FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:
Cooperation and development projects in the EU

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FP7 or Framework programme

- 7th Framework programme of research
- Duration: 7 years (2007-2013)
- Budget: 53.2 Bi € (63% increase from FP6)
- Main areas: cooperation, ideas, people, capacities, nuclear research
FP7: Evolution of budget:
FP7: key thematic areas

- Health
- Food, agriculture and fisheries, and biotechnology
- Information and communication technologies
- Nanosciences, nanotechnologies, materials and new production technologies
- Energy
- Environment (including climate change)
- Transport (including aeronautics)
- Socio-economic sciences and the humanities
- Space
- Security
FP7: who can participate?

• Universities, research centres, multinational corporations, SMEs (small to medium-sized enterprises), public administrations, even individuals, from anywhere in the world.

• List of International Cooperation Partner Countries (ICPC):
FP7: How to apply

- Check CORDIS website to see what are the calls open. Each call has its specifications.
- Electronic Proposal Submission Service (EPSS) – web-based tool on-line tool to send in applications
FP7: Cordis website

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FP7: learn more about it

• CORDIS WEBSITE: www.cordis.europa.eu/fp7/: everything you need to know about the programme, including latest information updates, calls for proposals, frequently-asked questions (FAQs) and more.

• National Contact Point (NCP): www.cordis.europa.eu/fp7/ncp.en.html/

• FP7 Helpdesk: www.ec.europa.eu/research/enquiries

• FP7 section - website for European research: www.ec.europa.eu/research/fp7/
• DG External Relations – funds development projects

• Funding for grants or contracts:
  – Grants x contracts: The difference between a public contract and a grant is clear: in the case of a contract, the Contracting Authority receives the product or service it needs in return for payment; in the case of a grant, it makes a contribution either to a project carried out by an external organisation or directly to that organisation.

• Example: Open call for Egypt
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• To learn more:
• Presentation EUROPEAID:
  http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/index_en.htm

• Funding:
  http://ec.europa.eu/europeaid/work/funding/index_en.htm
AECI – Spanish Development Agency

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Agencia Española de Cooperación Internacional
http://www.aecid.es/

Becas MAE http://www.becasmae.es/

Programa PCI (Interuniversity Cooperation Programme)
http://www.becasmae.com/pci/

PCI Mediterráneo:
ERASMUS MUDUS

Erasmus Mundus (2009-2013) is a cooperation and mobility programme in the field of higher education that aims to enhance the quality of European higher education and to promote dialogue and understanding between people and cultures through cooperation with Third Countries.

3 Actions:

Action 1: EM Master courses and Joint PhDs
Action 2: External cooperation window
Action 3: Enhancing visibility of European HE
ERASMUS MUDUS

Guide:


Website: About EM II:

Tempus is the European Union’s programme which supports the modernisation of higher education in the Partner Countries of Eastern Europe, Central Asia, the Western Balkans and the Mediterranean region, mainly through university cooperation projects.

- Actions:
  - Action 1: Joint programmes (multicultural partnerships)
  - Action 2: Structural measures (reform @ national/regional level)
  - Action 3: Accompanying measures (tenders)
## TEMPUS – Eligible countries

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• How to apply:
  – TEMPUS IV calls open once a year.
  – All eligible countries can apply (as coordinators)
  – Max. 3 proposals per applicant per call

• More information:

• TEMPUS National Contact Offices
Thank you for your attention!

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