



National
Erasmus+
Office in Armenia

ARMENIA

COUNTRY'S SPECIFICS

Central European Joint Infoday 2022

10-11.11 Budapest

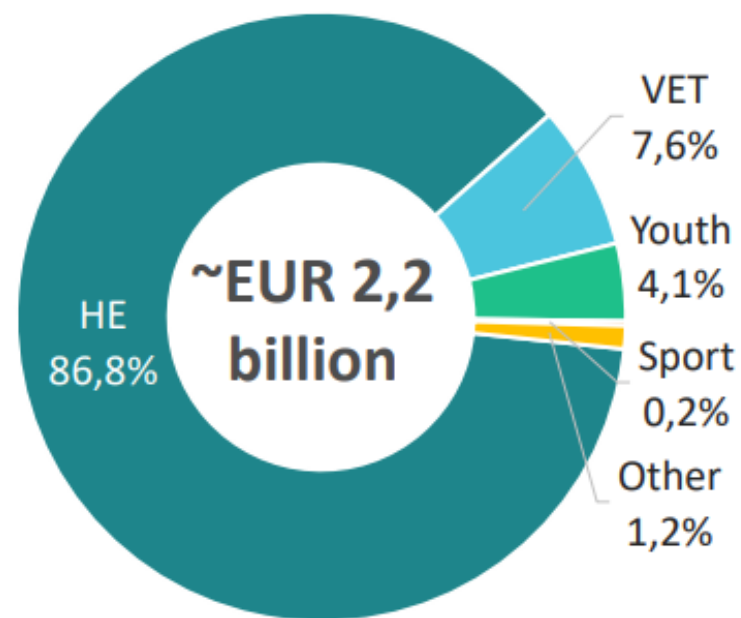


Eastern Partnership Countries



International dimension of Erasmus+: funding

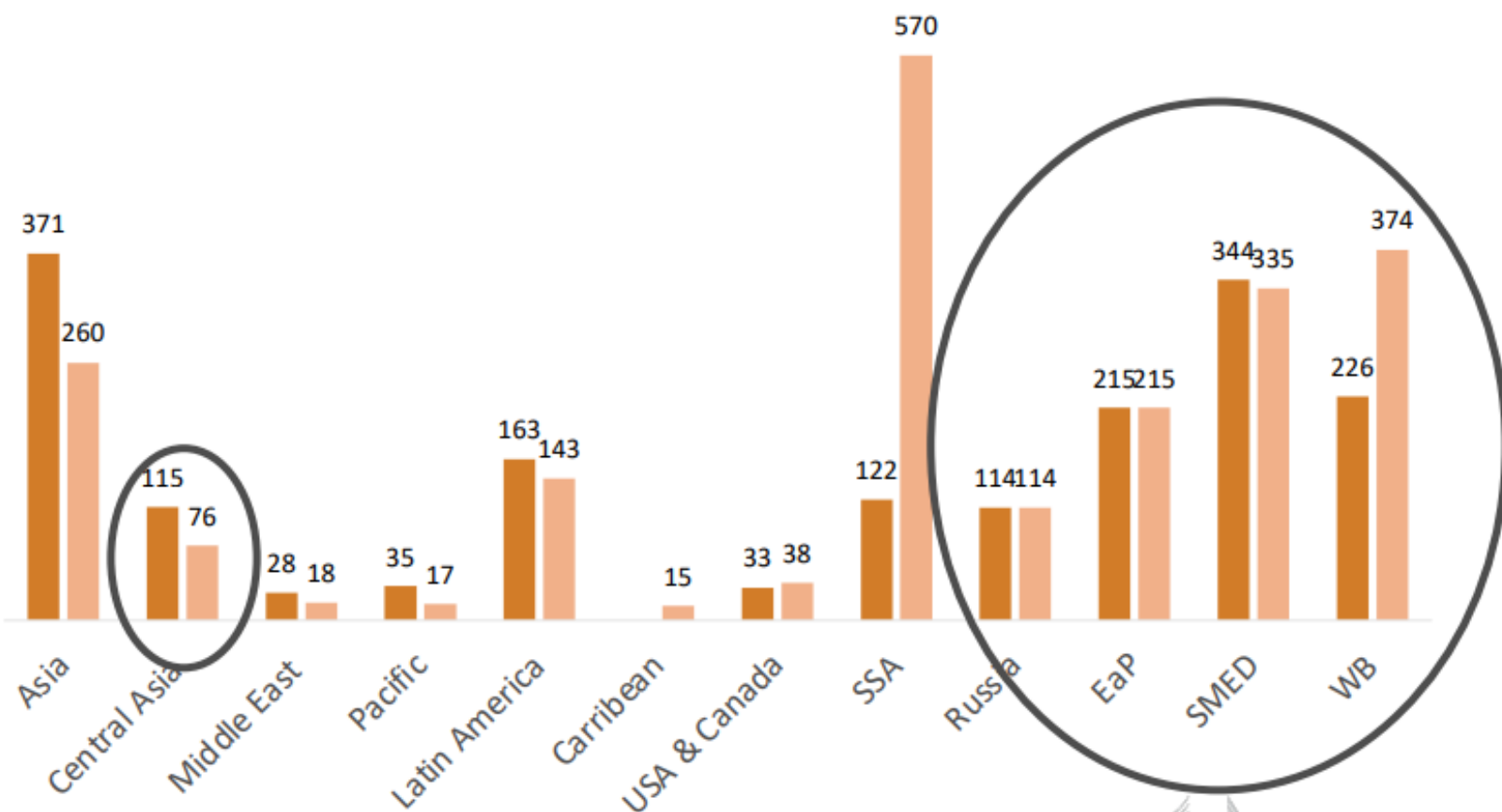
International actions budget (H6)
per sector
2021-2027



