



A guiding principle in deciding who to partner with is common research interests, which provide the foundation for a range of collaborative activities. It is important that both institutions have a clear view of the purpose and outcomes of the partnership. We know from experience that the most sustainable, successful and balanced partnerships are those with multiple outcomes such as cooperation on research

During the next period of the mobility programme, we will seek to increase participation by students from under-represented groups. We recognise that a strong commitment to equal opportunities may not be sufficient to make this a reality. We will therefore focus on increasing the number of incoming and outgoing mobilities, particularly to European institutions. This will be facilitated by improved coherence of activities and the role of the mobility coordinator, including activities that take place pre and post mobility.

#### **Expected impact of Brunel University's participation in the Programme**