



Erasmus+ Programme

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

Inter-institutional agreement 2016-2021 between programme countries

[Minimum requirements]¹

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 ² (email, phone)	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
Universitatea 'Politehnica' din Bucuresti (UPB)	RO BUCURES1 1	ERASMUS Institutional Coordinator: Prof. dr. ing. Mircea EREMIA, University POLITEHNICA of Bucharest, Erasmus Office, R401, 313 Splaiul Independentei, Bucharest, RO-060042, ROMANIA Email: erasmus@upb.ro Tel. +40 21 4029284 Fax. +40 21 3181028 Faculty Coordinator: Prof. dr. ing. Irina SEVERIN, University POLITEHNICA of Bucharest, Faculty of Engineering & Management of Technological Systems,	www.upb.ro http://imst.pub.ro/index.php/en/ Courses catalogue : http://imst.pub.ro/index.php/en/studenti/mobilitati

¹Clauses may be added to this template agreement to better reflect the nature of the institutional partnership.

²Contact details to reach the senior officer in charge of this agreement and of its possible updates.

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Yildiz Technical University	TR ISTANBU07	Institutional: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Bayram Ali Ersoy (<i>Institutional Erasmus Coordinator</i>) Tel: +90 212 383 2069 E-mail: erasmus@yildiz.edu.tr Departmental: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Mehmet Güray Güler (<i>Departmental Erasmus Coordinator</i>) Tel: +90 212 383 2747 E-mail: mgguler@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/

B. Mobility numbers³ 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 (sum)	
					Student Mobility for Studies [total number of months of the study periods or average duration*]	Student Mobility for Traineeships *
RO BUCURES11	TR ISTANBU07	071	Engineering and Engineering Trades	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	3 students * 10 months/student = 30 months	Only by individual agreement
TR ISTANBU07	RO BUCURES11	071	Engineering and Engineering Trades	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	3 students * 10 months/student = 30 months	Only by individual agreement

³ Mobility numbers can be given per sending/receiving institutions and per education field (optional*):
<http://www.uis.unesco.org/Education/Pages/international-standard-classification-of-education.aspx>

[*Optional: subject area code & name and study cycle are optional. Inter-institutional agreements are not compulsory for Student Mobility for Traineeships or Staff Mobility for Training. Institutions may agree to cooperate on the organisation of traineeship; in this case they should indicate the number of students that they intend to send to the partner country. Total duration in months/days of the student/staff mobility periods or average duration can be indicated if relevant.]

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	Subject area code * [ISCED]	Subject area name *	Number of staff mobility/ periods (sum)		
			Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number staff and of days of teaching periods or average duration*]	Staff Mobility for Training *	
RO BUCURES11	TR ISTANBU07	071	Engineering and Engineering Trades	2 staff * 10 days/staff = 20 days	2 staff * 10 days/staff = 20 days
TR ISTANBU07	RO BUCURES11	071	Engineering and Engineering Trades	2 staff * 10 days/staff = 20 days	2 staff * 10 days/staff = 20 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 institution [Erasmus code]	Optional : Subject area	Language of instruction 1	Language of instruction 2	Recommended language of instruction level ⁴	
				Student Mobility for Studies [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level: B2]
RO BUCURES11		English	French	B2	B2
TR ISTANBU07		English		B1	B2

For more details on the language of instruction recommendations, see the course catalogue of each institution

⁴For 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>

D. Additional requirements

[To be completed if necessary, other requirements may be added on academic or organisational aspects, e.g. the selection criteria for students and staff; measures for preparing, receiving and integrating mobile students and/or staff]

[Please specify whether the institutions have the infrastructure to welcome students and staff with disabilities.]

RO BUCURES11:

Provisional Learning Agreement

Students have to fill in a Learning Agreement reporting the courses they would like to attend during the Erasmus studying period and they must send us. Information on the courses is available on <http://ing.pub.ro/engleza/studii.html>.

ESN (Erasmus Student Network)

ESN Romania team support Erasmus+ students encouraging social interaction of students spending part of their study period at University POLITEHNICA of Bucharest, providing help and advice. For further information visit their website <http://www.esn.ro/>

E. Calendar

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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
RO BUCURES11	June 30 th	November 30 th
TR ISTANBU07	Online Application Period 15 th May-15 th July	Online Application Period 15 th October-15 th December

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

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 5 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

[It is recommended that receiving institutions provide the statistical distribution of grades according to the descriptions in the ECTS users' guide⁵. A link to a webpage can be enough. The table will facilitate the interpretation of each grade awarded to students and will facilitate the credit transfer by the sending institution.]

RO BUCURES11:

Description of the institutional grading system:

Individual course are graded on a scale of 1-10;

1-4 = fail;

5 = sufficient;

6 = satisfactory;

7-8 = good;

9 = very good;

10 = excellent.

The maximum final university grade is 10.

Language courses and laboratories are usually graded as "Approved", if passed.

ECTS credits:

1 full academic year = 60 credits

1 semester = 30 credits

ECTS Grading scale:

ECTS Grade	% of successful students normally achieving the grade	Definition
A	10	EXCELLENT - outstanding performance with only minor errors
B	9	VERY GOOD - above the average standard but with some errors
C	7-8	GOOD - generally sound work with a number of notable errors
D	6	SATISFACTORY - fair but with significant shortcomings
E	5	SUFFICIENT - performance meets the minimum criteria

TR ISTANBU07:

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

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:

⁵http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-policy/ects_en.htm

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
RO BUCURES11	Email: erasmus@upb.ro Tel. +40 21 4029284	http://www.upb.ro/en/erasmus.html
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.konsolosluk.gov.tr/tr/en/start.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
RO BUCURES11	Email: erasmus@upb.ro Tel. +40 21 4029284	http://www.upb.ro/en/erasmus.html
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.sgk.gov.tr/wps/portal/en?CSRT=15758577449206964749





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
RO BUCURES11	Email: erasmus@upb.ro Tel. +40 21 4029284	http://www.upb.ro/en/erasmus.html
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/index.php?r=infoforstudents/accommodation

G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature ⁶
RO BUCURES11	Prof. dr. ing. Mircea EREMIA ERASMUS Institutional Coordinator	12/12/2016	 
TR ISTANBU07	Assoc. Prof. Dr. Bayram Ali Ersoy Institutional Erasmus Coordinator	16/12/2016	 

⁶Scanned signatures are accepted