

## EQUALITY,

# INCLUSION FOR RESEARCH ENHANCEMENT IN BIH 

## EDIRE

is a collaborative project aimed at boosting research capacity and promoting Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion in higher education in Bosnia and Herzegovina. The project will help establish a new Sarajevo School of Science and Technology Research Management Unit and introduce new directions of research through interdisciplinary knowledge-sharing and joint projects with renowned research institutions in Europe.

## MISSION OF THE PROJECT

The mission of the EDIRE project is to establish a networking collaboration between the University Sarajevo School of Science and Technology (SSST) and four renowned research institutions in France, Italy, Ireland, and Spain, with the goal of enhancing the research capacity of SSST, especially in the field of Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI). The project aims to introduce new directions of research in EDI at SSST and increase its research profile, with a focus on interdisciplinarity, capacity building, participatory approach, inclusivity, sustainability, and far-reaching methods for communication and engagement. The project will organise joint training and research paths, bilateral meetings, conferences, and summer schools, leading to new research opportunities and joint research projects.

## EQUALITY:

The aspect of any issue related to equality, such as sex, gender, age, race, ethnicity, disability, socio-economic background, sexual orientation or gender identity.

## DIVERSITY:

Differences in the values, attitudes, cultural perspectives, beliefs, ethnic background, sexual orientation, gender identity, skills, knowledge, and life experiences of each individual in any group of people.

## INCLUSION:

The aspect of embracing all individuals and enabling them to make meaningful contributions.

