

## Swiss Programme for Erasmus+

# Factsheet

In order to maintain activities in the field of European mobility and cooperation the Swiss government created the Swiss Programme for Erasmus+. Herewith we want to inform the network of National Agencies in the youth field and possible partner organisations of Swiss youth organisations about the most important implications of the Swiss Programme for Erasmus+.

## Information concerning projects taking place in Switzerland (KA1 and KA3)

- Swiss organisations have the possibility to apply for funding for Youth Exchanges and Mobility Projects for Youth Workers according to the rules as lined out in the Erasmus+ programme 2014-2020. In addition, they have access to a volunteering programme that functions according to the rules of the European Voluntary Service as it existed in the EU until 2016. The action line Youth and Politics supports projects promoting the dialogue between youth and decision makers.  
[Further information in English](#)
- Deadlines in 2022: 3rd of March, 11th of Mai, 3<sup>rd</sup> of October.
- Swiss organisations, which submitted a project application to the Swiss National Agency Movetia and received a positive grant decision, will receive funding by the Swiss government and not by the EU. The funding will be in Swiss francs (CHF). The funding rules are based on the rules of the Erasmus+ programme, but the flat rates are the same for all countries.
- Projects funded under the Swiss Programme for Erasmus+ are not official Erasmus+ projects. This means:
  - It is not possible to use the Erasmus+ brand (including Erasmus+ logo and name) in relation with the project.
  - Project results may not be published on the Erasmus+ dissemination platforms.
  - Movetia doesn't have access to the EU Commission's online tools (e-forms, Mobility Tool etc.). This means that procedures for applications and final reports are different.
  - Beneficiaries are not allowed to issue Youthpass certificates to participants.
  - Volunteering projects in Switzerland don't have access to the EU Commission's insurance plan and must organise an alternative insurance.

## Information concerning Swiss participation in projects granted by Erasmus+ (all Key Actions)

- If an organisation in a programme country wants to cooperate with a Swiss organisation in the framework of an Erasmus+ project, the Swiss organisation has the possibility to apply for a grant for the Swiss participation in the project to Movetia. Applications are possible for the following action lines: Youth Exchanges, Mobility Projects for Youth Workers, Youth Participation Activities and Cooperation Partnerships according to the current Erasmus+ programme. Swiss Participation in all other action lines, including small scale partnerships, cannot be supported.
- Deadlines for Mobility Projects (KA1) in 2022: 3rd of March, 11th of Mai, 3<sup>rd</sup> of October.  
Deadlines for Cooperation Projects (KA 2) in 2022: Expected for 1st of April and 11th of October

- The organisation in the programme country submits the application as usual to the concerned NA. One week later, the Swiss organisation applies for a grant for the Swiss participants (KA1) or the Swiss organisation (KA2) to Movetia.
- If the project is accepted by the relevant National Agency, Movetia will evaluate the Swiss application and, in case of a positive decision, will pay the participation of the Swiss participants or the Swiss organisation. The funding rules are based on the rules of the Erasmus+ programme, but the flat rates are the same for all countries.

[Further information for KA1 in English](#)

[Further information for KA2 in English](#)

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