Name of the project
East –East Double Degrees

Coordinating Institution
Savonia University of Applied Sciences

Objectives of the project (as indicated in the project proposal)
The main objectives were:
- Development of new courses and modules in English language in Chinese universities.
- Active exchange of staff and students between participating Finnish and Chinese universities.
- Model to double degrees.
- The acceptance of developed studies between partner universities during the student exchanges
- The increase of cultural knowledge of China and Finland

Achieved results and outcomes
Double degree model in doctoral studies.
New courses in English in Chinese universities
The acceptance of studies between partner universities.
105 exchanges from China to Finland and from Finland to China among staff members and students during the project
A network of companies, universities and other organizations in China
Possibilities for new project in China through the network and active contacts with Chinese universities

Activities carried out during the project
Curriculum and course planning and development in participating universities in China and Finland
Staff exchanges and training visits and student exchanges in Doctoral, Master and Bachelor level
Work placements for students
Delivery of best practices between partners
Benchmarking visits
Future developments

Planning and development of new courses in new study fields.
Development and research projects between Chinese and Finnish Universities
Support for educational reform in China in the process of making certain partner universities to practical universities according to the model of Finnish universities of Applied Sciences

Other remarks

Shanghai Pudong and Kuopio are twin cities and the networking of universities, companies, science parks and other organisations do active cooperation in education, training, research and business.