

Erasmus+ Programme

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

Inter-institutional agreement 2014/15-2020/21 between programme countries

Minimum requirements

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	Erasmus code	Contact details	Website
(and department, where relevant)		(email, phone)	(e.g. of the course catalogue)
Universidade de Évora	P EVORA01	Prof ^a Hermínia Vilar – ERASMUS Institutional Coordinator	www.uevora.pt
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B. Mobility numbers per 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.

Student Mobility (SMS)

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasm us code of the receivi ng institut ion]	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 [total number of months of the study periods or average duration]
P EVORA01		2.1	Architectur e	1 st (Bachelor), 2 nd (Master), 3 rd (PhD)	2 students for bachelor 2 students for master 2 students for doctorate , each for 5 months
TR ISTANBU 07		2.1	Architectur e	1 st (Bachelor), 2 nd (Master), 3 rd (PhD)	2 students for bachelor 2 students for master 2 students for doctorate , each for 5 months

FROM Erasmus code	TO	Subjec t årea	Subject area name *	Number of staff mobility periods		
of the sending institution]	of the receiving institution]	code * [ISCED]		Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration*]	Staff Mobility for Training *	
P EVORA 01				1 * 5 days		
TR ISTANBU 07				1 * 5 days		

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 Optional: institution Subject area	Language of instruc- tion 1	Language of instruc- tion 2	Recommended language of instruction level ¹		
[Erasmus code]		A.		Student Mobility for Studies	Staff Mobility for Teaching
				[Minimum recommended level: B1]	[Minimum recommended level: B2]
P EVORA01		Portuguese	English	B1	
TR ISTANBU 07	9.34	Turkish	English	B1	

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

P EVORA01:

- Master students it's required to send a bachelor certificate OR a transcript of records with 180 ECTS credits to
 the Mobility and International Relations Office. All master programs are successive master programs at P
 EVORA O1. A following master's program builds on a previously completed bachelor's program in the same
 field of studies.
- It's also required to PhD students to send a master certificate to the Mobility and International Relations 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.
- Univeristy of Évora 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.

Contacts - email: dmri@uevora.pt telephone: +351 266 760242

For the implementation of STA/STT-mobilities, a letter of invitation – issued by the University of Évora – contact person – is required.

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

E. Calendar

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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
P EVORA01	July, 15th	November, 15th
TR ISTANBU 07	1 September	1 February

[* to be adapted in case of a trimester system]

P EVORA01:

Partner institutions should send nominations by email to dmri@uevora.pt

2. The receiving institution will send its decision within 4 weeks.

Transcript of Records

A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than 5 weeks after the end of the exchange period given that the transcript form and all relevant course work has been graded.

Termination of the agreement

The inter-institutional agreement may be amended by mutual agreement. The inter-institutional agreement may be terminated by either party. In the event of unilateral termination, a notice of at least one academic year should be given. In the event of such notice being given, all existing commitments to staff or students will be fulfilled. 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

P EVORA01:

ECTS Credits: University of Évora uses the *European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System* (ECTS) which is a workload-based system for measuring and comparing study results. The student is awarded a certain number of ECTS credits for each course which reflects the workload necessary to successfully complete a course.

Credits are awarded only when the student has fulfilled the course requirements, for example regular attendance. The credits are allocated by the individual departments in accordance with the standard workload determined by the respective study and examination regulations whereby one credit equals 26 hours of study.

GRADES:

ECTS classification	E	D	С	В	А
Portuguese definition	Sufficient	Satisfactory	Good	Very Good	Excellent
Portuguese grade (10-20)	10-11	12-13	14-15	16-17	18-20

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	
P EVORA01	Mobility and International Relations Office Email: dmri@uevora.pt	http://www.ip.uevora.pt/en	
TR ISTANBU 07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.konsolosluk.gov.tr/tr/en/st art.aspx	

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
P EVORA01	Mobility and International Relations Office Email: dmri@uevora.pt	www.estudar.uevora.pt > apoio ao estudante > seguro escolar
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.ed u.tr	http://www.sgk.gov.tr/wps/portal/en?CSRT=157585 77449206964749

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
P EVORA01	Mobility and International Relations Office Email: dmri@uevora.pt	http://www.ip.uevora.pt/en
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/index.php?r=infoforstudents/

G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature ²
P EVORA01	Legal Representative: Rector of Universidade de Évora, Prof. Carlos Braumann		Lorder Duran
TR ISTANBU07	Assoc.Prof.Dr. Bayram Ali Ersoy Institutional Erasmus Coordinator		Hill Maria

² Scanned signatures are accepted