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# **“Economics in European Integration: Internal Challenges and External Dimension”**

*A "Jean Monnet" project in terms of Erasmus + programme 2014-2020*

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The project is implemented by the  
Department of Economic Theory

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# WHAT ARE THE AIMS OF JEAN MONNET?

The Jean Monnet Actions aim at promoting excellence in teaching and research in the field of European Union studies worldwide. These Actions also aim at fostering the dialogue between the academic world and policy-makers, in particular with the aim of enhancing EU and global governance.

European Union studies comprise the study of Europe in its entirety with particular emphasis on the European integration process in both its internal and external aspects.



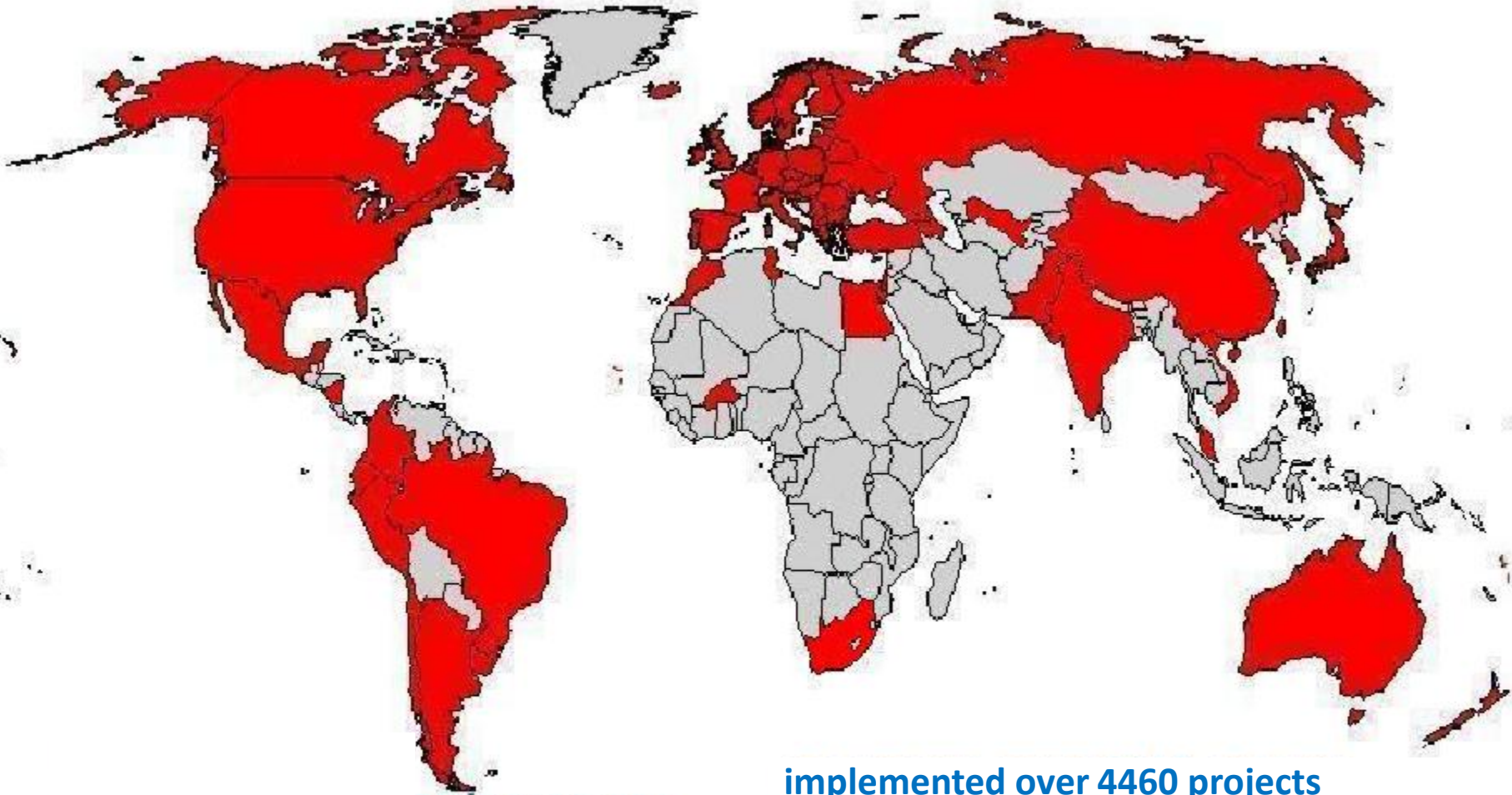
# JEAN MONNET ACTIVITIES

**The core subject areas are the following:**

- EU and Comparative Regionalism Studies;
- EU Communication and Information Studies;
- EU Economic Studies;
- EU Historical Studies;
- EU Intercultural Dialogue Studies;
- EU Interdisciplinary Studies;
- EU International Relations and Diplomacy Studies;
- EU Legal Studies;
- EU Political and Administrative Studies.