2014 – 2020
~EUR 1,8 billion

H6 budget per region (in million EUR)

■ 2014-2020 ■ 2021-2027



Population: 3mIn

unitary, multi-party, democratic nation-state with an ancient cultural heritage



General information on higher education

- 23 public universities and 14 branches
- 4 intergovernmental universities
 - American, French, European, Russian
- 24 private universities
- 2 branches of international and non-state universities
- 5 branches of international public universities
 - Ukraine, Russian
- 73 000 students studying in the higher education institutions

National Qualifications Framework

ANQF aligned with EQF

- **Bachelor**

- 4 years mostly (240 ECTS),
for medical universities at least 5 years

- **Master**

- At least one year programme
- 2 years mostly, 120 ECTS

- **Third cycle program** - aspirantura

- 3 years doctoral program, 180 ECTS

Potential of higher education system

- Innovative and curious young generation with good achievements in the local and international market
- Fundamental knowledge delivery by the HEIs, which serve a basis for future profession
- Strong natural science and STEM
- The set pillars of quality culture in higher education system

Needs of higher education system


- Introduction of Sectorial Qualifications Framework
- Introduction of mandatory academic programme accreditation for two cycle
- Introduction of initial accreditation of academic programs
- Introducing the embedment of KPIs and HEIs funding based on the performance
- Introduction of National Students Survey
- Introduction of unified Register for Awarded Qualifications
- Introduction of short cycle in HE

Further expectations

- Efficient & effective organizational structures of HEIs promoting provision and support of academic programs
- More practical and research-oriented academic programme
- Massive engagement of employers in the educational process
- Dramatically increase of internationalization in all dimensions of HE

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Cooperation can assist reforms

- Joint master programs
 - Joint supervision of master thesis
 - Joint supervision of PhD students
 - Joint accreditation
 - Blended learning
 - Distance education
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Role of National Erasmus+ Offices (NEO)

INFORMATION AND PROMOTION

- Promote and disseminate all information regarding those actions and activities opened to the participation of Armenia within the **international higher education & vocational education and training dimension of the Erasmus+ Programme**.
- Organise conferences, seminars, information days, and other actions and events to promote the Erasmus+ programme and to exploit its results.
- Respect and disseminate the required visibility guidelines concerning acknowledgement of EU financing of Erasmus+ projects and activities.
- Support the Commission and the EACEA for the organisation of Erasmus+ events in Armenia.

