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ALFA Programme (América Latina - Formación Académica)

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## Results of the First and Second Selection Rounds

By the time the new ALFA Programme team gathered from early 2002, the selection procedures concerning the Programme deadlines of April and October 2000 were not yet concluded (Cf. ALFA-Flash n°1/April 2002).

In the meantime, contracts were established between the European Commission and each one of the co-ordinating institutions of the approved projects referring to the above mentioned (first two) rounds for the submission of project proposals.

On the other hand, issues n°2 and n°3 of ALFA-Flash have presented the lists of the projects approved in the framework of the third and fourth selection rounds of ALFA II (2001).

The present issue aims at informing about the approved projects referring to the two rounds of the year 2000, thus completing the list of the so-far (76) approved projects in the framework of ALFA II.

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Thank you.

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## European Commission Briefs

### ➤ Commissioner C. Patten Outlines Priorities of EU's Policy on Latin America

European Union policy on Latin America was the focus of a speech (Latin America – The European Dimension) given by Commissioner Chris Patten, in Miami, on 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2002.

For Patten, future priorities are to promote regional integration, fight against poverty, and contribute to the development of inclusive political systems and improve public governance.

More: [http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/external\\_relations/w40/6.htm](http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/external_relations/w40/6.htm)

### ➤ Commission adopts EU-Chile Association Agreement

The European Commission adopted the EU-Chile Association Agreement on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2002. The agreement now goes to the European Union Council of Ministers, which is expected to give its green light next month. Once the Chilean Congress completes its own procedures, the trade-related aspects of the agreement will be able to come into force, as an interim agreement. The other provisions of the agreement will come into force once the assent of the European Parliament has been obtained and once it has been ratified by the 15 Member States' Parliaments.

More: [http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/external\\_relations/w40/7.htm](http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/external_relations/w40/7.htm)

## Next Deadlines

### Proposal Submission

30<sup>th</sup> October 2002

30<sup>th</sup> April 2003

30<sup>th</sup> October 2003

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## 1<sup>st</sup> Selection Round Approved Projects

| Number   | Project Title                                                                                                                                                                | Network                                         | Co-ordinating Institution                                                         | Duration (Month) |
|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| II0001A  | Educación para la Paz y la Interculturalidad                                                                                                                                 | EPI                                             | ES Universidad de Deusto                                                          | 24               |
| II0003FA | ELASTEX: European and Latin American Students EXchange                                                                                                                       | SENSO                                           | FR Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Techniques Industrielles et des Mines de Nantes | 24               |
| II0013A  | Gestión de Políticas de Movilidad de Estudiantes                                                                                                                             | ALEUMO                                          | ES Universitat de Barcelona<br>CU Universidad Central "Marta Abreu" de Las Villas | 18               |
| II0014A  | FARO UNIVE II: Gestión de la Innovación Tecnológica                                                                                                                          | FARO-UNIVE II                                   | ES Universidad de Salamanca                                                       | 18               |
| II0015FA | EUROLAT: Constructions et intégrations régionales comparées (Union européenne-Mercosur)                                                                                      | EUROLAT                                         | FR Université Pierre Mendès France                                                | 36               |
| II0018A  | EVALUACIÓN 2000: Fortalecimiento de la Enseñanza de la Evaluación de Proyectos de Desarrollo a nivel de Posgrado y Extensión Universitaria                                   | EVALUACION 2000                                 | CR Universidad de Costa Rica                                                      | 24               |
| II0021FA | CORDIAL 2: Cooperación para la Realización de Doctorados en Informática en América Latina                                                                                    | CORDIAL 2                                       | ES Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya                                           | 36               |
| II0024A  | T-GAME: Teaching computer Graphics And MultimEdia                                                                                                                            | T-GAME                                          | ES Universidad de Zaragoza<br>AR Universidad de Belgrano                          | 18               |
| II0025A  | Diseño curricular de un módulo formativo en el área de las ciencias de visión del color                                                                                      | EURITO                                          | ES Universidad de Valencia                                                        | 12               |
| II0026FA | NIACS II: Novel Automation and Control Systems II                                                                                                                            | ELACIAC                                         | ES Universidad Politécnica de Madrid                                              | 36               |
| II0032A  | Intervención sobre los programas universitarios enfocados a la conservación y valorización del patrimonio históricos monumental como fuente de desarrollo económico y social | CASALFA                                         | IT Università degli Studi di Roma "La Sapienza"<br>AR Universidad de Buenos Aires | 18               |
| II0034FA | Fray Pedro de Gante en Ingeniería de Materiales                                                                                                                              | Fray Pedro de Gante en Ingeniería de Materiales | BE Universiteit Gent                                                              | 18               |

