

## **Cluster meeting report for CBHE curriculum development projects involving partners from Bosnia and Herzegovina- challenges and obstacles**

### **GENERAL CHALLENGES AND OBSTACLES FOR CBHE CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS INVOLVING PARTNERS FROM BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA:**

- 1.The accreditation of study programs in BiH cannot be implemented in line with the projects work plans, due to administrative and legal obstacles that are beyond the influence of HEIs.
- 2.Decreasing the number of enrolled students is the risk for the sustainability of the study programmes developed within the project.
3. The procedure of issuing the IPA DEU certificate from the Delegation of the European Union to BiH is too slow and very often affects the tender procedure for the purchase of the equipment for CBHE projects. According to the feedback received, CBHE project team members have not received precise information related to the procedure of issuing an IPA DEU certificate from the responsible person in the Delegation of the European Union to BiH. We were informed that joint tender procedure is even more complicated and due to that fact, the HEIs institution prefer to purchase equipment independently because it is more efficient.

Best regards,

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