

# UPDO

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# INTERNATIONAL PROJECT SUPPORT OFFICE

Yaşar University UPDO Team organizes multi-disciplinary seminars, conferences and teaching activities on International Studies and provides overall coordination for effective participation of Yaşar University in international research programmes.

UPDO closely follows EU and internationally funded programmes (Erasmus+, Horizon 2020 and etc.), develops projects and cooperates with universities and research centers in EU member states and candidate countries in the field of education and research. UPDO aims to raise awareness on international process and international funds both on institutional, local and international level.

UPDO also provides consultancy services for all Yaşar University students and academicians in international grant programmes and preparation of new projects.

## INTERNATIONALLY FUNDED PROJECTS

UPDO has successfully participated in approximately 130 internationally funded projects since 2005. Within the scope of these projects, Yaşar University students and academicians carry out collaborations with other European universities and find the opportunity to participate in summer schools and research projects in Europe. You may find further information on projects at <https://updo.yasar.edu.tr/>.

# SEMINARS & CERTIFICATE PROGRAMS



By developing local and international cooperation with other distinguished HEIs, public institutions and NGOs, the Center organizes seminars and certificate programmes on current international topics. The Center also organizes online information seminars (webinars) and trainings on project management and EU funding opportunities.

# PROJECT CYCLE MANAGEMENT (PCM) TRAININGS

“Project Cycle Management” trainings are delivered to both Yaşar University academic staff and members of many public institutions, private companies and non-governmental organizations in İzmir and Aegean Region.



Since 2007, more than 600 people have participated in “Project Planning and Project Management” trainings organized by UPDO in cooperation with different stakeholders in İzmir.



# EXPERIENCE & LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS



Yaşar University students and academicians are offered new learning experiences through the activities of international projects such as seminars, exchange programmes, field studies and voluntary working opportunities.

## SUCCESS STORIES OF INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

In 2008-2009 academic year, four of eleven Intensive Programme (IP) projects implemented at Turkish universities were carried out by Yaşar University. Likewise, in 2011-2012 five of thirteen Intensive Programme projects granted in Turkey were carried out by Yaşar University.

Yaşar University was selected as “Erasmus Success Story” by European Commission in 2012 with the implemented IP projects.

Yaşar University has been awarded with two Erasmus+ Jean Monnet Modules in 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 academic year.

Two out of eight granted Erasmus+ Strategic Partnership Projects in 2013-2014 academic year are coordinated by Yaşar University and Yaşar University has been involved in several EU Framework Programmes as partner and coordinator.



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