



Erasmus+ Programme

Key Action 1
- Mobility for learners and staff -
Higher Education Student and Staff Mobility

Inter-institutional agreement 2014-2021 between programme countries

The institutions named below agree to cooperate for the exchange of students and/or staff in the context of the Erasmus+ programme. They commit to respect the quality requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education in all aspects related to the organisation and management of the mobility, in particular the recognition of the credits awarded to students by the partner institution.

A. Information about higher education institutions

Name of the institution (and department, where relevant)	Erasmus code	Contact details (email, phone)	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
Yıldız Technical University	TR ISTANBU07	<u>Institutional:</u> Assoc.Prof.Dr. Bayram Ali Ersoy (Institutional Erasmus Coordinator) Tel: +90 212 383 2069 E-mail: erasmus@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/
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B. Mobility numbers per academic year

[Paragraph to be added, if the agreement is signed for more than one academic year:

The partners commit to amend the table below in case of changes in the mobility data by no later than the end of January in the preceding academic year.]

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code [ISCED]	Subject area name	Study cycle [short cycle, 1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd]	Number of student mobility periods Student Mobility for Studies Student Mobility for Traineeships [total number of months of the study periods or average duration*]	
TR ISTANBU 07	P COIMBRA 01	0531	Chemist ry	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	2 x 6 months each	Only by individual agreement
P COIMBRA 01	TR ISTANBU 07	0531	Chemist ry	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	2 x 6 months each	Only by individual agreement

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code [ISCED]	Subject area name	Number of staff mobility periods	
				Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration *]	Staff Mobility for Training
TR ISTANBU 07	P COIMBRA0 1	0531	Chemistry	5	5
P COIMBRA0 1	TR ISTANBU07	0531	Chemistry		

C. Recommended language skills

The sending institution, following agreement with the receiving institution, is responsible for providing support to its nominated candidates so that they can have the recommended language skills at the start of the study or teaching period:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Optional: Subject area	Language of instruction 1	Language of instruction 2	Recommended language of instruction level ¹	
				Student Mobility for Studies [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level: B2]
TR ISTANBU07		English		B1	B2
P COIMBRA01		Portuguese	English	A2 (minimum), B1 (recommended.)	B2 (min.)

For more details on the language of instruction recommendations, see the course catalogue of each institution [Links provided on the first page].

D. Additional requirements

TR ISTANBU07:

¹ For an easier and consistent understanding of language requirements, use of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) is recommended, see <http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/european-language-levels-cefr>

P COIMBRA01:

Master students need to send a bachelor certificate OR a transcript of records with 180 ECTS credits to the Student Exchange Office.

PhD students need to send a master certificate to the Student Exchange Office. PhD students will only receive ECTS credits if they complete courses at the host institution. Therefore, they will not receive any ECTS credits from the host institution for PhD-related research they undertake. The home institution is responsible for accrediting PhD students with ECTS credits for research completed at the host institution.

It is not possible for students to hand-in their final BA-/MA-/PhD-thesis at the host institution. Final theses need to be graded by the home institution.

The University of Coimbra offers counseling for students with disabilities and chronic diseases. We assist with finding suitable accommodation (wheelchair users are advised to apply for accommodation as early as possible), we provide information about public transport, access to health care, and about financial support in case of additional disability expenditure on the part of the student. The Office for Students with Special Needs moreover gives information concerning the accessibility of university buildings and helps to move a class to another room, if needed. Accommodated study and exam conditions, e.g. additional study papers for blind and visually impaired students, or extra time to use technical devices during exams can also be arranged.

Contact: **Support for Students with Special Educational Needs**

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http://www.uc.pt/en/sasuc/Quick_search/Integration_Counselling/nee

E. Calendar

1. Applications/information on nominated students must reach the receiving institution by:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
TR ISTANBU07	Online Application Period 15 th May-15 th July	Online Application Period 15 th October-15 th December
P COIMBRA01	June, 1st	November 1st

2. The receiving institution will send its decision within [4] weeks.
3. A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than [4] weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI. *[It should normally not exceed five weeks according to the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education guidelines]*
4. Termination of the agreement

[It is up to the involved institutions to agree on the procedure for modifying or terminating the inter-institutional agreement. However, in the event of unilateral termination, a notice of at least one academic year should be given. This means that

a unilateral decision to discontinue the exchanges notified to the other party by 1 September 20XX will only take effect as of 1 September 20XX+1. The termination clauses must include the following disclaimer: "Neither the European Commission nor the National Agencies can be held responsible in case of a conflict."]

F. Information

1. Grading systems of the institutions

TR ISTANBU07:

<http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/index.php?r=institution/grading>

- **P COIMBRA01:** http://www.uc.pt/en/ects/info_inst/sg-ma/

2. Visa

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outbound mobile participants, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

Information and assistance can be provided by the following contact points and information sources:

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.konsolosluk.gov.tr/tr/en/start.aspx
P COIMBRA01	dr.intstudy@uc.pt	http://www.uc.pt/en/dnuc/mobilidade/ac/

3. Insurance

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance in obtaining insurance for incoming and outbound mobile participants, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

The receiving institution will inform mobile participants of cases in which insurance cover is not automatically provided. Information and assistance can be provided by the following contact points and information sources:

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.sgk.gov.tr/wps/portal/en?CSRT=15758577449206964749
P COIMBRA01	dr.intstudy@uc.pt	http://www.uc.pt/en/ects/info_caracter_geral/


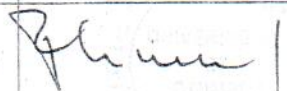
4. Housing

The receiving institution will guide incoming mobile participants in finding accommodation, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

Information and assistance can be provided by the following persons and information sources:

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/index.php?r=infoforstudents/accommodation
P COIMBRA01	Núcleo de Alojamentos Tel.: +351 239 101 282 E-mail: alojamentos@sas.uc.pt	www.uc.pt/go/accommodation

G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature²
TR ISTANBU07	Assoc.Prof.Dr. Bayram Ali Ersoy <i>Institutional Erasmus Coordinator</i>		 YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY Since 1911
P COIMBRA01	Filomena Marques de Carvalho ERASMUS Institutional Coordinator	06.01.2014	

² Scanned signatures are accepted