

# Specific Eligibility Criteria for Blended Intensive Programmes (BIP)

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- A Blended Intensive Programme (BIP) must be designed and implemented by at least 3 Higher Education Institutions from at least 3 EU Member States or third countries associated with the programme, holding an ECHE.
- Any other organization or institution based in an EU Member State, a third country associated with the programme, or a third country not associated with the programme may also participate for the purpose of sending participants.
- The coordinating higher education institution must hold an Erasmus Charter for Higher Education (ECHE). The host institution may be the same or different from the coordinating institution. Other organizations may also host participants during part of the physical activity.
- Sending institutions must be from EU Member States or associated countries holding ECHE, or from non-associated third countries recognized by competent authorities and having signed inter-institutional agreements before mobility begins.
- Institutions from non-associated third countries may send participants if the host institution participates in KA171 mobility projects funding incoming participants. These participants do not count toward minimum requirements.
- To be eligible for organizational support, a BIP must include at least 10 Erasmus+ mobile learners funded through internal policy funds (excluding teaching/training staff). Participants from non-associated countries are not counted.
- The organizing institution must hold ECHE and must have applied for funding either individually or as part of a consortium.

## **Student mobility:**

- Physical mobility must last between 5 and 30 days and include a mandatory virtual component.
- At least 3 ECTS credits must be awarded.

## **Staff mobility:**

- For training: physical mobility must last 5–30 days and include a mandatory virtual component.
- For teaching: physical mobility must last 2–30 days (or at least 1 day for invited staff from enterprises); virtual component optional.

**Funding:**

- Individual support and travel grants are provided by the sending institution (or host in some cases).
- The organizing institution receives €400 per participant (min 10 – max 20 Erasmus+ funded participants).
- This funding covers organizational costs only (not individual support or travel).