Call for Proposals: EACEA/35/08- L16 (Argentina)

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**Project Objectives:**

The wider objective of the EADIC project is to offer important opportunities for upgrading and reinforcing capacities on issues relevant for the economic and social agenda of Argentinean development. EADIC aims at reinforcing the educational environment and promoting strategic disciplinary cooperation between European and Argentinean partner universities, at both academic staff and PhD/Post doc scholar level. The project will strengthen scientific cooperation on strategic issues like natural resources management; sustainable agriculture; biotechnology; renewable energies; hydraulic and bio-engineering; climate change and ICT development. Finally, EADIC aims at promoting academic staff mobility as a way to reinforce institutional relations among universities.
Brief description:

The project consists in the creation of a mobility scheme among the consortium of EU and Argentinean Universities involved. 102 mobility flows will take place during the 40 month project at PhD, Post doc and Academic Staff level. The project schedules mobility flows from Argentina to Europe only. Scholars at PhD level will move on a sandwich base (6/10) or will enrol in a full doctoral programme at the European Universities, participating in a set of Doctoral Programmes selected as “critical” for the socio – economic development of Argentina and as “vehicular” to the mutual enrichment in terms of cultural and economical relations. Post doc and Academic staff will move from Argentinean Universities in order to encourage the transfer of expertise and know-how and also to reinforce the mutual understanding of the role played by higher education institutions in different contexts. They will be hosted by the European Research Departments relevant to the thematic priority fields (Agricultural Sciences; Engineering, Technology; Geography, Geology; Mathematics, Informatics; Natural Sciences) and involved in the research and didactic activities according to the proposed research and activities plan submitted in the application phase. Ahead of the implementation of the exchanges, a crucial activity of organisation of mobility will take place in each of the consortium European universities. These preparatory activities will consists in the strengthening of international visiting scholars services such as welcoming services, academic tutoring and research facilities offered.

Number of Individual Mobility Activities foreseen

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