

<b>Programme</b>	<b>LIFELONG LEARNING</b>
<b>Subprogramme</b>	<b>JEAN MONNET</b>
<b>Action Category</b>	<b>UNILATERAL PROJECTS</b>
<b>Action</b>	<b>JEAN MONNET Chairs Ad Personam</b>
<b>Objectives and description of the action</b>	<p>Ad personam Jean Monnet Chairs are teaching and research posts with a specialisation in European integration studies. Ad personam Jean Monnet Chairs are reserved for (i) distinguished Jean Monnet Chairs who deliver evidence of a high-level international teaching and publication record (that was achieved, at least in part, outside their country of residence) and/or (ii) professors with a distinguished background as former high-level practitioners in the field of European integration. Ad personam Jean Monnet Chairholders must teach a minimum of 90 hours per academic year in the field of European integration studies and must be responsible for organising regular reflection activities on the European integration process (conferences, seminars, roundtables). They must have the rank of professor and may not be a "visiting professor" at the establishment in question. Only one professor may hold the ad personam Chair and must provide the minimum teaching hours required.</p> <p>The title of ad personam Chair is linked directly to the person. If the holder leaves the higher education institution, it may not replace him or her by another member of its teaching staff. In the event of leaving the original higher education institution, a holder of an ad personam Jean Monnet Chair may continue to use the title on condition that (s)he undertakes to maintain the teaching and reflection activities that were specified in the original grant agreement. This must be certified by the academic institution to which the titleholder is moving.</p> <p>Former ad personam Jean Monnet Chair may only reapply for a new ad personam Jean Monnet Chair.</p>
<b>Who can benefit</b>	Higher education institutions world-wide.
<b>Who can apply</b>	Higher education institutions world-wide.
<b>PRIORITIES</b>	The priorities for this Action can be found in the LLP General Call for Proposals 2011-2013 – Strategic Priorities.
<b>HOW TO APPLY</b>	Centralised, application to be sent to the Executive Agency
Please consult the relevant Agency website for further information.	
<b>Selection Procedure:</b>	COM
<b>Application Deadline(s):</b>	15 February 2011
<b>Duration</b>	
<b>Minimum Duration:</b>	3 years
<b>Maximum Duration:</b>	3 years
<b>Comment on Duration:</b>	Possibility to extend the eligibility period by 6 months on request. The total Grant will not change.
<b>FINANCIAL PROVISIONS</b>	
Please consult <b>Part I</b> of this Guide, Chapter 4 Financial Provisions for more information.	
<b>Applicable Grant Table(s):</b>	Flat-rate system as indicated in the Financial Provisions of LLP Guide 2011 part I and in the Jean Monnet pages of the web site of the Executive Agency
<b>Maximum Grant €:</b>	45.000
<b>Comment on Funding:</b>	Maximum EU Grant 75%
<b>EVALUATION AND SELECTION PROCEDURES</b>	
Please consult Part I of this Guide, chapter WHAT IS THE LIFECYCLE OF A PROJECT for further information about the evaluation and selection procedures	
<b>Eligibility Criteria</b>	
<b>General eligibility rules:</b>	
The general eligibility criteria for applications in the LLP Programme are outlined in Part I of this Guide, Chapter 3. Participating countries: please refer to Part I of this Guide, section "Which countries participate in the Programme?"	
<b>Specific eligibility rules:</b>	<p>Applications must be submitted by bodies which are legal entities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Ad personam Jean Monnet Chairs are teaching and research posts with a specialisation in European integration studies.</li> <li>- Ad personam Jean Monnet Chairs are reserved for (i) distinguished Jean Monnet Chairs who deliver evidence of a high-level international teaching and publication record (that was achieved, at least in part, outside their country of residence) and/or (ii) professors with a distinguished background as former high-level practitioners in the field of European integration.</li> <li>- Ad personam Jean Monnet Chairholders must teach a minimum of 90 hours per academic year in the field of European integration studies and must be responsible for organising regular reflection activities on the European integration process (conferences, seminars, roundtables).</li> <li>- Ad personam Jean Monnet Chairholders must have the rank of professor and may not be a "visiting professor" at the establishment in question.</li> </ul>
<b>Minimum number of Countries:</b>	Not applicable
<b>Minimum number of Partners:</b>	Not applicable

<b>Comment on participants:</b>	No obligation that countries must be EU Member States.
<b>Award criteria</b>	<b>1. Quality of the Applicants or the Consortium</b> Quality (excellence) of the academic profile (CVs) in the specific field of European integration studies.
	<b>2. Quality of the methodology and the work programme</b> Quality and detail of the planned teaching, research and/or debating activities (with particular attention to the academic added value, the multidisciplinary synergies and the openness to civil society).
	<b>3. Impact and relevance of the results</b> Likely impact of the activities on education and/or training at the European and/or world level, with specific attention for activities outside the EU.
	<b>4. Innovative Character</b> Degree of innovation of the project: creation of new teaching, research and/or debating activities (as appropriate); application by higher education institutions / associations in countries not yet covered by the Jean Monnet Action or higher education institutions/ associations not yet supported by Jean Monnet funding or involving academics not yet in receipt of Jean Monnet funding for the same type of activity.
<b>CONTRACTING PROCEDURES</b>	
<b>Probable sending date of pre-information on the results of the selection process</b>	June
<b>Probable sending date of agreement to the beneficiaries</b>	July
<b>Probable starting date of the action</b>	September