



From the European Grouping of Economic Interest (EGEI)
to
the European Grouping of Academic Interest (EGAI)

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General objective

- Replacing the EEIG with a more adapted legal tool
- Working towards a more integrated academic structure
- Deepening the combined management of higher education and research in Europe (European Union / Member States)
- Drafting the by-laws of the European Grouping of Academic Interest
- Disseminate through, in particular, a final event in Brussels

The path towards the EGAI

1. Identifying the limitations of the EEIG legal framework
2. Elaborating on the legal tools and the testing of the EEIG to identify the scope of the EGAI
3. Identifying the legal challenges posed by higher education and research as policies (EU / Member States)
4. Identifying the difficulties involved by the various legal systems (legal framework)

The path towards the EGAI

5. Working on the legal changes potentially required:
 - at national level (legislation, University by-laws),
 - at EU level: directives, regulations, recommendations
6. Drafting the by-laws of an EGAI
7. Drafting a report on the EGAI

Practical aspects

- Research in EU law, European groupings, higher education, data, human resources by colleagues and post-docs
- Regular meetings and seminars (onsite and online) between project and external members (notably higher education and foreign affairs government departments/ministries and also other European alliances) in the autumn 2023, coordinated by post-docs and colleagues involved in the WP2) on the different legal aspects posed by an EGAI (power sharing between the EU and the Member States, data sharing, financial management, legal risks, European groupings, state aids, etc).
- Conclusive workshop on the EGAI

Perspectives

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Merci de votre attention

Vă mulțumim pentru atenție

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