

CONNECT EELISA

as a collaborator

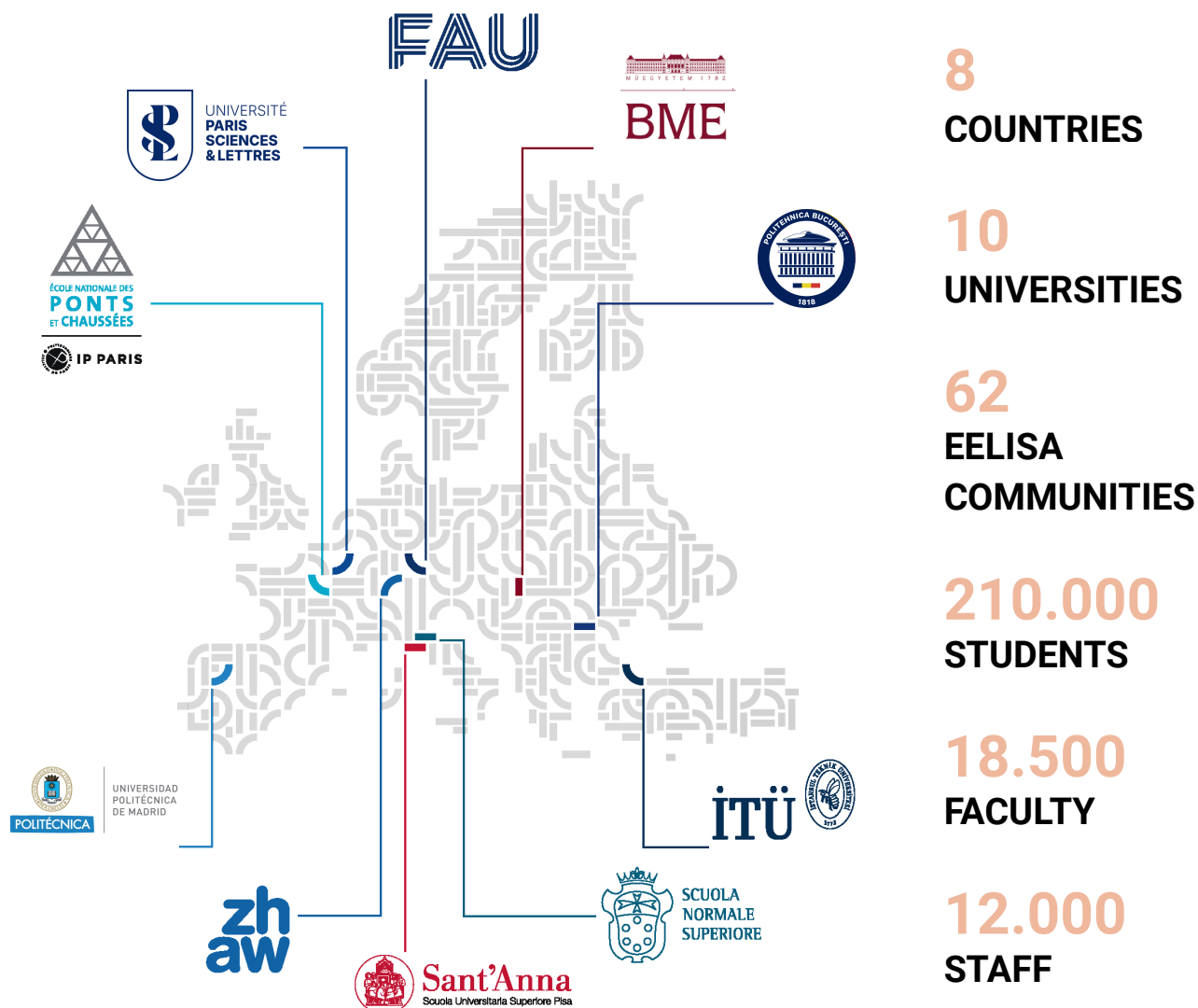


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MEET EELISA

The European Engineering Learning Innovation and Science Alliance (EELISA) brings together 10 institutions from 8 countries in Europe with the goal of making European higher education a driving force for an equitable green and digital transition.



WHY GET INVOLVED?

In a fast-changing world with the increased complexity of the challenges faced, multidisciplinary and multistakeholder approaches are essential to building optimal solutions in a systemic way. Whether you are a corporation, SME or start-up, public institution, NGO or grassroots organisation, EELISA offers you the opportunity to:

Access to the EELISA talent pool: well trained and deeply committed students

- Direct access to a talent pool of **top-tier students** equipped with **future-proof skills** and real-world experience in innovative, multicultural, and multidisciplinary environments—ready to **contribute** through internships, student jobs, or full-time positions.
- Direct entry to **participation** in student **thesis** and **projects**.
- Possibility of participating in **exclusive EELISA recruiting events** and **career fairs**.

Solve challenges through the EELISA Communities

- Take part in the diverse and ever-expanding **EELISA Communities** where students, researchers, experts, business partners, public institutions, and civil society meet and work together to **solve real-world challenges** aligned with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals.
- Join the growing network of challenge-oriented **innovators** through the EELISA Communities.