GUIDANCE AND ASSISTANCE

- Advise, inform and assist newcomers, potential applicants and beneficiaries.
- Organise information meetings, seminars, consultations.
- Assist local organisations in the search of national or foreign partners, as well as foreign organisations in the search of local partners.
- Assist organisations (HEIs and other types of institutions) as well as individuals (students, university staff, professionals, etc.) involved in Erasmus+ activities (in relation to visa, tax, insurance, importing equipment, contacts with local authorities and the EU Delegation, etc.).
- Promote cooperation, enhance synergies and support the exchange of good/best practices between Erasmus+ projects active in Armenia.

Role of NEOs

DISSEMINATION AND SUSTAINABILITY

- Raise the awareness, visibility, relevance, effectiveness and impact of the international components of the Erasmus+ programme and its dissemination in Armenia.
- Disseminate Erasmus+ higher education and VET project results and support HEIs & VET providers in their exploitation, creating thematic networks and cluster meetings based on project progress and outcomes.
- Provide policy support to the national authorities & EU Delegation in Armenia with the help of the national team of Erasmus+ **Higher Education Reform Experts (HEREs)**.

Results 2014-2021

CBHE

30

ICM

4814 mobility of staff
and students

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161 beneficiaries

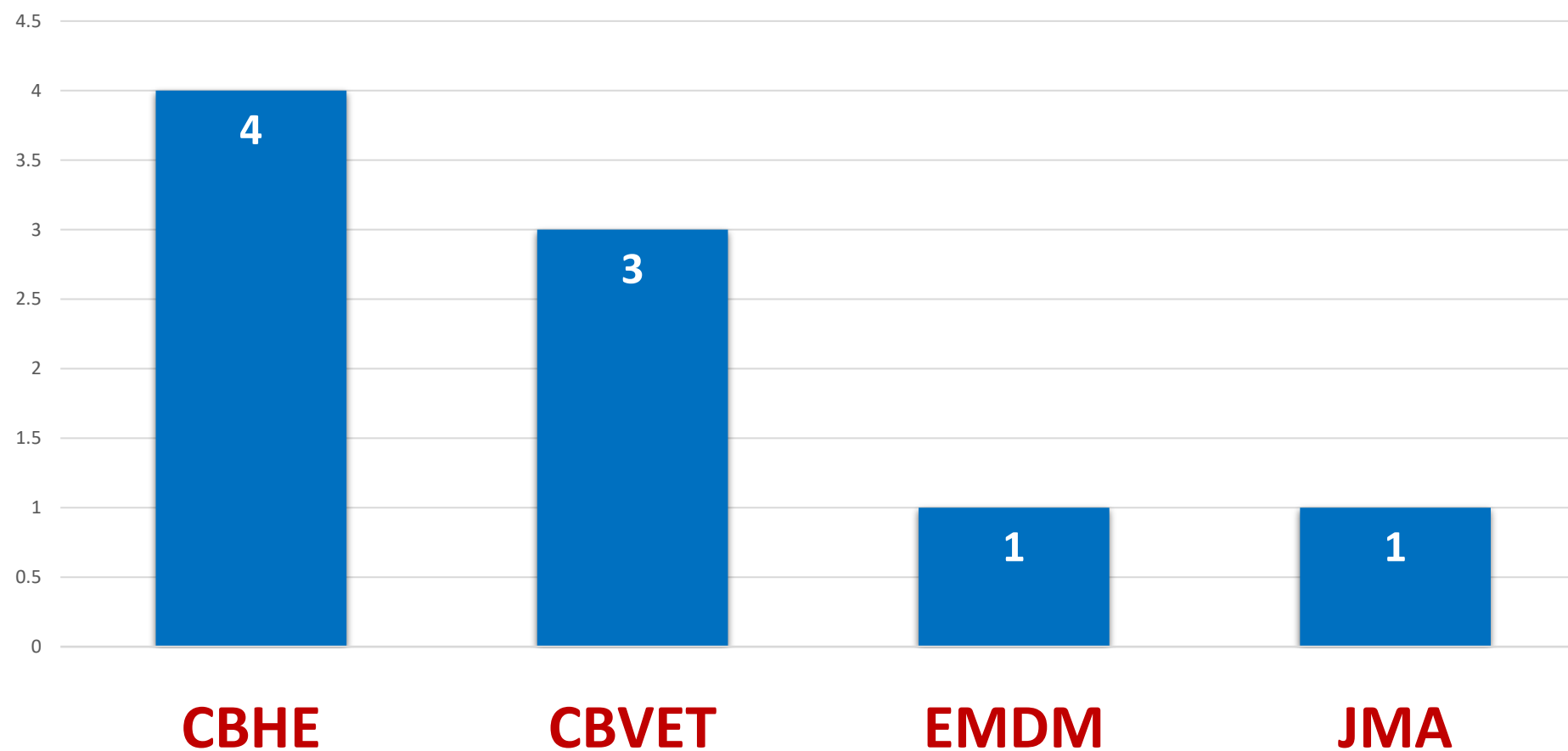
Jean Monnet Actions

10 projects

Statistics 2015-2021

- **CBHE:** 30 projects **8 of which have been coordinated by Armenian HEIs**. In total 24 Armenian HEIs and 18 other organisations have been involved in Erasmus+ CBHE projects. Cooperation has been established with **partners from 23 Programme Countries**.
