Main objective: Innovation

Priorities: The project aims to support changes in the area of public administration education in conformity with Bologna objectives, mainly:

- Promotion of European co-operation in quality assurance with a view to developing comparable criteria and methodologies;

- Promotion of the necessary European dimensions in higher education, particularly with regard to curricular development, inter-institutional co-operation, mobility schemes and integrated programmes of study, training and research;

- In addition, the project aims at tackling skills gaps and mismatches in the area of public administration higher education through designing and developing curricula that meet the learning needs of students and which are relevant to the labour market and societal needs, including through better use of open and on-line, work-based, multi-disciplinary learning and new quality assessment criteria.

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Project Partners:
- European Association for Public Administration Accreditation
- Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic
- Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca, Romania
- University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
- Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary
- Matej Bel University, Banská Bystrica, Slovakia
- University of Economics in Bratislava, Slovakia
- Pavol Jozef Šafárik University, Košice, Slovakia
- Varna Free University, Bulgaria

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### Transnational Meetings

- Bratislava, Slovakia
  - November 2018
- Ljubljana, Slovenia
  - November 2019
- Budapest, Hungary
  - November 2020

### Workshops

- Varna, Bulgaria, First half of 2020
- Bratislava, Slovakia, Second half of 2020

### Multiplier Events

- Public Administration Education Quality Enhancement in Slovakia
  - March 1 - July 15, 2021
- Public Administration Education Quality Enhancement in Czech Republic
  - January 1 - April 30, 2021
- Public Administration Education Quality Enhancement in Bulgaria
  - March 1 - July 15, 2021
- Public Administration Education Quality Enhancement in Romania
  - September 1 – December 31, 2020
- Public Administration Education Quality Enhancement in Slovenia
  - September 1 – December 31, 2020
- Public Administration Education Quality Enhancement in Hungary
  - January 1 – April 30, 2021

### Intellectual Outputs

- O1 - Assessment of methodology and materials of public administration teaching and its relevance for practice
  - Term: September 1, 2018 – March 31, 2019
- O2 - Open platform for quality sharing in public administration education
  - Term: September 1, 2018 – April 30, 2019
- O3 - Methodological framework for quality improvement of project partners
  - Term: January 1, 2019 – December 31, 2019
- O4 - Qualitative and quantitative analyses of interactions of the created network
  - Term: January 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020
- O5 - Methodological framework for development of competencies relevant for practice
  - Term: January 1, 2020 – August 31, 2020
- O6 - Methodological framework for developing PA curricula in conformity with European quality
  - Term: September 1, 2020 – April 30, 2021
- O7 - Methodological approach to the European public administration accreditation in the new EU member countries
  - Term: January 1, 2021 – Jun 30, 2021
- O8 - Policy recommendations for implementation of the European public administration accreditation at different levels (higher education programmes, public administration national authorities, national accreditation bodies)
  - Term: January 1, 2021 – July 31, 2021

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