

<b>Country</b>	<b>Norway</b>	
<b>Number of higher education institutions in the country</b>	37 public/24 private	
<b>Description of national higher education system</b>	<a href="http://www.nokut.no/">http://www.nokut.no/</a>	
<b>National Higher Education Strategy</b>		
The white paper relating to the Quality Reform of higher institutions, (2002) which is the Norwegian main response to the Bologna Process, and the report on Internationalisation (2009)		
<b>Link to the appropriate document:</b>		
<a href="http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd/dok/regpubl/stmeld/20002001/stmeld-nr-27-2000-2001-.html?id=194247">http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd/dok/regpubl/stmeld/20002001/stmeld-nr-27-2000-2001-.html?id=194247</a>		
<b>National Higher Education Strategy on Internationalisation</b>		
<b>Link to the appropriate document:</b>		
<a href="http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd/dok/regpubl/stmeld/2008-2009/stmeld-nr-14-2008-2009-.html?id=545749">http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd/dok/regpubl/stmeld/2008-2009/stmeld-nr-14-2008-2009-.html?id=545749</a>		
<a href="http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd/dok/regpubl/stmeld/2008-2009/report-no-14-2008-2009-to-the-storting.html?id=581950">http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dep/kd/dok/regpubl/stmeld/2008-2009/report-no-14-2008-2009-to-the-storting.html?id=581950</a>		
(English version)		
<b>Are joint programmes mentioned in:</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> the national higher education strategy	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the national strategy on internationalization in HE.	
<b>Quotation of an appropriate paragraph:</b>	<b>Quotation of an appropriate paragraph:</b>	
	Contribute to the development of internationalisation at home and achieve better, closer cooperation between Norwegian and foreign institutions. 14 Summary in English: Report No. 14 to the Storting 2008 – 2009 Internationalisation of Education in Norway	
	Work on creating more projects and programmes for developing common degrees and common study programmes, first and foremost at master and PhD levels, and to develop tuning-oriented projects through cooperation between Norwegian and foreign institutions.	

### Legislation on joint degrees

Act on Universities and Colleges, since 2005 has specifically allowed joint degrees.

**Link to the appropriate document:** [http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dok/lover\\_regler/lover/lov-om-universiteter-og-hoyskoler.html?id=213307](http://www.regjeringen.no/nb/dok/lover_regler/lover/lov-om-universiteter-og-hoyskoler.html?id=213307)

### Involvement in Erasmus Mundus Programme

	Number of joint study programmes:	Number of higher education institutions involved:
<b>Erasmus Mundus Master Courses</b>	19	10
<b>Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorates</b>	0	0

Additional comments:

In all, Norwegian institutions have been involved in 35 Erasmus Mundus programs, out of 110 unique projects. In EM II, about 50% of all applications have been for doctorates, but as described, without success.

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