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Jean Monnet module: The Economic and Legal Evaluation of Digital Ecosystems in the EU Experience Sharing

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BALTIC INFO DAYS 2021

How it started..

- Application submitted
 - ✓ February 20th 2019
- Positive funding decision
 - ✓ End of July 2019
- Project start
 - ✓ September 1st 2019

Applications selected for EU co-funding
Erasmus+ Programme - Jean Monnet Activities
Selection 2019 - Call for Proposals ref. EAC/A03/2018

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Teaching and research activities: Modules, Chairs and Centres of Excellence

N°	Reference Number	Country	Applicant organisation	Project title	Maximum EU grant (EUR)	% co-funding ¹	Name of the academic coordinator
42	611032-EPP-1-2019-1-ES-EPPJMO-CoE	Spain	UNIVERSITAT DE VALENCIA	Centre of Excellence Jean Monnet in Integration and Governance	98.348,44	46,09%	Cecilio Tamarit
43	611037-EPP-1-2019-1-KR-EPPJMO-CoE	Korea (Republic of)	KOREA UNIVERSITY	Enhancing EU Perceptions in South Korea: Establishing Korea University Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence	99.998,00	57,86%	Sunghoon PARK
44	611039-EPP-1-2019-1-UK-EPPJMO-MODULE	United Kingdom	UNIVERSITY OF PLYMOUTH	Entrepreneurial Thought and Action	27.820,80	N/A	Nikolaos Apostolopoulos
45	611040-EPP-1-2019-1-NL-EPPJMO-CoE	Netherlands	ERASMUS UNIVERSITEIT ROTTERDAM	Digital Governance	100.000,00	59,02%	Prof. Klaus Heine
46	611050-EPP-1-2019-1-HU-EPPJMO-CHAIR	Hungary	PAZMANY PETER KATOLIKUS EGYETEM	Sustainable competition: balancing rivalry and co-operation	46.332,00	N/A	Prof. Tihamér Tóth
47	611052-EPP-1-2019-1-ES-EPPJMO-CHAIR	Spain	UNIVERSIDAD DE GRANADA	Integration of Asylum-Seekers and Refugees in the European Union	39.847,50	N/A	José María Porras Ramírez
48	611057-EPP-1-2019-1-RU-EPPJMO-MODULE	Russian Federation	DON STATE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY	The Best European Experience in Energy Saving	24.721,20	N/A	Svetlana Sheina
49	611059-EPP-1-2019-1-EE-EPPJMO-MODULE	Estonia	TALLINNA TEHNIKAULIKOOL	The Economic and Legal Evaluation of Digital Ecosystems in the EU	21.571,20	N/A	Kadri Männasoo
50	611077-EPP-1-2019-1-UK-EPPJMO-CHAIR	United Kingdom	CITY UNIVERSITY OF LONDON	EUWorld	50.000,00	N/A	Panos Koutrakos
51	611083-EPP-1-2019-1-IT-EPPJMO-MODULE	Italy	UNIVERSITA DEGLI STUDI DI NAPOLI FEDERICO II	Summer School on Labour Migration in the European Union	28.236,60	N/A	Prof. Fulvio Maria Palombino
52	611085-EPP-1-2019-1-PL-EPPJMO-CHAIR	Poland	UNIwersytet Jagiellonski	MEDIA FREEDOM, TRUST AND TRANSPARENCY IN THE EUROPEAN UNION	46.332,00	N/A	Beata Klimkiewicz
53	611087-EPP-1-2019-1-TR-EPPJMO-CHAIR	Turkey	OZYGİN UNIVERSİTESİ	Jean Monnet Chair of Migration and Mobility in Europe	50.000,00	N/A	Deniz Sert
54	611096-EPP-1-2019-1-RS-EPPJMO-CHAIR	Serbia	UNIVERZITET U BEOGRADU	Jean Monnet Chair in European Environmental Law	39.204,00	N/A	Mirjana Drenovak-Ivanović
55	611102-EPP-1-2019-1-FR-EPPJMO-MODULE	France	UNIVERSITE D'ANGERS	The Lighthouse - UA Clinique juridique	30.000,00	N/A	Aline MIRON

ERASMUS+ JEAN MONNET MODULE, ELEDEEU, 2019-2022



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The Economic and Legal Evaluation of Digital Ecosystems in the EU

Jean Monnet teaching and research project on digital ecosystems was approved by the European Commission and received the Commission's funding for 2019-2022. The project leaders are Professor Kadri Männasoo from the Department of Economics and Finance and Professor Tanel Kerikmäe from the Department of Law. The project which is titled "The Economic and Legal Evaluation of Digital Ecosystems in the EU" aims to encourage academic discussion on digital ecosystems and raise awareness about the legal and economic aspects of digitalisation

During the project, a study module and a digital platform for supervising students' research papers will be designed. The project enables students to partake in the scientific work of TalTech's researchers, including the results of international collaborative projects on European digital systems.

