





## SECOND CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

**Grants to Seed Funding** 

to foster university-business cooperations

for more applied study programmes in Kosovo

**Background:** the concept of applied study programmes is not very common in Kosovo yet, although applied programmes do exist. Experience and results from earlier projects show that e.g. active involvement of non-academic partners in curriculum development or encouraging students to engage with potential future employers already during their study (e.g. through project work, case studies etc.) enhances not only the employability graduates but also innovation potential of higher education institutions.

The call in a nutshell: This grant scheme aims to foster university-business cooperations for more applied study programmes in <u>Kosovo.</u> For a list of actions that will be eligible for funding please see section 2.1. of the Guidelines for the call. Staff and students of public universities in Kosovo can apply.

## Deadline for submissions: 18 February 2019

**Consultations - not sure what to submit?:** Ideas and abstracts can be sent to <u>michaela.handke@wus-austria.org</u> for consultation via Email. Face-to-face consultations are held on 12 February 2019 (between 9:00h – 16:00h) at the premises of the HERAS office (ground floor, Ministry of Education, Science and Technology). Please send an Email to <u>arbresha.meha@wus-austria.org</u> to announce your visit.



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