Jean Monnet at the University of Ss. Cyril and Methodius in Trnava

Trnava

- Western Slovakia
- 45 km from Capital City Bratislava
- Excellent connection to Vienna, Prague, Budapest, etc.

Trnava

- **It was the first** privileged **royal town** in Slovakia.
- **The 7th biggest town** in Slovakia with a population of over 65 000 people.
- It is a beautiful **old** town full of attractive **historical and religious sites**.

UCM History

- **Established 1st August 1997**
- 2022 celebrating a **quarter of a century**
- **A young** and **dynamic** university
- With **25 years** of existence/tradition
- **The biggest** university in Trnava

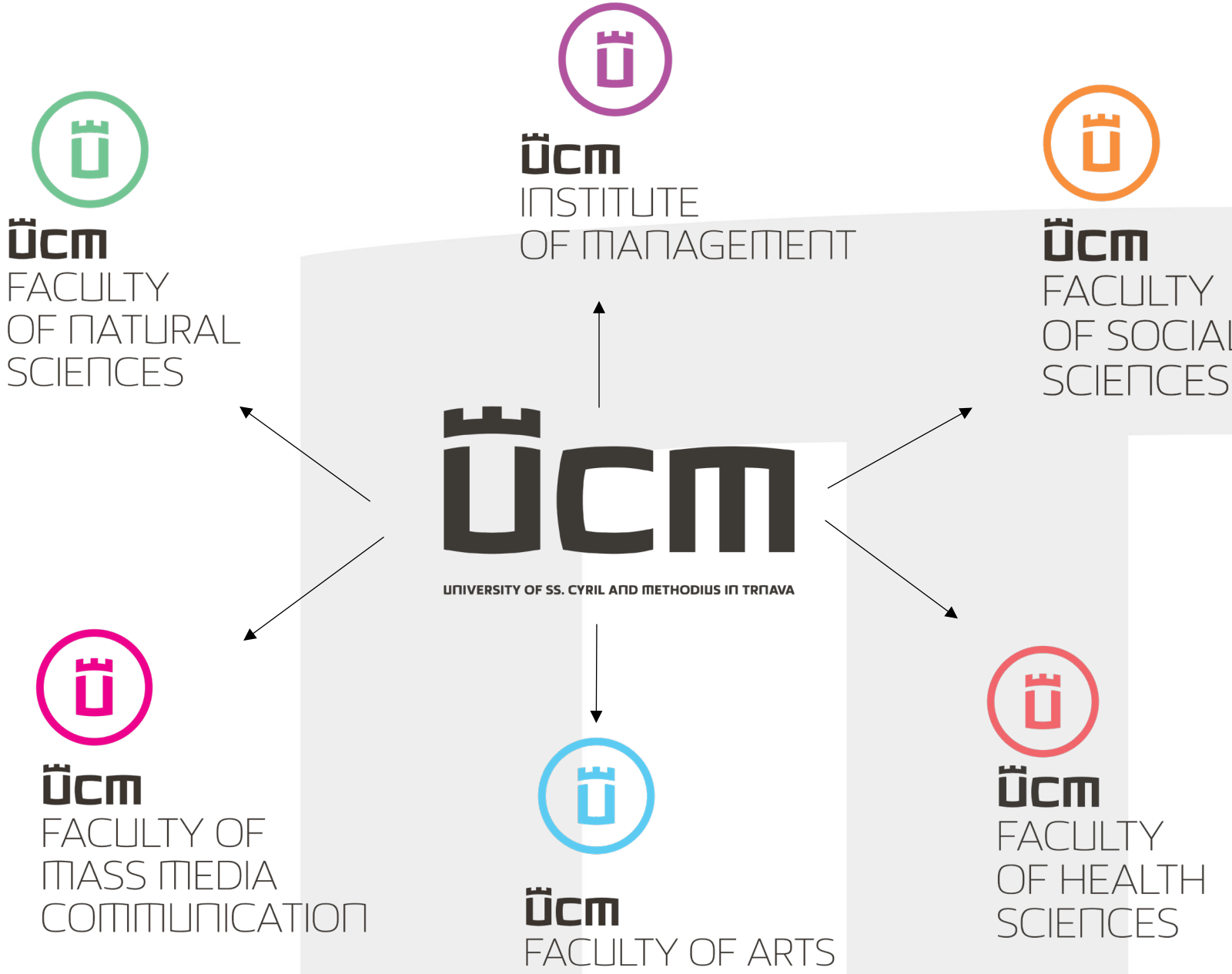
Present

146
Number of accredited study programs

5520
Number of students

17
Number of accredited PhD. programs

29,793
Number of graduates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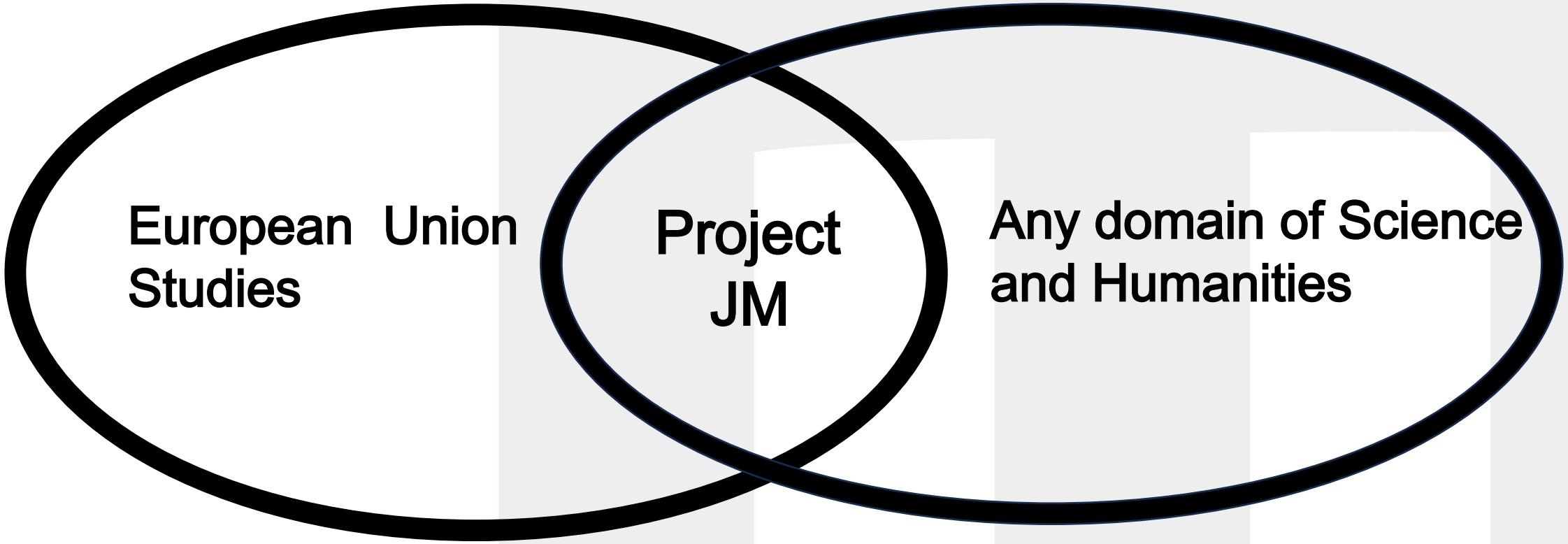
History of submissions

- 2015: Chair: Migration: The Challenge for Europe
- **2016: Chair: Migration: The Challenge of European States**
- 2016: Modul: Slovakia in the process of Europeanization
- 2017: Modul: Slovakia in the process of Europeanization
- 2019: Modul: European Project Management
- 2018: Modul: Participatory Budgeting as a tool for activating civil society
- 2019: Network: International Consortia on Youth Empowerment in Europe and Beyond
- **2022: Modul: LEADER: Local Leader in the Context of the Concept of "Smart Cities" through the optics of the European Union**
- **2022: Centre of Excellence: ECCE: The European Centre of Citizenship Excellence**

What is important …..

- Promote teaching and research in European studies
- Foster dialogue between the academic world and policymakers
- Generate knowledge and insights in support of EU policy-making and strengthen the role of the EU all over the world
- Reach out to a wider public and spread knowledge about the EU to the wider society

Subject areas



Don‘t forget

- activities and events that shall ensure openness to policymakers, civil servants, civil society, and the general public

- reaching out to groups **outside** the higher education institutions

Active projects

- Modul: **LEADER: Local Leader in the Context of the Concept of “Smart Cities” through the optics of the European Union**

- Centre of Excellence: **ECCE: The European Centre of Citizenship Excellence**

The European Centre of Citizenship Excellence

The main goal:

- to strengthen the competencies of young people in the field of European democracy through supporting their secondary school learning in the EU and democracy issues.

The European Centre of Citizenship Excellence

