



# EUROPEAN UNIVERSITIES

Erasmus+



Uniting over...

# 100 000

STUDENTS

# 7 550

STAFF  
INCLUDING 4,350  
ACADEMIC STAFF/  
RESEARCHERS

# 48

FACULTIES

## OUR VISION FOR THE FUTURE

## ENGAGE.EU – The European University engaged in societal change



### WHO WE ARE

#### 7 pioneers

University of Mannheim (Germany)

Luis Libera Università Internazionale  
degli Studi Sociali Guido Carli (Italy)

NHH Norwegian School of Economics  
(Norway)

Tilburg University (The Netherlands)

University of National and World Economy  
(Bulgaria)

University Toulouse 1 Capitole (France)

WU Vienna University of Economics  
and Business (Austria)

### OUR VISION FOR THE FUTURE

ENGAGE.EU is an alliance of leading European universities in business, economics, and social sciences with rich experience in analysing societal change. Our ambition is to enable our learners to act as socially engaged European citizens and to have an impact on society at large.

ENGAGE.EU will change the way we educate, investigate, innovate and reach out. We want to become an incubator for driving societal change based on academic excellence and working with society.

Starting points are the big challenges reflected in the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals including digitalisation and artificial intelligence, climate change, ageing societies and migration. Building on our solid background in social sciences, we strive for a comprehensive approach, following three interconnected paths: Engaged Learning, Engaged Research and Innovation and Engaged in Society.

## PUTTING OUR VISION INTO PRACTICE


### KEY DELIVERABLES / ACTIVITIES

- **ENGAGE.EU Campus** enables an innovative learning environment with a common philosophy, defined competences and new pedagogies for societal engagement. On this basis, the partners will develop a mix of physical, blended and virtual, challenge-related ENGAGE.EU programmes. Ranging from jointly offered Summer Schools, Signature Courses, and Joint Study Programmes including micro-credentials.
- **ENGAGE.EU Think Tank** establishes formats of advanced studies to underpin the activities of the alliance in education, research and innovation and societal outreach by bringing research communities together to address societal challenges in order to strengthen evidence-based decision making within the alliance and beyond.
- **ENGAGE.EU Labs** are innovative models of collaboration and co-creation on societal change challenges, consisting of mixed groups of learners, academics and practitioners.
- **ENGAGE.EU Dual Learning** brings practitioners into the learning, research and innovation arena, promoting local and international responsibility. It allows multiple directions of learning by focusing on the interaction between practitioners, science, and all ENGAGE.EU learners.

### HOW OUR ALLIANCE WILL TRANSFORM OUR UNIVERSITIES

- ENGAGE.EU will allow partners to take **cooperation to the next level** as a multi-lateral European Universities Alliance based on a **joint strategy**, combining partners' specializations and unique geographical perspectives.
- ENGAGE.EU Campus will **revamp our learning offer** and welcome a **much wider variety of learners** by organising new training formats and credits, streamlining admission and recognition procedures, and by providing a mix of physical, blended and virtual mobility.
- **New formats of advanced studies** will strengthen and innovate ties between researchers, learners and stakeholders in the ENGAGE.EU Think Tank that will enhance **structural research collaboration between partners**.
- **Civil society organisations, cities, companies and universities will become partners** in learning, innovation and research, rethinking and reorienting the way in which they operate and collaborate in ENGAGE.EU Labs solving their real-life problems.

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