# World Network "Jean Monnet"



**78 countries**  
**800 universities**

**implemented over 4460 projects**  
**attracted more than 1,700 professors**  
**each year enrolled 265,000 students**



# WHAT IS A JEAN MONNET MODULE?

A Jean Monnet Module is a short teaching programme (or course) in the field of European Union studies at a higher education institution.

Erasmus+ supports Jean Monnet Modules with the aim to:

- promote research and first teaching experience for young researchers and scholars and practitioners in European Union issues;
- foster the publication and dissemination of the results of academic research;
- create interest in the EU and constitute the basis for future poles of European knowledge, particularly in Partner Countries;
- foster the introduction of a European Union angle into mainly non EU related studies;
- deliver tailor-made courses on specific EU issues relevant for graduates in their professional life



# About the Project

## Economics in European Integration: Internal Challenges and External Dimension

***Project objective:*** is to disseminate the knowledge of economic principles of European integration to young professionals in the field of Economics, representatives of business sector, public authorities dealing with economic aspects of European integration and NGOs.





# Project Staff

1. **Project Coordinator** – **Vasyl Zelenko**, Associate Professor in the Department of Economic Theory;
2. **Academic Coordinator** – **Oleg Gupalo**, Head of the Department of Economic Theory;
3. **Project Assistant in the work with students** – **Roman Tsybran**, student;
4. **Administrative Manager** – **Natalya Vasyleva**, Administrative worker at the Department of Economic Theory

# Partners of the Project

1. NGO "Ukrainian European Studies Association"
2. Economic Policy Department of the Lviv City Council
3. Faculty of International Relations of the Ivan Franko National University in Lviv
4. Rule of law center, Ukrainian Catholic University
5. Department of European Integration and International Marketing in Lodz University of Technology, Poland
6. PE "Western Ukrainian Audit Company"



# Objective No.1

**Develop and introduce the course “Economics in European Integration: Internal Challenges and External Dimension”**

**Course content will include the following sections:**

**Part 1.** Modern European Union: the features of its functioning.

**Part 2.** The economic policy of the European Union countries.

**Part 3.** European integration of Ukraine.

**Part 4.** The economic component of the Association Agreement between Ukraine and the EU.

**Part 5.** Programs and projects of the EU for Ukraine. Fundamentals of Project Management

*The project also provides an appropriate handbook for students.*



# Objective No.2

## Organization of thematic round tables:

1. “Free trade area between the EU and Ukraine: Experiences and Strategies”.
2. “Social and Economic Policies of the EU: Investment Opportunities”.

## and 3 student disputes on the following topics :

1. “EU’s role in the conflict resolution in Eastern Ukraine: Political and Economic Dimensions”.
2. “Balancing the economic development in the EU member states.
3. “Euromaidan 2013: Economic reasoning beyond hopes of the past and present contemporary realities”.



# Objective No.3

## Publication of scientific articles:

1. Comparative analysis of social insurance systems in the EU and their impact on the social welfare concepts.
2. Pension reform in Ukraine in the context of the Ukraine-European Union Association Agreement.
3. European integration: socio-economic dimension.
4. Cooperation between Ukraine and the European Union: a new stage of relations.



# Objective No.4

## Additional activities to improve the efficiency of project :

1. Developing the materials for the course (Course-reader) and auxiliary methodological support (to provide students with necessary teaching materials).
2. Creating an web-page of the project in order to disseminate information on the implementation of project activities among potential stakeholders.
3. Participation in the internship (Department of European Integration and International Marketing in Lodz University of Technology, Poland) in order to improve skills in teaching courses on European integration.
4. Establish and develop the studies of "Economics of European Integration" in the student scientific circle "Economist".



# Objective No.5

Engage Professionals for additional public lectures:

1. **Oksana Holovko-Harvrysheva**– Expert on European Union law and project management, project manager for the Jean Monnet program.

**Topic of the lecture: “Legal regulation of economic activity in the EU”**

2. **Robert Stanislavski**–Expert on the Economics of European integration, project manager for the Jean Monnet program.

**Topic of the lecture : “The role of EU structural funds in social and economic development of Poland”**

3. **Ivan Kulchytskyi** – Expert on project management, business trainer and project manager.

**Topic of the lecture: “Basics of project management and fundraising. Practical advices on the EU funding programs”**



# Final Conference

## "Methodological approaches to learning and study economics in European integration"

### The main objectives of the conference:

- A short preliminary report about the features of the project;
- To exchange the experiences with other participants in the projects of European integration;
- To discuss the features of teaching disciplines of European integration, in particular - in terms of compliance with interdisciplinary connections;
- To exchange experiences with representatives of government, business and NGOs on the characteristics of teaching experience in the study of subjects of European integration;
- Establishing a close cooperation with other departments, universities and other members of the target groups of the project to conduct joint research, internships and practices; in addition to all that, to implement joint projects in this direction.

# **The first public event of the project**

**The open lecture of Robert Stanislavsky, Professor at the Department of European Integration and International Marketing in Lodz University of Technology, Poland :**

**“Role of the EU structural funds in social and economic development of Poland”**

**(20.10.2016)**



**God Bless!**

**Thank you for your  
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