 - According to the priorities set by the European Commission and the local authorities, the activities of Erasmus+ CBHE projects have been developed in the following areas:
 - ✓ **Curriculum Development** – **13 projects** (Spheres: Environmental Protection; Energy Efficient Buildings; Microelectronic Engineering; Tourism management and Geo-information Technologies (GIT); Migration Studies; Finance; Agrarian Studies; Public Health and Social Science; Environment Protection Studies; Research and Development; Architectural and Construction; Architectural Heritage).
 - ✓ **Modernisation of Governance and Management of HEIs and Systems** – **7 projects** (Internationalization; Library Support Services; Social dimension (SD) strategies; Quality Assurance; Innovative ICT-based Infrastructure; Teaching and Learning methodologies; Research and Innovative Capacities).
 - ✓ **Strengthening of relations between higher education and the wider economic and social environment** – **10 projects** (Innovation Competences and Entrepreneurial Skills in Engineering Education; Entrepreneurship of Students; Network of Excellence in Bio-Products Science and Technology; Academia Business Collaboration in Research and Development; Employability of Doctoral Graduates; Reform of Doctoral Education; Work-Based Learning).

Erasmus+ 2021-2027: Results of the 1st Call



Results of the 1st Call

CBHE (4)
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MEDIA

EM Designed Measures
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YSU, Center for
European Studies

Jean Monnet Actions
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EIU, CHAIR

