

ITC and NNC Country Table

ITCs - EU Member States	ITC - EU Outermost Regions	ITC - Not EU Member States	NNC
Bulgaria	French Guiana	Albania	Algeria
Croatia	Guadeloupe	Armenia	Azerbaijan
Cyprus	Martinique	Bosnia and Herzegovina	Egypt
Czech Republic	Mayotte	Georgia	the Faroe Islands
Estonia	Reunion Island and Saint-Martin (France)	Moldova	Jordan
Greece	Azores and Madeira (Portugal)	Montenegro	Kosovo ²
Hungary ¹	The Canary Islands (Spain)	North Macedonia	Lebanon
Latvia		Serbia	Libya
Lithuania		Türkiye	Morocco
Malta		Ukraine	Palestine ³
Poland			Syria
Portugal			Tunisia
Romania			
Slovakia and Slovenia			

1. Following the CSO decision of the 16 October 2023, considering the new guidance from the European Commission, as of 1 November 2023 until further notice, individuals from universities maintained by public interest trusts established under Hungarian Act IX of 2021 and concerned by the Council Implementation Decision 2022/2056 (see entities listed in Annex I of the Hungarian Act IX of 2021) are allowed to participate in COST activities without receiving financial support from the COST Association (either grants or via reimbursements). Individuals from the flagged institutions can apply to get funded via the Guarantee Fund established by the Hungarian government. A non-exhaustive list of the affected Hungarian legal entities is available at <<https://www.cost.eu/uploads/2023/07/List-of-institutions-affected-by-Council-Implementing-Decision-2022-2056.pdf>>.

2. This designation is without prejudice to positions on status and is in line with UNSCR 1244/1999 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo declaration of independence.

3. This designation shall not be construed as recognition of a State of Palestine and is without prejudice to the individual positions of the Member States on this issue.