# EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY NETWORKS (EUN)

### **National Initiative**



#### **Vision of FORTHEM**

The main objectives of the FORTHEM Transnational Higher Education Strategy are the establishment of common management and administrative structures, the development of a common campus, physical, virtual and mixed mobility for all university members, and the promotion of multilingualism. At the same time, the alliance aims to tackle social challenges, to increase media literacy and critical thinking, and to promote actions and events for the community together with social, political and economic actors and organisations.

By creating the FORTHEM Labs, the Alliance is pursuing an innovative research

approach. The Labs consist of university staff, students, the public and representatives of the private sector. They work towards answering questions related to social issues of European relevance for the future such as diversity and migration, experiencing Europe, multilingualism and digital transformation.

The FORTHEM Digital Academy offers extensive online language learning opportunities, subject-specific MOOCs and training modules for students and staff. Projects with local schools, the promotion of volunteer work and an internship network encourage cooperation with non-university stakeholders.

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#### **FORTHEM**

FOSTERING OUTREACH WITHIN EUROPEANS REGIONS, TRANSNATIONAL HIGHER EDUCATION AND MOBILITY

Transnational Higher Education Strategy • FORTHEM Labs • FORTHEM Digital Academy • Innovative means of mobility • Bringing Europe in our classrooms

ACCOMPANYING NATIONAL PROGRAMME

## Priorities and Project Activities

- The ,FORTHEM Lab Multipliers' will be located decentrally in seven different subjects in order to make FORTHEM more visible campuswide and among stakeholders in the region, to anchor it more broadly, to promote the systematic expansion of the diversity of academic topics and to increase the number of students and researchers involved.
- The Network of Student Representatives is of central importance to make the idea of the European University visible among our students.
- A Summer School for Entrepreneurship
   offers students from partner universities
   the opportunity to acquire entrepreneurial
   thinking and acting in an international context
   and to develop their own sustainable business
   ideas in interdisciplinary teams.
- For the implementation of Erasmus Without Papers, the introduction of the European Student Card and a digital student data portability, JGU organises a working meeting with the relevant departments of the partner universities.



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