# **PROJECT INFORMATION**

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# KNOWLEDGE DEVELOPMENT FOR CIRCULAR ECONOMY TRANSITION

Creating Digital Centre of Excellence In Universities In Asian Emerging Markets (India And Thailand)

#### INTRODUCTION

This Erasmus+ funded EU project will study the sustainability and circular economy status quo of the India and Thailand. This knowledge and insight will be leveraged into creating digital sustainability and circular economy' knowledge based capacity building centres at the four partner higher education institutions (HEI's) in India and Thailand. These centres will support the development and dissemination of knowledge in circular economy and sustainable development in the project partner universities.

## KODECET MAIN TARGET GROUPS

- Faculty, students and alumni of partner HEIs
- Students of peer HEIs outside the consortium
- Employers and business partners
- Local communities, and minorities
- Private industry and business professionals
- Public stakeholders at national and regional levels
- Other organizations engaged in activities related to sustainability and circular economy practices

#### GOALS

- Promote sustainability and circular economy education at HEIs in India and Thailand.
- Enhance university-business cooperation for the development of new sustainable and circular economy practices.
- Create learning and networking opportunities for students and enhance the sustainable development quotient and employability of graduates on a long-term basis.
- Build national and international capabilities in higher education institutions in countries with limited access to international cooperation in research and capacity building.

# PARTNER INSTITUTIONS



### **KEY ACTIVITIES**

- 1. Identify the efforts that are being made to promote sustainability and circular economy in India and Thailand.
- 2. Deliver capacity building training in sustainability and circular economy conception and education within the global and national context.
- 3. Develop innovative content and training programs to support the delivery of online courses and programs by partner HEIs.
- 4. Operate 4 Digital Sustainability Teaching and Learning Centres (DIGSUSTEACH) with diverse educational service portfolios to apply the learned knowledge and technical innovations at partner HEIs.
- 5. Develop and implement a Student Hacka-DIGSUSTEACH in Sustainability and Circular Economy Development at both the national and international level.
- 6. Disseminate the project outcomes through a network of higher education, business partners and service providers among the project partner countries and regions.