

# PARTNER INFORMATION FORM

## INFORMATION FOR PART A OF THE APPLICATION FORM

<b>ORGANISATION</b>	
PIC <sup>1</sup>	999884440
OID	E10209013
Legal name in national language	Universidad de Almería
Legal name in English	University of Almería
Acronym/short name	UAL
<b>MAIN CONTACT PERSON (mandatory)</b>	
First Name	
Last Name	
E-mail Address	
Title	
Gender	
Position in the organisation	
Department	
Organisation's website	
Phone	
Phone 2	
Work/professional address	
The main contact person (project manager) will need to have an EU Login to access the <a href="#">online platform</a> where the proposal will be submitted and then managed.	
<b>ADDITIONAL CONTACT PERSON (optional but highly recommended)</b>	
First Name	
Last Name	
E-mail Address	
Title	
Position in the organisation	
Department	
Phone	

### **Department carrying out the proposal (if not applicable, leave empty)**

Department Name	
Address	
Town	
Postcode	
Country	

<sup>1</sup> PIC-Partner Identification Code: a 9-digit number serving as a unique identifier for organisations (legal entities) registered to participate in EU funds/funding programmes.

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### INFORMATION FOR PART B OF THE APPLICATION FORM

**Please provide a short [up to 200 words] description of your institution.**

The University of Almeria, one of the youngest and most dynamic universities in Spain, was created by The Andalusian Parliament in 1993 as a proposal of the Governing Council of the Andalusian Regional Government, acting on behalf of the National Government.

Some figures reflect the dramatic growth of the University of Almeria over the years:

The total number of students has doubled from 6,600 in 92/93 to the current academic year (more than 14.000 students). Our institution also has nearly 600 PhD students.

- The faculty staff has increased from 374 in 92/93 to over 800 today, organized in 13 departments.
- The administrative and technical staff has grown from 130 in 1993 to over 500. A total of 13 departments (140 research groups) are devoted to research and training.

In addition to the research work of the departments, the UAL has 7 research institutes, owned by or attached to the UAL that are dedicated to research in such varied areas as Agrifood, Global Change, Migrations, Solar Energy, Neuroscience, Big Data, Intensive Mediterranean Agrosystems or Production Systems in Plasticulture.

Our university currently has five classroom buildings full equipped, which offer students the opportunity to study more than 34 degree courses, 14 doctoral programmes, 44 official master's degree programmes and 14 own master's programmes.

Additionally, the University of Almeria has been always concerned about the increase of its international character. In 2020/22 it was the choice of over 1,200 students from 50 different countries from all continents to undertake a mobility period. These numbers are the result of a long tradition of cooperation with higher education institutions and research organizations, not only from Europe through the Erasmus programme, but also with the USA, Africa and Asia and especially with Latin American and Maghreb countries through mobility and cooperation programmes and networks such as ERASMUS MUNDUS, ERASMUS+ KA171, ISEP, PIMA, PABLO NERUDA, ANUIES or CONAHEC.

In 2015 we started participating with the same regions as we used to cooperate through Erasmus Mundus Action 2, in KA107 ICM projects, adding regions and universities every year until 2023. Currently, we are cooperating with 7 different regions, 22 countries and more than 60 institutions in this project (224 mobilities), ranking in the top ten Spanish Universities in terms of number of mobilities and funding. Also, in 2018 UAL was awarded with the Erasmus+ Quality Award by the Erasmus+ Spanish National Agency.

The UAL started working in large international Erasmus projects in 2013 with the coordination of the Erasmus Mundus Action 2 Project PHOENIX with the ME region (Syria, Palestine, Lebanon and Jordan) and with a budget of 3 mill euros. Later on, became a partner in MARHABA EMA2 project with Iraq and Iran. This provided UAL with relevant experience and expertise in project management. Moreover UAL has been partner in six CBHE projects and currently is coordinating one with Moroccan HEIs (MathICs).

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### List of previous projects

Please provide a list of your previous projects for the **last 5 years (= 2019 to 2024)**.

Also, UAL is a proud member and coordinator of the UNIGreen European Alliance (The Green European University) one of the 50 European Alliances currently existing in Europe and that was selected for funding under the framework of the Erasmus+ Programme by the European Commission in July 2022. UNIGreen is an Alliance of **eight Higher Education Institutions** committed to promoting excellence in education, research and innovation in the fields of **Sustainable Agriculture, Green Biotechnology, and Environmental and Life Sciences**.

Participant	Project Reference No and Title, Funding programme	Period (start and end date)	Role (COO, BEN, AE, OTHER)
University of Almería	2018-1-ES01-KA107-049862 KA1 INTERNATIONAL CREDIT MOBILITY WITH PARTNER COUNTRIES	01/06/2018 31/07/2021	Coordinator
University of Almería	2019-1-ES01-KA107-063772 KA1 INTERNATIONAL CREDIT MOBILITY WITH PARTNER COUNTRIES	01/08/2019 31/07/2022	Coordinator
University of Almería	2020-1-ES01-KA107-080115 KA1 INTERNATIONAL CREDIT MOBILITY WITH PARTNER COUNTRIES	01/08/2020 31/07/2023	Coordinator
University of Almería	598251-EPP-1-2018-1-PL-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP KA2 Capacity Building for HE Developing future - oriented academic curricula in Teacher Education with innovative methodologies for Nex-Gen Asian HEI "FRACTION"	15/01/2019 14/01/2022	Partner
University of Almería	2018-1-ES01-KA203-050046 KA2Strategic partnership Building Next-Generation of Globally Responsible Digital Entrepreneurs (DIGI- GRENT)	01/09/2018 31/08/2021	Coordinator
University of Almería	2018-1-EL01-KA202-047813 KA2Strategic partnership Inter4Ref: CVET and accreditation framework to up-skill interpreters to support the social inclusion of refugees	01/10/2018 31/03/2021	Partner

