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Fighting for students' rights since 1982



Perspectives and expectations of Students in Higher Education

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The European Students' Union (ESU) is the umbrella organisation of 46 National Unions of Students (NUS) from 39 countries. The aim of ESU is to represent and promote the educational, social, economic and cultural interests of students at the European level towards all relevant bodies and in particular the European Union, Bologna Follow Up Group, Council of Europe and UNESCO. Through its members, ESU represents around 15 million students in Europe.

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Disposition



- 1. What do we want?**
- 2. When do we want it?**
- 3. ...How?**

1

What do we
want?

What do we
want?

FUND
OUR
FUTURE

Equal educational and social opportunities in an open and democratic Europe where students shape a sustainable future

In the learning experience



“ I only want the diploma so that I can start working”

In the learning experience



- **Multiple purposes**
- **Student Centred Learning**
 - **Co- creation**
- **Activate me!**

2

When do we
want it?

When do we
want it?

Now!



If our expectations would have been meet...

3

...How?



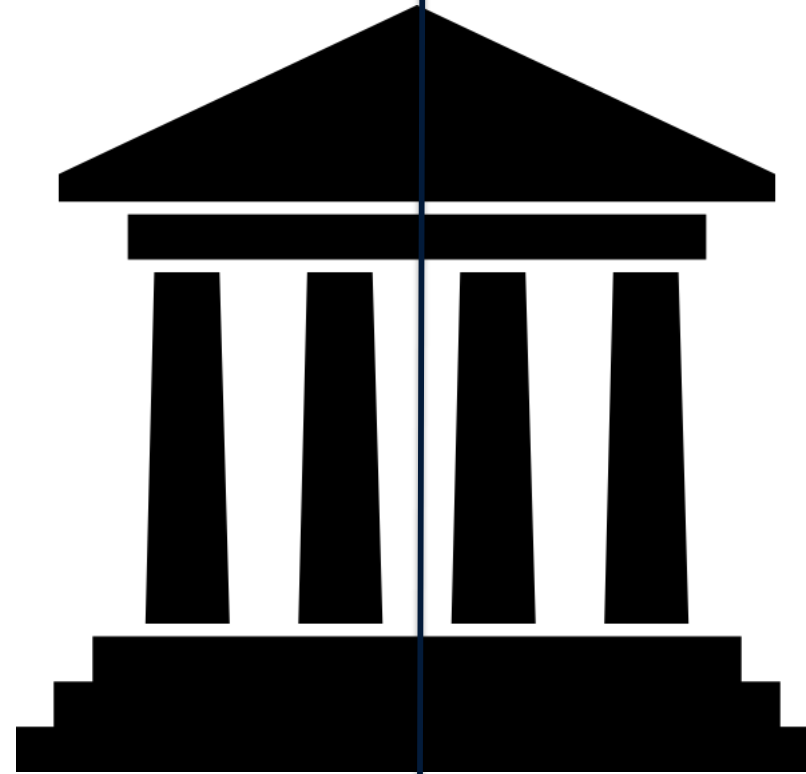
Public responsibility



The government



Taxes



Academic
freedom

Support
system(s)

Program supply
& design

Higher Education Institutions



- ✓ Pedagogical development
- ✓ New methods and tools
- ✓ Co-creation



The Students



- ✓ Ready to learn
- ✓ Active citizen
- ✓ Willingness to be a part of the greater knowledge society



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But, can a critical mind ever be satisfied?

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