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ICELAND
Joined Erasmus in 1992

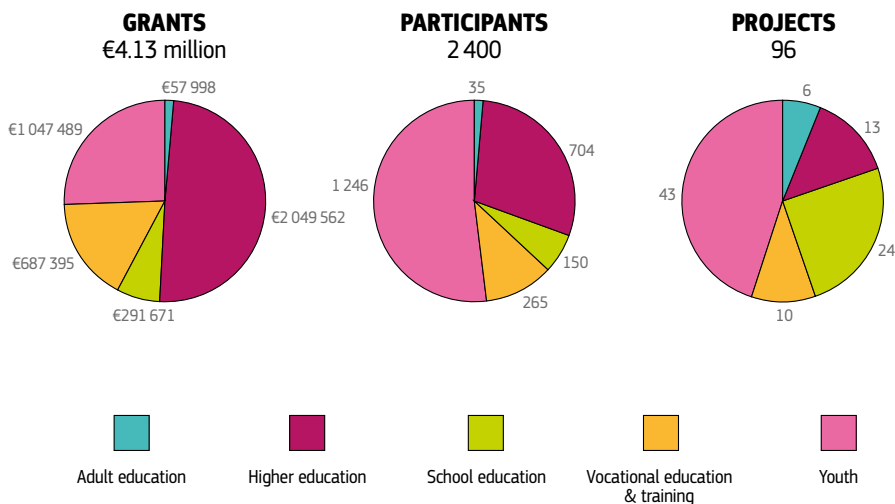
ERASMUS+ 2016 IN NUMBERS

Erasmus+ strengthens education and youth systems and improves employability through funding for education, training, youth and sport. Between 2014 and 2020, Erasmus+ will give 3.7% of young people in the EU a chance to study, train, volunteer or gain professional experience abroad. The budget for Erasmus+ was €2.2 billion in 2016. National Agencies are responsible for managing most parts of the programme in each country.

STUDYING, TRAINING AND VOLUNTEERING ABROAD

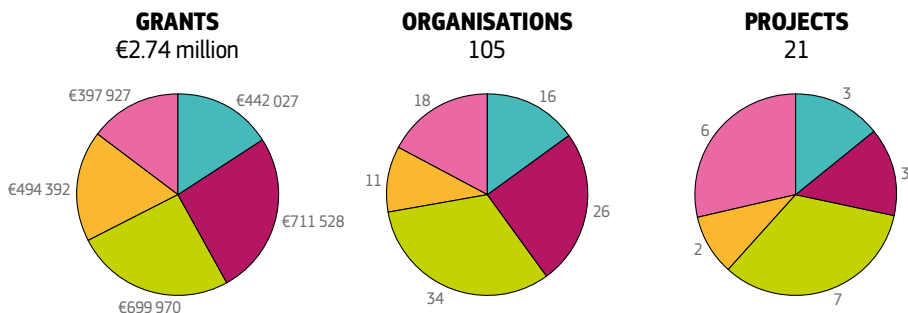
Erasmus+ helps people of all ages and backgrounds develop and share knowledge and experience at institutions and organisations in different countries. It enhances skills and intercultural awareness and helps people become engaged citizens.

In 2016, 2 400 participants in 96 Icelandic projects benefited from mobility in higher education, vocational education and training, school education, adult learning and youth for a total grant amount of €4.13 million.



COOPERATION PROJECTS

Cooperation between schools, universities, youth organisations, public authorities and enterprises helps create more relevant and modern education and youth systems, with stronger links between the worlds of work and education.



ERASMUS+ ALSO SUPPORTED ICELANDIC ORGANISATIONS IN THESE ACTIVITIES

- 4** in capacity building projects in the field of education and youth
- 2** in collaborative partnerships in the field of sport
- 1** in social inclusion through education, training and youth projects

ERASMUS+ HIGHER EDUCATION

Higher education students can study or train in a company, and staff can teach or train abroad.

TOP 3 Sending institutions

1. University of Iceland
2. Iceland Academy of the Arts
3. Reykjavik University

TOP 3 Receiving countries

1. Denmark
2. Germany
3. United Kingdom



Students



Trainees

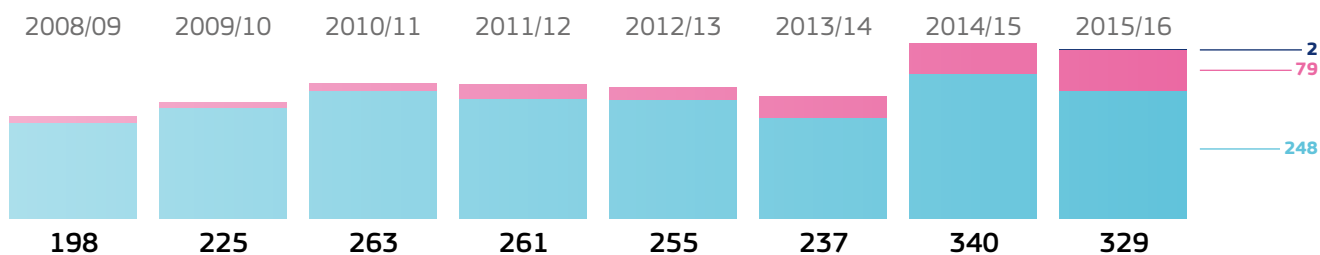


Students to/from partner countries*

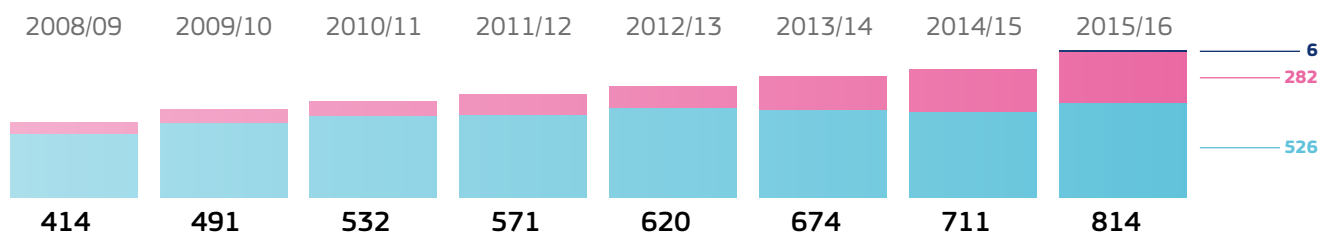


Total outgoing/incoming students and trainees

OUTGOING STUDENTS AND TRAINEES



INCOMING STUDENTS AND TRAINEES



STAFF

	2014/15	2015/16
Outgoing	163	254
Incoming	264	370



* The 33 Erasmus+ Programme Countries are the 28 EU Member States, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey. Partner countries are all other countries in the world.



NATIONAL AGENCY

EDUCATION AND YOUTH FIELDS

The Icelandic Center for Research www.erasmusplus.is