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Selection Round Approved Projects

| Number   | Project Title                                                                                                                                                  | Network    | Co-ordinating Institution            | Duration (Month) |
|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| II0043A  | Cooperación Universidad-Empresa para el Desarrollo                                                                                                             | TTUE       | IT Università degli Studi di Bologna | 24               |
| II0044A  | Red para el desarrollo Intercontinental de la Gestión Universitaria y de la Cooperación Universidad - Empresa en el ámbito de la Ingeniería y de los Plásticos | REDIMPLAST | ES Universidad de Zaragoza           | 24               |
| II0051A  | Programa de Ambientalización curricular de los estudios superiores: Diseño de intervenciones y análisis del proceso                                            | ACES       | ES Universitat de Girona             | 24               |
| II0053A  | SME-chains (SME/University Network)                                                                                                                            | SME-chains | SE Hälsohögskolan i Jönköping        | 24               |
| II0054FI | European/South American Public Health Training                                                                                                                 | EUSAPH2    | UK University of Wales, Bangor       | 36               |
| II0056A  | New Approaches in Veterinary Public Health                                                                                                                     | SAPUVETNET | NL Rijksuniversiteit te Utrecht      | 24               |

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|----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| II0057A  | Micro Finance at the University                                                                                                                                            | Alfa Micro Finance                                             | IT Scuola di Amministrazione Aziendale dell'Università degli Studi di Torino   | 24               |
| II0058FA | Programa de Formación Doctoral en Temas de Comercio Internacional y Desarrollo                                                                                             | EULALIA                                                        | BE Universitaire Faculteiten Sint-Ignatius te Antwerpen                        | 36               |
| II0059A  | A Meta-university in Architecture: a feasibility study                                                                                                                     | ARCHINET                                                       | BE Hogeschool voor Wetenschap en Kunst                                         | 24               |
| II0063FI | The role of the Judiciary in a State governed by the Rule of Law                                                                                                           | DIKIA                                                          | GR European Public Law Center - National and Capodistrian University of Athens | 12               |
| II0072A  | Exchange of Educational Materials for Curriculum Improvement in New Media                                                                                                  | INeTGaM                                                        | PT Instituto Superior Técnico - Universidade Técnica de Lisboa                 | 24               |
| II0075FA | Integración Regional y Desarrollo Territorial: una perspectiva comparada y de cooperación entre la Cuenca del Plata en el MERCOSUR y del Sur de Europa en la Unión Europea | Desarrollo Territorial e Integración Regional                  | UY Universidad de La República                                                 | 36               |
| II0077A  | ST_LABDILEIT: Laboratory for Distance - Learning based on Internet Technology                                                                                              | LABDILEIT                                                      | ES Universitat de les Illes Balears                                            | 24               |
| II0079FA | Movilidad de Postgraduados - Integración de líneas de investigación y de los programas de Posgrado en Biotecnología Industrial                                             | BI-EURAM                                                       | CL Universidad Católica de Valparaíso                                          | 36               |
| II0082A  | Crear las bases para la investigación de puentes en madera                                                                                                                 | PASARELA                                                       | CL Universidad del Bío-Bío                                                     | 24               |
| II0086FI | Fault -Tolerance System Design and Verification for Safety-Critical Applications                                                                                           | TOSCA                                                          | IT Politecnico di Torino                                                       | 36               |
| II0095A  | PETRA I: Piezo Electric TRansducers and Applications I                                                                                                                     | PETRA                                                          | ES Universidad Politécnica de Valencia                                         | 12               |
| II0096FA | AGROLATINO 2 Ingeniería Agrícola                                                                                                                                           | AGROLATINO                                                     | ES Universidad Politécnica de Valencia                                         | 36               |
| II0100FA | Regional Integration and Sustainable Development Academic Training. A Euro Latin America Co-operation in Social Sciences and Technology Studies.                           | LENTISCO                                                       | DK Roskilde Universitetscenter                                                 | 20               |
| II0101FA | Formación en Gestión Internacional de la Empresa                                                                                                                           | ALFA-CONTA                                                     | ES Universidad de Zaragoza                                                     | 36               |
| II0105FA | Ingénierie Pédagogique et Institutionnelle en Agriculture durable et sécurité Alimentaire – Formation d'enseignants                                                        | ESTRELA II                                                     | FR Ecole Nationale Supérieure Agronomique de Rennes                            | 36               |
| II0113A  | Acreditación y Reconocimientos Oficiales entre universidades de Mercosur y la UE                                                                                           | ACRO                                                           | ES Universidad de Valencia                                                     | 24               |
| II0118FA | Maestría en Gestión Integrada de Áreas Costeras Tropicales                                                                                                                 | ALFA-GIACT                                                     | CR Universidad de Costa Rica                                                   | 36               |
| II0121FA | Advanced Postgraduate Training in Food and Bioprocess Engineering                                                                                                          | Food and Bioprocess Engineering for Sustainability and Quality | UK University of Reading                                                       | 36               |

The information published in ALFA-Flash n° 2 concerning the project II 0073 FI should read as follows:

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|----------|--------------------------------------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------------------------|----|
| II0073FI | Building a Research Community for Local Economic Development | REDNeT | IT Università degli Studi "Cà Foscari" di Venezia | 24 |
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