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HIGHLIGHTS 2019



THE EIB INSTITUTE

Within the EIB Group (European Investment Bank and European Investment Fund) the EIB Institute promotes and supports academic, cultural and social initiatives with European stakeholders and the public at large. It is a key pillar of the EIB Group's community and citizenship engagement.

PROMOTING DIVERSITY AND SOCIAL COHESION

HeHop (France), Jelly Drops (UK), Fazla Gida (Turkey) and Zouri Shoes (Portugal) were the winners of the  Social Innovation Tournament

which took place on 24 October in Dublin, Ireland.

165 social entrepreneurs from **27** countries participated.

Initiatives like SITolarships and the Investors' Fair at the  Annual Conference, **helped SIT Alumni scale their impact.**



Following cyclone IDAI in Southern Africa, **we provided funds to 9 NGOs** to support **humanitarian relief efforts** in Mozambique, Zimbabwe and Malawi.

Making fashion, food and tourism sustainable

was the topic of the 5th edition of the October Days for Sustainable Development, hosted at the EIB,



the Institute-powered Regional Social Innovation Incubator in northern Portugal has supported **26 start-ups** and is developing **the regional social innovation ecosystem.**



We supported microfinance events and initiatives

in cooperation with:



We launched a **new financial education project** in Greece with **act:onaid** Hellas and a new "Museum on wheels" began touring southern Italy.

ENHANCING KNOWLEDGE



The second EIB Summer School brought together **70** participants from **7** universities.



We signed a cooperation agreement



New **EIBURS 3-year research grants** went



4 student consultancy projects (capstones)

were carried out with



We organised courses in **8** universities.



6 other universities benefited from **1-year research grants (STAREBEI)**.



22 professionals from **17** non-European countries graduated from the 4th edition of **the Certificate in Law and Regulation of Inclusive Finance**



ARTS & CULTURE: BOOSTING TALENT



Artists Development
Programme

Pamela Diamante (Italy),
Darta Sidere (Latvia), Karel
Koplimets (Estonia) and
Mark McGuinness (Ireland) were the laureates of
the 2019 edition of the Artists Development
Programme, a residency scheme in Luxembourg
for budding artists, mentored by Jorma Puranen.



Behind the Lens, the yearly
staff photo competition,
celebrated its 10th anniversary
with **371 photographs**
submitted.



**300 staff members
and families** joined
cultural outings to
Metz (Pompidou Centre) and
the Verdun battlefields.

Following the fire at Notre-
Dame de Paris we reinforced
our **support for the**
7 Most Endangered
programme with



The Fisherman, Rocío Martín Frías

With  **TUNISIA88**

we brought **musical
education to 20 000
high school students**
in Tunisia.

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All we need is Urban Revival, Marcus Schluechter