



Open call for Erasmus Without Paper Champions

About

The European Commission has launched an open call for “Erasmus Without Paper (EWP) Champions” - a unique opportunity for Higher Education institutions to showcase their efforts and commitment to the digitalisation of Erasmus+ administration through EWP.

The Commission is seeking institutions that have implemented EWP to become visible champions at the EU level, recognised as change leaders and inspiring others to follow suit. The selected institutions will also play an important role in testing and helping to improve the design of business processes to achieve seamless and efficient administration of Erasmus+ student mobilities.

Who can participate?

Any Higher Education Institution with an ECHE accreditation that has an on-going Erasmus+ student mobility for studies project and has implemented EWP to manage their Erasmus+ Inter-institutional Agreements and Learning agreements (excluding Higher Education Institutions involved in the development of EWP).

What is expected of participating institutions?

Selected EWP Champions are expected to contribute 3-5 days of work per year which includes attending meetings, participating in testing and contributing to communication activities. Depending on the context, the institution can involve different people from the institution. However, each institution needs to have one primary contact person.

How will the institutions be selected?

Erasmus+ National Agencies will nominate institutions to the European Commission that will make the final selection. The nomination and selection is based on the level of EWP implementation and the quality of examples provided in the application considering the following: actions taken to support EWP and ESI implementation, identified opportunities to improve internal administrative processes and good practices and examples that can inspire others. Furthermore, the Commission will in its final selection ensure diversity and geographical balance among the final cohort of EWP Champions.

How do institutions apply?

The primary contact person in the Higher Education Institution should fill in the EWP Champions application form and send it via email the Digital Officer in their Erasmus+ National Agency **by 15 March**. Institutions will be notified about the results of their applications once the final cohort of EWP Champions has been selected.

For more information about EWP, please visit the [European Commission's website](#). Let's work together to make Erasmus+ administration faster, easier, and more efficient for all!