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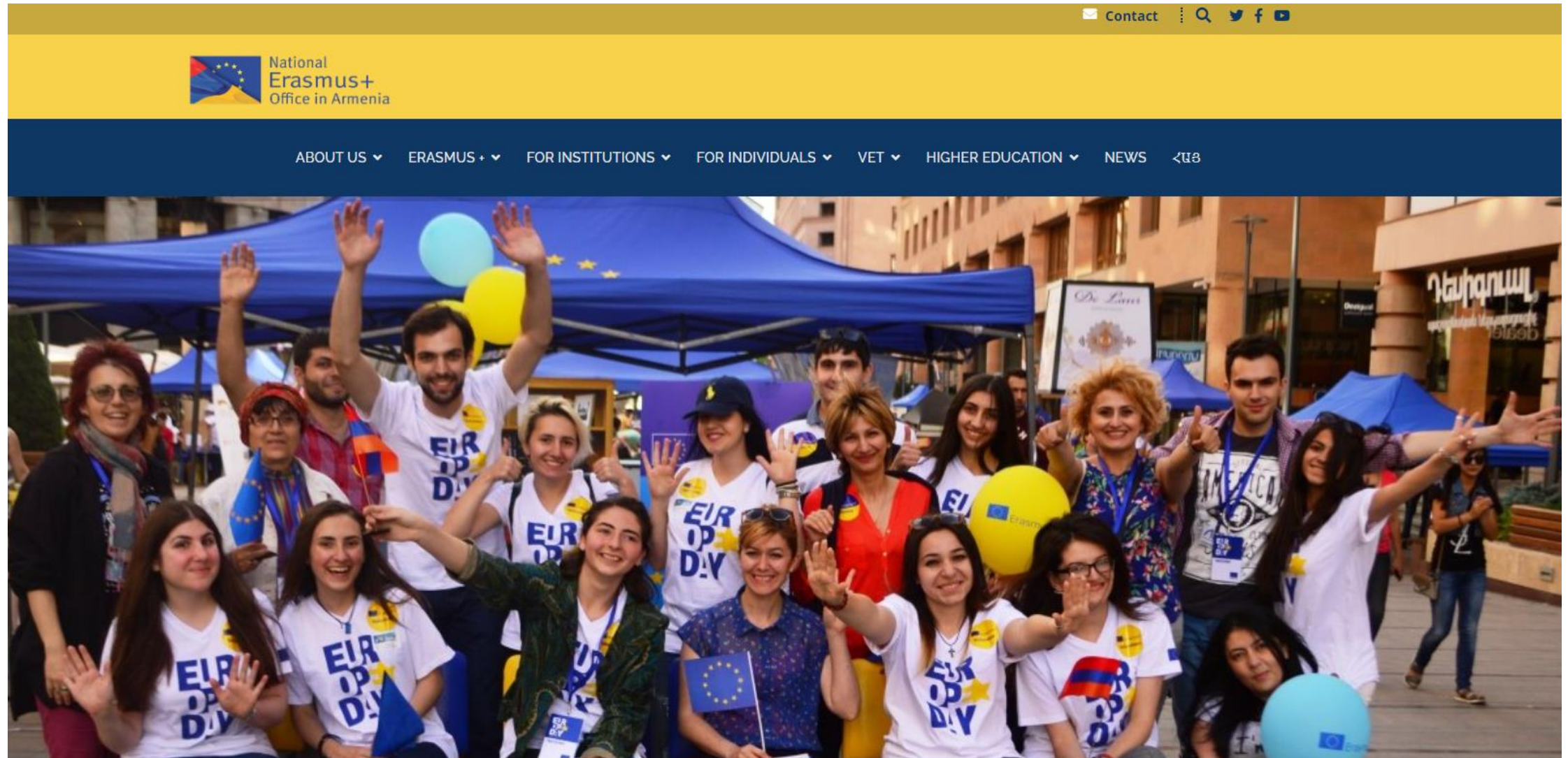
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11
beneficiaries

CBVET

3 projects

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EACEA PUBLICATIONS



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NEO NEWSLETTERS

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COMING EVENTS

WELCOME TO ERASMUS+ INFORMATION DAYS

24-25 November - GYUMRI

28-29 November - VANADZOR

2 December - YEREVAN

6 December - YEREVAN

American University of Armenia



Yerevan State University



Yerevan State Medical University



Armenian State University of Economics



French University of Armenia

Armenian National Agrarian University



Polytechnic University





Yerevan



Tatev Monastery
Khor Virap
Garni Temple



Holy Echmiadzin



Noravank



Lake Sevan



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