

Invitation

MappED! - Providing Equal Opportunities to Students with Disabilities for their Participation in the Erasmus+ Programme

Dear sir or madam,

On behalf of the Erasmus Student Network and the MappED! consortium we'd like to invite you to our Final Conference in Brussels on 30th August 2017 of **MappED! - Providing Equal Opportunities to Students with Disabilities for their Participation in the Erasmus+ Programme!**



The [MappED! project](#), part of the ExchangeAbility and MapAbility projects established by the Erasmus Student Network, has come to an end. After two successful years of working on a project that will support students with disabilities going on exchange, it's time to show everyone the results and celebrate together the outcomes.

Funded by the Erasmus+ programme of the European Commission, MappED! aims to create a **unique online platform** for students with disabilities, to help with finding information regarding mobility. The platform will **provide information** about existing opportunities such as additional grant requests, as well as learn about the accessibility of Higher Education Institutions in Europe and their surrounding areas.

The various deliverables of the project which aim in assisting students with disabilities taking the first step towards mobility, will be presented in the Final Conference. More specifically:

- The **Website** and the accompanying **Mobile app**, along with a live demonstration of the platform and its features
- The **Info Centre** with all the information regarding going abroad as a student with disabilities as well as **Testimonies** from people who achieved it
- The **Best Practices booklet** for better cooperation between International Relation Offices and Disability Offices
- The **Mapping Activity**, an event for everyone to contribute in mapping our world
- **Recommendations** towards the policy makers on the topic of "Inclusive Mobility"

The event will also include a **Training** on the topic of disability delivered by trainers from the Erasmus Student Network.

The conference will be attended by national project coordinators, students involved in the project, partners of the project as well as important stakeholders in the area of inclusion of students with disabilities.

The agenda is as follows:

- Conference opening at 09:00 a.m.
- Welcome and official opening of the conference
- Presentation of the project's history and evolution
- Case Study presentations from stakeholders and key Institutions and Organisations in the field of mobility of youth and students with special needs
- Training session facilitated by the Erasmus Student Network
- Presentation of the "Best Practices: Disability Office - International Relations Office cooperation" booklet
- Live demo of the new website and mobile application
- Demonstration of the Mapping Activity
- Presentation of the Recommendations towards policy makers
- Conclusion of the conference at 06:00 p.m.

Please [register](#) to guarantee yourself a seat at this event!

More information about the project can be found at mapped.eu.

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