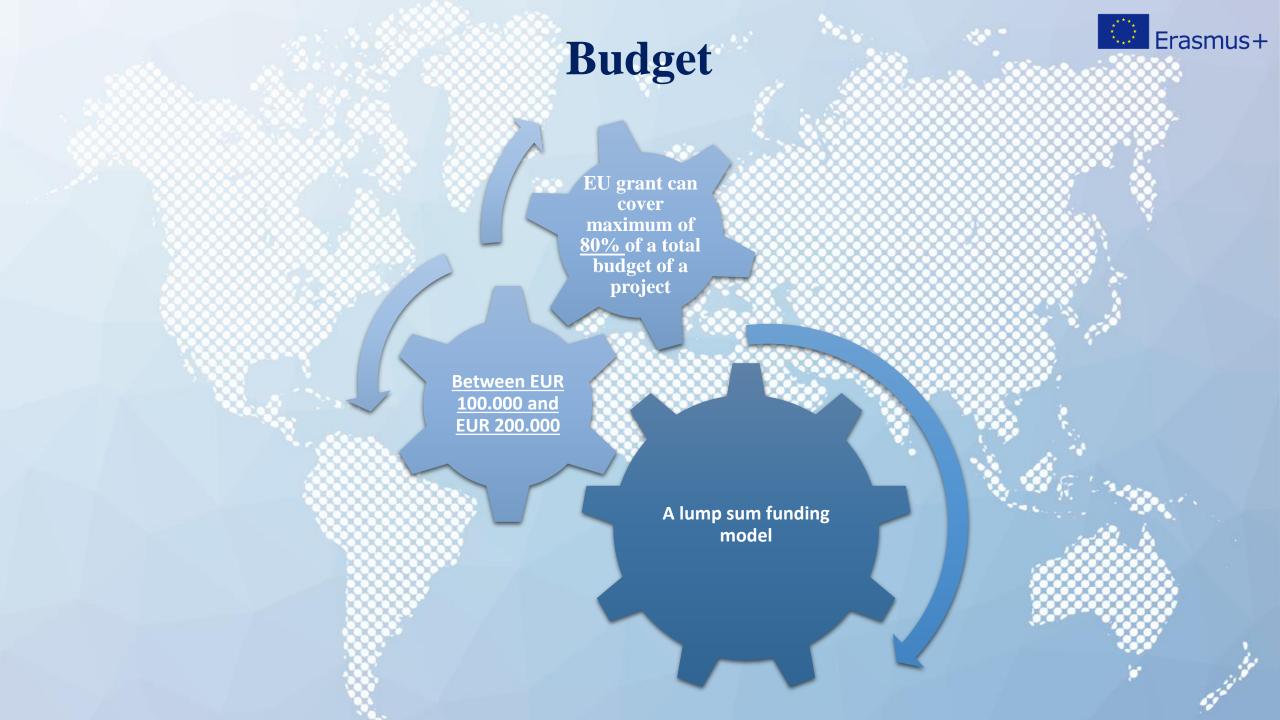
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Create your **project proposal**:
e-FORM, PART A,
PART B, PART C

Funding and Tender Opportunities Portal



This 9-digit number is received after you register in the Portal Participant Register





#### Tips for newcomers – a successful project

- **✓** <u>Be coherent</u>: avoid contradictions and "cut and paste" style applications
- **✓** <u>Be concrete</u>: use examples, justify your claims, provide evidence
- **✓** <u>Be clear</u>: read the questions carefully, provide information in the correct order as indicated in the form
- **✓** <u>Be explicit</u>: take nothing for granted; don't assume that experts have prior knowledge; avoid abbreviations or explain them
- **✓** <u>Be realistic</u>: the application is the basis of your project to be; it is also the cornerstone of the commitment you will sign
- **✓ Remain focused on results:** concentrate exclusively on what is asked of you
- ✓ <u>Eligibility</u>: make sure you have followed all instructions and that the proposal meets all mandatory requirements
- ✓ <u>Keep it simple</u>: use short sentences, vary the length if you wish to make it more interesting but keep it simple and focused

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- Read the Programme guide (action CB Sport) and decide with your management if you be involved in a project
- Contact organisations you know in EU Member States and/or third countries associated to the Programme and start preparing a project
- Contact organisations from third countries not associated to the programme and start preparing a project



## **Running projects**

You can see the selected CB sport projects in the <u>Funding & Tenders</u>
 <u>Portal</u> call pages:

2022 - Funding & tenders (europa.eu) - Click on 'Funded project list'

2023 - Funding & tenders (europa.eu) - Click on 'Funded project list'



#### **Information sources:**

Programme Guide, relevant Call documents and the applications forms are published in the Funding and Tender Opportunities Portal: <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/home">https://ec.europa.eu/info/funding-tenders/opportunities/portal/screen/home</a>

Online Manuel: <a href="https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/funding-tendersopportunities/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=1867832">https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/funding-tendersopportunities/pages/viewpage.action?pageId=1867832</a>

Erasmus+ platform for dissemination and exploitation of project results: <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/">http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/projects/</a>

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#### Thank you for your attention!

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