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Erasmus+ statistics 2014

2014 was the first year of Erasmus+, a programme that brings together several EU funding schemes for education and training, youth and sport. This seven-year programme has a total budget of € 14.7 billion. National agencies are responsible for managing most parts of the programme in each country.

Grants for studying, training or volunteering abroad

These grants help people enhance their skills, employability and intercultural awareness. They also encourage young people to participate in democratic life. Compared to previous years, Erasmus+ provides stronger support for learners from disadvantaged backgrounds or with fewer opportunities.

 € 17.76 million


 **9 817 people studied, trained or volunteered abroad**

	GRANT (EURO)	PARTICIPANTS	PROJECTS
School education (staff)	790 817	296	27
Vocational education and training (staff and students)	4 437 903	1 966	74
Higher education (staff and students)	9 404 156	3 196	48
Adult education (staff)	72 130	29	2
Youth (exchanges, youth workers and volunteering)	3 053 414	4 330	139

Cooperation projects

By working together, schools, universities, youth organisations, public authorities and enterprises can learn from each other and strengthen the education and youth systems in all EU countries. The cooperation projects will foster modernisation and EU-wide cooperation. This will stimulate innovation, creativity and improve job prospects.

 **27 strategic partnerships**

 **149 organisations**

 € 5.61 million

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School education	1 931 118	60	11
Vocational Education and Training	1 449 826	32	5
Higher Education	637 065	16	2
Adult Education	837 783	18	3
Youth	758 164	23	6

Other Erasmus+ activities

In addition, Erasmus+ provides support for joint master degrees. These are offered by a partnership of institutions, chosen because of the high academic standard of their integrated programme. Students study in at least two countries.

Erasmus+ supports cooperation that strengthens education systems in developing countries (capacity building projects), as well as cooperation between higher education institutions and businesses (knowledge alliances) and between vocational education and training institutions and businesses (sector skills alliances).

Erasmus+ also supports policy reforms in the fields of education, training, youth and sport. Besides, it fosters grassroots sport and studies on European integration.

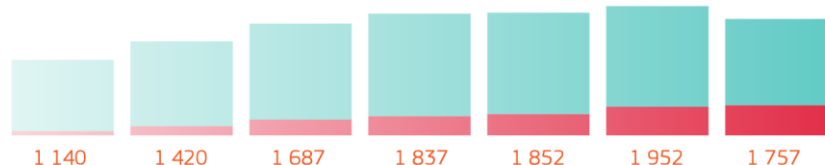


Erasmus higher education statistics 2013-2014

Erasmus+ enables students to study or train in a company abroad, as well as providing higher education staff with a chance to train or teach abroad. The figures given below refer to "Erasmus exchanges" during the last year of the previous programme (Lifelong learning).

Outgoing students

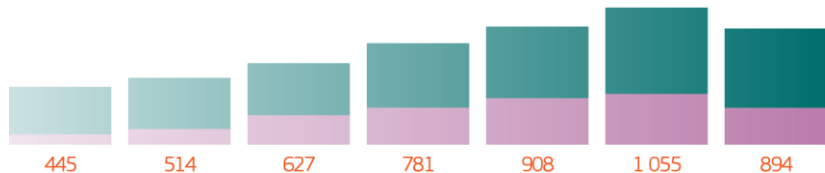
2007/08 2008/09 2009/10 2010/11 2011/12 2012/13 2013/14



Traineeships + **Studies** = **Total outgoing students**

Incoming students

2007/08 2008/09 2009/10 2010/11 2011/12 2012/13 2013/14



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Staff

	2007/08	2013/14
Outgoing	601	957
Incoming	404	828



Student mobility

Top 5 sending institutions

1. SOFIISKI UNIVERSITET "SVETI KLIMENT OHRIDSKI"
2. UNIVERSITY OF NATIONAL AND WORLD ECONOMY
3. VELIKOTURNOVSKI UNIVERSITET SV. SV. KIRIL I METODII
4. TEHNICHESKI UNIVERSITET SOFIA
5. IKONOMICHESKI UNIVERSITET - VARNA

Top 5 receiving institutions

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2. VELIKOTURNOVSKI UNIVERSITET SV. SV. KIRIL I METODII
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4. IKONOMICHESKI UNIVERSITET - VARNA
5. AMERICAN UNIVERSITY IN BULGARIA

Top 5 sending countries

1. Poland
2. Spain
3. France
4. Portugal
5. Germany

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2. Spain
3. France
4. Turkey
5. Italy and Poland