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## Western Balkans National Erasmus+ Offices





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### Who we are?

Focal point for:

- Applicants;
- Beneficiaries;
- HE stakeholders.

Implementer of the  
E+ for:

- EU Commission;
- The EACEA;
- Partner countries.

Support providers for:

- National authorities;
- H.E. institutions;
- Other stakeholders.

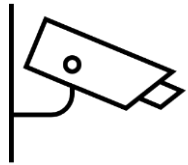


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### What we do?

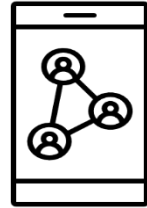
#### Monitoring



- Visits;
- Follow-up;
- Reporting.



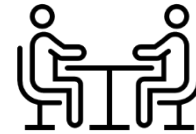
#### Dissemination



- Info days;
- Info meetings;
- Media;
- Info materials;
- Social media;
- Conferences;
- Seminars;



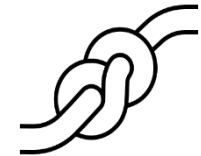
#### Mentoring



- Defining topics;
- Explaining rules;
- Workshop;
- Training



#### Liaising



- Academia;
- National Authorities;
- Relevant agencies;
- EUD;
- students Organizations;



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## Erasmus+ Albania: key challenges

Lack of links  
between HEIs  
and private  
sector

Lack/ few  
Curricula in  
English

Reduced  
involvement of  
MASR in SP  
implementation

Long  
procedures in  
allocations of  
project fund





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## Erasmus+ BiH: key challenges



HEA not a member of ENQA

HEIs from remote areas not sufficiently represented in E+ projects

Insufficient links between HEIs, businesses, and other stakeholders

Insufficient involvement of students in the E+ program and reform processes



## Erasmus+ Kosovo: key challenges



Non-compliance with the quality standards in higher education institutions

Lack of English study programmes

No funding methodology or financing formula for higher education institutions

Limited capacities for implementation of joint doctoral programmes



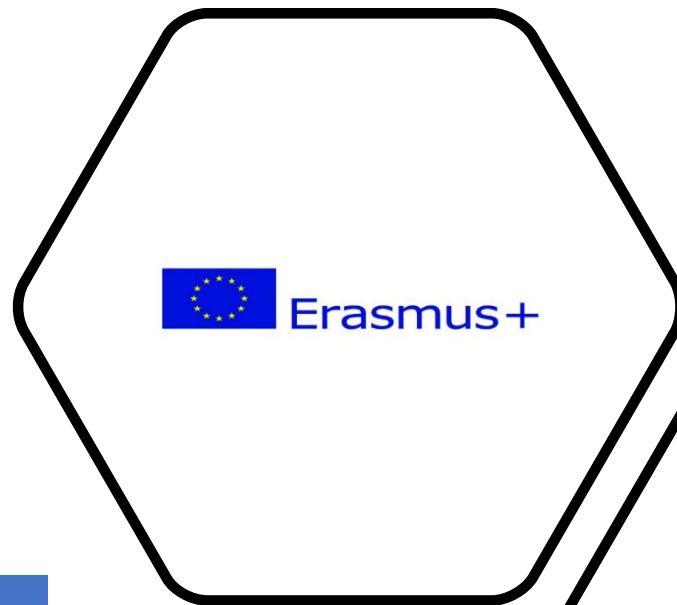
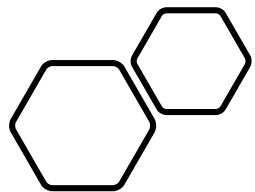
## Erasmus+ Montenegro: key challenges



Accreditation of  
study programmes  
and LLL  
programmes

Developing study  
programmes in  
English language

Lack of  
participation of  
relevant ministries  
and national  
authorities in  
implementing  
projects



Do you have  
any questions?



**Thank you  
for  
your attention!**

