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Kick-off seminar NORPART 2016



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The NORPART 2016 application round

- 114 eligible applications submitted
- Total amount applied for: appx. NOK 550 million
- 21 applications supported
- Appx. NOK 97 million
- 18 % success rate

The project portfolio – partner countries

- **Latin America:** Nicaragua, Guatemala
- **Africa:** Ethiopia, Zambia, Ghana, Tanzania, Mozambique, Cameroon, Kenya
- **Asia:** Vietnam, Sri Lanka, Myanmar, Bangladesh

The project portfolio – disciplines

- Public health & Medicine x 4
- Education sciences x 3
- Engineering x 3
- Information technology x 3
- Biology & Ecology x 2
- Political science x 2
- Agriculture
- Anthropology
- Media/journalism
- Theology



Aim

- NORPART will support close academic cooperation and mutual student mobility between higher education institutions in Norway and the partner countries, based on common academic interests and strategic priorities of the institutions.
- The *overall aim* of NORPART is to enhance the quality of higher education in Norway and developing countries through academic cooperation and mutual student mobility.



Objectives

The programme shall lead to:

- Strengthened partnerships for education and research between developing countries and Norway
- Increased quality and internationalisation of academic programmes at participating institutions
- Increased mobility of students from developing countries to Norway, including mobility in connection with work placements
- Increased mobility of students from Norway to developing countries, including mobility in connection with work placements



Expected results – at a glance

- Student and staff mobility:
 - Approximately 550 incoming master and PhD students from partner countries – long term
 - Approximately 175 outgoing master and PhD students from Norway – long term
 - Staff mobility for guest lectures, supervision of master and PhD students

Expected results – at a glance

- Quality enhancement and capacity building through:
 - Jointly developed Master or PhD degrees
 - Jointly developed Master or PhD courses
 - Joint intensive courses, field courses and summer schools
 - Joint review and development of curricula
 - Agreements to facilitate credit transfer, recognition of courses
 - Online education tools, textbooks, translations