

Country	Croatia
Number of higher education institutions in the country	55 HEIs
Description of national higher education system	http://public.mzos.hr/Default.aspx?sec=2510 https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/fpfis/mwikis/eurydice/index.php/Croatia:Higher_Education
National Higher Education Strategy	
“Draft Strategy on Education, Science and Technology” (working document)	
Link to the appropriate document: http://www.google.hr/url?sa=t&rct=j&q=&esrc=s&frm=1&source=web&cd=1&ved=0CCoQFjAA&url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.vlada.hr%2Fen%2Fcontent%2Fdownload%2F272312%2F4019172%2Ffile%2FStrategija%2520OZT-Radni%2520materijal%2520rujan%25202013.pdf&ei=7eRLU8nuEIPqywOgr4K4CQ&usg=AFQjCNG-hQxpUJMcDaBC9hmlcuOOwiljmQ&sig2=OF1RQQVJhZC4A8xfoB0pUA&bvm=bv.64542518,d.bGQ	
National Higher Education Strategy on Internationalisation	
The National strategy on Internationalisation of Education is currently being drafted and will be published after adoption of the <i>Strategy on Education, Science and Technology</i> .	
Link to the appropriate document:	
Are joint programmes mentioned in:	
<input type="checkbox"/> the national higher education strategy	<input type="checkbox"/> the national strategy on internationalization in HE
Quotation of an appropriate paragraph: The draft Strategy envisages implementation of the following steps by 2015: to develop a plan for inclusion of HEIs in the implementation of the joint study programs at all levels; to identify strategic partners of HEI’s and conduct negotiations on the formation of joint studies; to adopt mechanisms for accreditation of study programs for joint studies.	Quotation of an appropriate paragraph:
Legislation on joint degrees	
Act on Scientific Activity and Higher Education (Official Gazette no. 123/03, 105/04, 174/04, 2/07 – Odluka Ustavnog suda Republike Hrvatske, 46/07, 45/09, 63/11, 94/13, 139/13) Article 76	
Link to the appropriate document: http://www.zakon.hr/z/320/Zakon-o-znanstvenoj-djelatnosti-i-visokom-obrazovanju	
Involvement in joint study programmes	
Number of joint study programmes:	Number of higher education institutions involved:
Only 1 programme is accredited by the national QA agency.	2 HEIs

Additional comments: The exact number of joint programmes (accredited by the University Senate) is not available.

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