Panagiotis Machairas

Head of facility management at the
European Space Agency

"The **EELISA / Sustainable BCC think tank** has been an outstanding and dynamic experience for myself and my team at the European Space Astronomy Centre.

We consider that these types of interactions and collaborations greatly assist in environmental consciousness improvement, and the cross-fertilisation between established professionals and the new blood just coming out from academia.

An excellent initiative and an innovative approach to working towards a better future for all!"



Costanze Welter
Research and Innovation
Ecosystem Manager at SIEMENS

“To be successful in the long run, we need young people with different backgrounds who can bring diverse ideas and solutions, people who are used to working in international teams, have a solution-oriented mindset, and a sense of social responsibility.

In projects like EELISA, young people can already learn and work in these kinds of teams and conditions. It is really encouraging to see them grow, becoming future European talents.”

Influence on and benefit from EELISA educational offers

- Influence on and benefit from EELISA **educational offers**.
- **Co-design** innovative educational offers adapted to your needs.
- **Influence** on hands-on projects and case studies.
- **Guest lecture** opportunities for company experts.
- Access to **lifelong learning** and innovative teaching concepts that can be applied to your teams.

Benefit from EELISA members' resources and facilities

- Use of **research facilities**, university labs and resources.
- Access to **conference rooms** or **co-working spaces** on EELISA campuses.

Access to EELISA's research and innovation opportunities

- Early access and insights to **research projects, new technologies, innovations**
- Opportunities to participate in **joint** research initiatives, **collaboration** with professors and researchers.
- Use of the EELISA established **cooperation platform**: a drive for new capacity building and project development at European level.
- Use of the EELISA capacity to **connect national and regional ecosystems** at the European scale.

"Counting with the support of EELISA has helped us reach an international target of young students, as well as teachers and experts on the field.

Thanks to them being by our side and collaborating with us, we have been given the chance of offering filmmakers the opportunity to share their work in new spaces, bringing the impact of our actions to a wider extent of people.

We couldn't be more thankful. We hope we can soon repeat this experience again."



Marta García Larriu

President of the Another Way Association and Director of the Another Way Film Festival in Madrid

A gateway for unique networking opportunities

- Participation in regular meetings with other EELISA corporate **partners and university researchers**.
- Participation in **industry-specific roundtables**, workshops, and discussion forums.
- Opportunity to join working **groups** on **specific topics**.

Funding and financial incentives

- Support in applying for **grants** and funding for **joint projects**.
- Potential tax benefits for **research collaborations**.
- Access to **exclusive** university grant programs or scholarships.
- **Discounts** on university executive education programmes.

Benefit from the prestige and recognition connected to a European University

- Expand your societal impact by **connecting** to EELISA's mission, vision and values.
- Benefit from the prestige and **recognition** connected to the European University Initiative, a flagship program of the European Union meant to **lead** the way to **equitable green and digital transformations**.
- Join the **pioneering group** of people set to **transform** higher education and society.
- **Opportunities** to speak at EELISA events.
- Logo **placement** on the EELISA website and selected publications.

HOW TO GET INVOLVED? THE EELISA PARTNER CLUB

EELISA is more than a European alliance of higher education institutions – it is a dynamic ecosystem where academia, industry, public institutions, and civil society co-create solutions to today's challenges and shape the future of talent, innovation, and knowledge.

At its core, EELISA acts as a connector and catalyst, bringing together diverse actors who share a common ambition: to transform European higher education and align it with evolving societal and industrial needs. Partnerships are designed to grow – from agile pilot initiatives to impactful, long-term transnational collaborations embedded within this ecosystem.

The **EELISA Partner Club** brings together a **wide and diverse network of organizations**, including corporations, start-ups, public authorities, NGOs, research and innovation actors, and academic institutions. Partners contribute to this shared ecosystem through **strategic collaboration, expertise, or financial support**, strengthening EELISA's capacity to generate impact and scale its initiatives across Europe.

In exchange, partners gain access to a **portfolio of collaboration opportunities and strategic engagement pathways** tailored to their interests and ambitions. These include:



RESEARCH & INNOVATION

Access to innovation communities, participation in joint research proposals and insights into emerging technologies and labs



EDUCATION & TALENT

Access to top-performing students for internships, theses, and recruitment; direct engagement through workshops, talks, and guest lectures; and participation in student projects and job fairs.



NETWORKING & VISIBILITY

Speaking opportunities at EELISA events and conferences; participation in thematic communities and expert exchanges; and full visibility as a member of the EELISA Partner Club.

In addition, the **EELISA Alumni Council**, composed of former students from EELISA institutions, plays a key role within this ecosystem. As a distinguished network of alumni and senior leaders working across partner organisations and members of the EELISA Partner Club - this body acts as a **strategic bridge between academia and practice**, providing insight, guidance, and new pathways for collaboration across sectors.

FIELDS OF COOPERATION

Medical Engineering

Biotechnology

Management

City and Mobility Systems

Informatics

Chemical Engineering

Environmental Engineering

Circular Economy

Materials Engineering

Mathematics

Immunological Research

Computer Sciences

Life Sciences

Energy Management

Architecture

Electrical Engineering

Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Aviation

Civil Engineering

Health Sciences

Mechanical Engineering

Social Sciences

Transportation Engineering

Economics and Business Administration



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