GROUP 4 “SYNERGIES BETWEEN EUROPEAN FUNDING SCHEMES AND ACCESSIBILITY ISSUES FROM A BOTTOM-UP PERSPECTIVE”
WORKSHOP DETAILED RESULTS – OBSTACLES, LEVERAGES, BEST PRACTISES:

- Groupe 4A: https://padlet.com/emmy_arts/TCA_group4A
- Groupe 4B: https://padlet.com/emmy_arts/TCA_group4B
### Strategy and policy
- Institutional strategy should be also bottom up and shared across academics
- Disconnection between international offices, research department and academic staff
- Necessity to have an overarching strategy in which education and/or research projects can build forth upon each other

### Partnerships
- Strong partners with shared vision and strategy (ex: European alliances) can be mobilised quickly to respond to calls for proposals
- Stock exchange of ideas within networks
- Tool box summary mapping of funding opportunities per sector or thematics per donor level (European, national, local...) and per region (EU vs international)
- Involvement of more stakeholders (local authorities, companies, etc.) and local ecosystem

### Guidance
- More EU project management training for staff
- Peer groups to exchange experiences or mentoring systems for "expert" HEI to accompany less experienced ones
- Dedicated staff to write the projects

### Recognition, Dissemination and Valorisation
- Involved staff: The activity of academic staff should be more considered in academic recognition and career evaluation
- Project results: Specific communication about project results involving also peers PM
- A long-term vision, to guarantee the sustainability and the continuity of the projects through the request for funds in subsequent calls
- Knowledge, technology and results transfer via a dedicated unit / service connecting to stakeholders / civil society (impact hub)
Resources:

- Feedback form Nice Polytech Nice Sophia Combining, Pr. Philippe Gourbesville, Erasmus+ actions for broader international cooperation: [https://youtu.be/82YoORTtU2A](https://youtu.be/82YoORTtU2A)

- Feedback from AgroParistech, Pr. Stéphanie Baumberger, Links between the Zelcor research project (H2020), and the Erasmus Mundus Bioceb Master Course: [https://youtu.be/EdY48vySF5Q](https://youtu.be/EdY48vySF5Q)

- Report from the Erasmus French Agency, Compendium of international cooperation projects 2019 _ Projects examples presenting synergy are translated into English: contact mathilde.begrand@agence-erasmus.fr