The secondary goals:

- to establish the European Centre for Civic Excellence providing specialized education, training, and tutorship in issues of democracy and politics for secondary school teachers
- dissemination and transfer of scientific research activities to the secondary school environment
- improving the quality of the educational processes at universities by obtaining data from surveys
- contribution to raising the public awareness of political processes through the “peer attitude” of the students influencing their close surrounding

The European Centre of Citizenship Excellence

Main activities:

- EU/politics-focused lectures for secondary school teachers by the ECCE team,
- practical workshops for secondary school teachers,
- preparation of model lessons for secondary school teachers,
- discussions and debates within the Film Club for secondary school teachers and their students,
- preparing the students for the nation-wide European Union Olympiad
- organizing the nationwide European Union Olympiad.

LEADER: Local Leader in the Context of the Concept of „Smart Cities“ through the Optics of the European Union

The main goal:

- train experts in European public administration and thus future leaders capable of policymaking in European institutions, public administration, management and consultancy.

LEADER: Local Leader in the Context of the Concept of „Smart Cities“ through the Optics of the European Union

Focuses:

- to promote excellence in teaching and research in the field of European Union studies and Public Administration studies.
- strengthen direct dialogue between academia and society, including local and national policymakers, civil servants, civil society actors, and the media,
- ensure the generation of knowledge and expertise that can support EU policy-making and strengthen the EU's role in Europe and a globalized world,
- to reach out to the general public and to spread knowledge about the EU to a wider audience (beyond academic and professional audiences), thus bringing the EU closer to the public,

LEADER: Local Leader in the Context of the Concept of „Smart Cities“ through the Optics of the European Union

Main activities:

- Educational Modul consists of courses & events:
  - lectures with experts from academia and beyond,
  - summer school „European Leader of 21st century“

Project preparation

- Meaningful Idea
- Project meeting - discussion – connection with institutional activities
- Writing proposal – connection with Jean Monnet's goals
- Clarification
- Terminology (watch your language)
- 6 weeks of intensive work

Q&A ...

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