CHALLENGING
CONVENTIONAL
THINKING

Innovation through
Internationalisation

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European Universities will equip their students, staff, and researchers with the skills they need to navigate the twin green and digital transition of our society.

They are a key building block not only for the European Education Area, but also for the future of Europe.
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SUPPORT OF OUR BUSINESS STAKEHOLDERS

AIRBUS
Aerospace Sector, Germany

CISCO
Networking hardware and software, The Netherlands

SANDOZ INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTS
S.p.A – Gruppo Novartis, healthcare company, Italy

INTEL
Technology, Ireland

ERICSSON AB
Technology and service provider to telecom operators, Sweden

HELLE
Automotive supplier, Lithuania

LYSE GROUP
Energy and telecommunication, Norway

PONSSE
Production and sales of forest machines, Finland

SUEZ ENVIRONMENT
Water and waste sector, Spain

NXP
Semiconductors, Germany

ENGINEERING INGEGNERIA INFORMATICA SpA
Information, Technology sector, Italy

IGNITIS GROUP
Energy Company, Lithuania

SICK AG
Sensor Intelligence, Germany
SUPPORT OF OUR PUBLIC STAKEHOLDERS

ITALY
Autonomous Province of Trento
Municipality of Trento
Confindustria Trento, Employers’ Association
Hub Innovazione Trentino, Regional Innovation and Technology Transfer Agency

SPAIN
Barcelona City Council
Cerdanyola del Vallès City
PIMEC 2030, Public stakeholder, SME and craft association

FRANCE
Occitanie Europe

NETHERLANDS
City of Enschede
Oost NL, Regional Development Agency

GERMANY
City of Hamburg

IRELAND
Fingal County Council

DENMARK
Danish Minister of Higher Education

FINLAND
City of Tampere
Tampere Region

PORTUGAL
Inter-Municipal Community of the Region of Aveiro (CIRA)

LITHUANIA
Kaunas Region
Kaunas District Municipality

SWEDEN
Region Ostergötland
KEY ACTIONS
MICRO-CREDENTIALS

01 IT strategy for the ECIU University

02 Define and operationalise three distinctive types of micro-credentials.

03 Alignment with European Standards and Guidelines.

04 Processes for the formal recognition and development of micro-credentials

05 A framework of a unique suite of micro-credentials for the recognition of 21st Century Skills

Many more actions can be found in the ECIU University micro-credentials Whitepaper
Download here
Flexible learning pathways based on learners’ choices – The European Degree as a digital competence passport

Flexible learning paths – ECIU University’s take on the European Degree

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CHALLENGING CONVENTIONAL THINKING

Thank you
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