

Project information

Erasmus+ KA2

Capacity Building  
in Higher Educa-  
tion

*'Gender studies  
curriculum: A step  
for Democracy  
and Peace in EU  
neighbouring  
countries with  
different  
traditions' (GeSt)*

Start date: 15/10/  
2015

End date: 14/10/  
2018

IMPORTANT  
INFORMATION

*The Gender  
Inequality  
Indexes are 0.326  
(UA), 0.265 (TN),  
0.460 (MA)  
placing UA in  
61<sup>th</sup>, TN in 48<sup>th</sup>,  
MA in 92<sup>th</sup> places  
(out of 152  
countries).*

# GENDER STUDIES

2016 November

## What is GeSt project?

The general goal of the project is to create new competences and new awareness on gender equality by modernising MA Programs in Social Sciences and Humanities

## Specific objectives of the project:

- Developing theoretical and practical basis of innovative teaching area of gender studies;
- Improving the understanding of the problematic of gender education and to acquire the necessary experience and skills of university teachers and scholars;
- Preparing the first qualified graduates as social science researchers, who will have a wide range of methodological approaches to gender studies

The improvement and enrichment of the education systems and curriculum by gender issues should be a strong factor for strengthening the ideals of democracy and should serve as peaceful settlement in the in EU-neighbouring regions of instability. Such cooperation at the international level will have an impact on the education system in partner countries, and develop cross-regional relations, and strengthen ties between Europeans and their neighbours.



## PROJECT PARTICIPANTS

**Project coordinator:** Vytautas Magnus University (Lithuania)

**Project partners:** Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Greece), Central European University (Hungary), Sidi Mohammed Ben Abdellah University (Morocco), The Sultan Moulay Slimane University (Morocco), The University of Manouba (Tunisia), The University of Sousse (Tunisia), Kirovohrad State Pedagogical University (Ukraine), Nizhyn Mykola Gogol State University (Ukraine), Vasyl Stefanyk Precarpathian National University (Ukraine)

The consortium consists of 10 higher education institutions from Lithuania, Greece, Hungary, Morocco, Tunisia and Ukraine and 3 NVO as associated partners.



Sidi Mohammed Ben Abdellah University, USMBA (Morocco) is updating in the project MA in Cultural studies by including courses on gender.

The Sultan Moulay Slimane University, USMS (Morocco) is planning to create a new Master program in Gender Studies.

The University of Manouba (Tunisia) is modernising MA in Sport and Physical Education .

The University of Sousse, US (Tunisia) is updating 3 Master programs (Political Sciences, Economy, Design/ Arts) by including gender studies modules and developing a new MA in Gender Studies.

Kirovohrad State Pedagogical University, KSPU (Ukraine) is introducing specialisation 'Gender Studies' into MA in Educational Measurement.

Nizhyn Mykola Gogol State University, NMGSU (Ukraine) has created new MA in Political sciences with specialisation 'Gender Studies'

Vasyl Stefanyk Precarpathian National University, PNU (Ukraine) is modernising MA in psychology by introducing specialisation 'Gender Studies'.

