Title of the project: Improving Skills Across Continents - ISAC

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Project Abstract:

- **Objectives:** The ability to work with different cultures and contexts is very important in preparing citizens to operate in the globalised world and to the development of a harmonious relation between nations. Giving the opportunity to a significant number of young women and men to experience the benefits of the International Higher Education, of studying in another continent and of being introduced to other teaching and learning methods in high-quality universities and in outstanding research centres will do much to create a pool of well-qualified, open-minded and internationally experienced people able to respond to the challenges of the Global Knowledge Society. This project will also enable students to benefit linguistically as they will have the opportunity to study in a foreign language and to receive prior linguistic preparation in the host institutions.

- **Main Activities:** The methodology used by the project will be based in three activities:
  Activity 1) project setup: communication infrastructure, management structure and project tools;
  Activity 2) mobility period, with student and staff exchange;
  Activity 3) Final evaluation, dissemination and reporting.
## Mobility flow:

### Number of Individual Mobility Activities foreseen

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- **Duration:** 25 - 45 months

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