## CRITHINKEDU

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CRITHINKEDU is an opportunity to foster dialogue in **Critical Thinking (CT)** among relevant actors in a joint industry-university forum, with continuous effort to align learning outcomes with real world challenges.

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Critical Thinking Across the European Higher Education Curricula

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## AIMS

- Align CT learning outcomes with the current societal challenges and labour market needs.
  - Propose **guidelines and instructional approaches** to CT education across Higher Education Institutions (HEI).
- Deliver a set of recommendations and educational strategies for teaching CT.
- Propose quality assurance criteria for CT education across universities.
- Create a European network to share best practices and research on CT education.



## ACTIVITIES ANDOUTPUTS

- European collection of CT skills needed in different professional sectors.
- **European review of the different CT educational practices** developed by the European HEI.
- **Training course on CT education** for professional development of teachers and trainers.
- Proposal of **European guidelines for quality assurance criteria** in CT education across HEI.
- The "European Day for CT education" – a pitch bootcamp with partners, faculty teaching, students, business corporations and NGOs.
- The "European Meeting on CT education for 21st century challenges" – with European experts, researchers, partners, business corporations and NGOs.
- Special Issue on "CT education in HEI curricula for 21st century challenges".

## TARGETS AND BENEFICIARIES

- Higher Education Institutions.
- Faculty Teachers.
- Higher Education Students.
- Companies and Employers.
- NGOs.



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