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University of Almería	2019-1-RO01-KA203-063752 KA2Strategic partnership CooPerformance - Online, state-of-the-art agribusiness education for farmer led enterprises in the agri-food value chain	01/11/2019 30/04/2022	Partner
University of Almería	2019-1-UK01-KA202-061955 KA2Strategic partnership Developing A Culturally Competent And Compassionate Lgbt+ Curriculum In Health And Social Care Education (IENE9)	01/10/2019 30/09/2021	Partner
University of Almería	2020-1-ES01-KA226-HE-095035 KA2Strategic Partnership Pan-EU network of digital education passport centres in higher education EU-TeachPaaS	01/03/2021 31/08/2022	Coordinator
University of Almería	2020-1-ES01-KA202-081989 KA2Strategic Partnership Certified Training For Silver Caregivers	01/09/2020 31/08/2022	Partner
University of Almería	621723-EPP-1-2020-1-EL-EPPKA2-KA KA2 Knowledge Alliance NEGHTRA - Next Generation Training on Intelligent Greenhouses	01/11/2020 31/10/2023	Partner
University of Almería	619501-EPP-1-2020-1-ES-EPPKA2-CBHE-JJ KA2 Capacity building for HE MathICs - Strengthening Mathematics Education by the use of ICTs in Morocco	15/01/2021 14/01/2024	Coordinator
University of Almería	2020-1-TR01-KA202-092185 KA2Strategic Partnership The RURALTOUR: A Training Programme For Sustainable Rural Tourism	31/10/2023 30/12/2022	Partner
University of Almería	2021 Rouna I KAZ KA220-VET KA2Strategic Partnership European Atelier of Crafts 4.0. - Digital Skills and Augmented Didactics applied to the European Atelier of Crafts	01/11/2021 31/10/2023	Partner

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	Model under the Erasmus+ programme (Create 4.0)		
University of Almería	2021-1-RO01- KA220-VET000033055  KA2 Cooperation Partnership Empowering nurses and healthcare professionals to promote vaccination and tackle vaccine hesitancy. IENE 11	01/12/2021 01/12/2023	Partner
University of Almería	2021-1-ES01-KA220-HED-000022911  KA2 Cooperation Partnership CISCOFY: A Connective, Inclusive and Smart digital Competence-building Framework	01/11/2021 01/11/2023	Partner
University of Almería	2021-1-ES01-KA220-SCH-000024243  KA2 Cooperation Partnership E-PRI4ALL: Open and digital resources for primary school principals to support inclusive education through online learning	01/02/2022 01/02/2024	Coordinator
University of Almería	2021-1-ES02-KA220-YOU-000028693  KA2 Cooperation Partnership ENTRE-YOUTH: An Entrepreneurial Youth Worker Training Programme on Sustainable & Circular Urban Food Enterprising	01/11/2021 01/11/2023	Coordinator
University of Almería	2021-1-ES01-K220-HED-000031988  KA2 Cooperation Partnership U-GREEN : University cooperation for promoting the GREEN transition and sustainable practices in education and training	01/01/2022 30/06/2024	Coordinator
University of Almería	2021-1-ES01-K220-ADU-00033606  KA2 Cooperation Partnership	01/11/2021 01/11/2023	Partner

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	TOCL: Translation Of Cultural Language for the inclusion of migrants		
University of Almería	101086809 KA2 Forward looking skills Sust- HEIn: Fostering whole institution approach to sustainability in HE through systems thinking	01/01/2023 31/10/2026	Partner
University of Almería	101082209 KA2 Capacity Building for HE CIRCULAR: Circular Economy Living Laboratories supporting Social Innovation in Southeast Asia	01/01/2023 31/12/2025	Partner
University of Almería	101089386 KA2 European Universities UNIGREEN: The Green European University	01/01/2023 31/12/2026	Coordinator
University of Almería	2023-1-ES01-KA220-HED-000152577 KA2 Cooperation Partnership SHIFT- ESG impact Index In Higher Educaciton	01/09/2023 28/02/2026	Coordinator
University of Almería	101127149 KA2 Capacity Building for HE IMPAR - Inovar para Empoderar as Mulheres como Promotoras da Economia Social Subsaariana	01/01/2024 31/12/2026	Partner
University of Almería	2023-1-EL01-KA210-ADU-000158469 KA210-ADU - Small-Scale Partnership in Adult Education ASSIST – Enhancing Digital Skills in Prison Education	01/11/2023 30/06/2025	Partner
University of Almería	2023-1-IT02-KA220-HED-000161770 KA2 Cooperation Partnership ANALYST - A New Advanced Level for Your Specialized Training	01/10/2023 30/09/2025	Partner