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EUTOPIA is a challenge-led, student-shaped, knowledge-driven alliance of entrepreneurial, change-focused universities.

The alliance is formed by a core group of like-minded universities who, together with our partners and collaborators, are responding to the external changes of society through transforming our institutions to address the challenges of the future. Change is not simply the output from our alliance, but the driving force that brings us together.

We will be:

• Geared towards the challenges of the future
• Student-centred
• Open to the diversity of Europe’s regions
• Committed to the principles of openness and inclusion

The EUTOPIA Alliance unites over:

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The EUTOPIA alliance’s strategic direction is outlined in the following areas of focus:

• Education – an open learning community, which is co-created in partnership with students and non-academic partners.
• Knowledge – to promote an integrated, challenge driven, knowledge-creation community among the EUTOPIA institutions.
• Place-Making – to address global challenges from a local level through the promotion of inclusive growth and innovation.
• Inclusion – to extend the concept of open and inclusive education, innovate and modernise education and training, and provide 21st century skills and competencies in all of Europe’s regions.
• International – we have a core academic, socio-cultural, political and economic intention to be always open to the world.
• Management – an open and inclusive structure with an adaptive, collaborative, multi-level governance model.

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