Project duration: 1.09.2019 - 31.08.2022

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Staff



Courses and Events



Core Team

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Teaching & Supervision

- Elective 3 EAP courses on Digital Ecosystems
 - Take place both Autumn (MEX3010) and Spring Semester (MEX3020)
 - Addressed to local/international/Erasmus exchange students
 - Interdisciplinary approach: economic and legal perspectives
 - Enable to address contemporary topics
 - E-courses in Moodle



INTERDISCIPLINARY COURSE: **THE ECONOMIC AND LEGAL EVALUATION OF DIGITAL ECOSYSTEMS IN THE EU**

**OFFERED UNDER THE PROJECT OF
ERASMUS+ JEAN MONNET MODULE**

The course is offered in Autumn Semester 2021:

CODE: MEX3010

NAME: Special Topics In Digital Ecosystems

TIME: Week 2 – Week 9, Tuesday 16:00–19:15 in SOC-219

Free choice course, 3ECTS

Pass/fail assessment

Students should enroll on ois2.taltech.ee

EVENTS OFFERED WITHIN THE COURSE:

Guest lecture on “Smart-Contract Language for DAOS”

- Dr. ALEXANDER NORTA, Associate Professor at the Department of Software Science at TalTech.

Roundtable debate on “Digital Ecosystems for Public Sector”

- DAN SHEFET, Lawyer, Individual Specialist to UNESCO, Adviser to the Council of Europe on the Internet Ombudsman
- Dr. ROBERT KRIMMER, Professor of E-governance at the Faculty of Social Sciences at Tartu University
- Dr. KADRI MÄNNASOO, Professor of Economics at TalTech
- Dr. TANEL KERIKMÄE, Professor of Law at TalTech

COURSE INSTRUCTORS:

- Dr. KADRI MÄNNASOO, Professor at Department of Economics and Finance
- Dr. SIMONA FERRARO, Senior Lecturer at Department of Economics and Finance
- Dr. MARIA CLAUDIA SOLARTE VASQUEZ, Visiting Lecturer at Department of Law

MOTIVATION AND INTEREST TO ENROLL:

- Interdisciplinary course
- Contemporary topics in digitalization for Bachelor's and Master's level graduation theses
- Engaged students can benefit from thesis co-supervision by course instructors
- Examples from multiple disciplines
- A variety of academic activities and direct access to experts
- Leading the EU into a sustainable future

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Open Events

- Open events to all students and faculty
- Presentations by invited external and domestic experts from governmental bodies, academia and privately funded organizations
 - Guest lectures
 - Roundtable debates
 - Conference presentations



Invited Speakers

- **Jon Pareliussen (OECD)** „Digital technology adoption, productivity gains in adopting firms and sectoral spill-overs“, 17.12.2019
- **Meelis Kitsing (Foresight Centre, Parliament of Estonia)** „Scenarios for Digital Platform Ecosystems and Estonian Digital Governance“, 11.02.2020
- **Katrin Nyman-Metcalf (Head of Research at e-Governance Academy / TalTech)** "Will states be rendered irrelevant in the digital ecosystems of giants?" 29.10.2020
- **Jaanus Kroon (Bank of Estonia, Head of the Statistics Department)** „Bank of Estonia experience in using big data for official statistics“ 05.11.2020
- **Ott Velsberg (Government Chief Data Officer, Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications)** , „Regulation of the next generation e-government“ 02.02.2021
- **Alexander Norta (TalTech, IT Faculty)** Smart-Contract Language for DAOS, 28.09.2021

Roundtables with invited experts

- **Siim Sikkut (Government CIO | Deputy Secretary-General of IT and Telecom Ministry of Economic Affairs and Communications),**
“COVID-19 implications on digital ecosystems”, 12.11.2020
- **Linnar Viik (Programme Director of Smart Governance)** „The new normal in public education: re-skilling for teaching and security in learning digital platforms“, 9.03.2021
- **Dan Shefet (UNESCO) and Prof Robert Krimmer (University of Tartu),**
“Digital Ecosystems for Public Sector”, 12.10.2021

Covid-19 implications

Covid-19 pandemics has re-shaped some of initial plans

- Drop in enrolment of exchange and foreign students
- Distance, on-line teaching
- Events guest lectures and roundtables switched on-line
- Skipping of on-site visits e.g. Stenbock House, the Office of Estonian Prime Minister and Government

Outlook and What Next?

- Maintaining and developing further
 - Courses curriculars
 - Study materials
 - E-courses
 - Contacts and networks created
 - Planning for the follow-up project

Thank You!