



Erasmus+ Programme

Bilateral Inter-Institutional Agreement

Key Action 1

Learning Mobility for Higher Education Students and Staff

among EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme

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The institutions 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, including [automatic recognition](#) of the credits awarded to students by the partner institution as agreed in the Learning Agreement and confirmed in the Transcript of Records, or according to the learning outcomes of the modules completed abroad, as described in the Course Catalogue, in line with the [European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System](#). The institutions agree on exchanging their mobility related data in line with the technical standards of the [European Student Card Initiative](#).

Grading systems of the institutions

Receiving higher education institutions need to provide a link to the statistical distribution of grades or make the information available through [EGRACONS](#) according to the descriptions in the [ECTS users' guide](#). The information will facilitate the interpretation of each grade awarded to students and will facilitate the credit transfer by the sending institution.

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

Validity period of the agreement

Timeframe	Academic Year
Start of validity	[2021/2022]
End of validity	[2027/2028]

A. Information about the higher education institutions

Name of the institution (and department, where relevant)	Erasmus code	Contact details ² (email, phone)	Websites (General/Faculties/ Course catalogue)
Yildiz Technical University	TR ISTANBU07 Participant Identification Code (PIC): 997203651	Murat TURHAN, PhD Institutional Coordinator +90 212 383 39 40 erasmus@yildiz.edu.tr bilateralagreements@yildiz.edu.tr Department: Mechatronics Engineering Departmental Coordinator: Assoc. Prof. Mehmet Selçuk ARSLAN Tel: +90 2123832963 E-mail: msarslan@yildiz.edu.tr	www.yildiz.edu.tr www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en Course Catalogue: http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/index.php?r=program/view&id=404&aid=33 www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr Department Web-site: http://www.mkt.yildiz.edu.tr/
Hochschule Mannheim - University of Applied Sciences	Erasmus Code D MANNHEI03 PIC	<i>Institutional Coordinator</i> <i>Nicole Steinel-Rees</i> Tel: +49 621 292 6876 E-mail: erasmus.io@hs-mannheim.de <i>Departmental Coordinator</i> <i>Informationtechnology subject 521</i> <i>Prof. Dr. Özhan Koca</i> Tel: +49-621-292-6870	University web-site: https://www.hs-mannheim.de/ https://www.english.hs-mannheim.de/the-university.html Department Web-site: https://www.inftech.hs-mannheim.de/ https://www.vct.hs-mannheim.de/

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

		E-mail: o.koca@hs-mannheim.de	
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B. Mobility numbers³ 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

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code (optional)* [ISCED]	Subject area name (optional)*	Field of education – Clarification (optional)	Study cycle [short cycle, 1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd] (optional)*	Number of student mobility periods			
						Student Mobility for Studies [total number of students]	Student mobility for Studies [total number of months]	Student Mobility for Traineeships (optional)* [total number of students]	Student Mobility for Traineeships (optional)* [total number of months]
TR ISTANBU 07	D MANNHEI 03	071/726/ 051	Electronics, Telecommu nication Engineerin g/ Social Engineerin g/Biotechn ology		1st , 2nd	4 Students	6 Months		
D MANNHEI 03	TR ISTANBU 07	521	Mechatroni cs Engineerin g		1st , 2nd	4 Students	6 Months		

Short-term blended mobility option for students

By checking this box, the partners confirm that they are willing to exchange students who wish to carry out their mobility in a blended format, a combination of a short-term physical mobility with a virtual component.

Academic Staff Mobility

³ Mobility numbers can be given per sending/receiving institutions and per education field (optional*:

<https://circabc.europa.eu/sd/a/286ebac6-aa7c-4ada-a42b-ff2cf3a442bf/ISCED-F%202013%20-%20Detailed%20field%20descriptions.pdf>

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code (optional)* [ISCED]	Subject area name (optional)*	Number of staff mobility periods			
				Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of staff]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days]	Staff Mobility for Training (optional)* [total number of staff]	Staff Mobility for Training (optional)* [total number of days]
TR ISTANBU 07	D MANNHEI 03	071/726 /051	Electronics , Telecom municatio n Engineeri ng/ Social Engineeri ng/Biotec hnology	2 persons	1-6 weeks	1 person	
D MANNHEI 03	TR ISTANBU 07	521	Mechatro nics Engineeri ng	2 persons	1-6 weeks	1 person	

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]
TR ISTANBU07	521	English	Turkish	B1	B2
D MANNHEI03	521	German	English*	German B1 English B1	B2 (German or English)

*Please note that not every faculty offers courses in English and check the course guide.

⁴ 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>

D. Calendar

Nominations of incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [day/month]	Spring term* [day/month]
TR ISTANBU07	Online Application Period 15th May-15th July	Online Application Period 15th October-15th December
D MANNHEI03	Nomination and Application deadline 31 st May	Nomination and Application deadline 15 th November

Applications from incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [day/month]	Spring term* [day/month]
TR ISTANBU07	Online Application Period 15th May-15th July	Online Application Period 15th October-15th December
D MANNHEI03	Nomination and Application deadline 31 st May	Nomination and Application deadline 15 th November

Application procedure for incoming students

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en https://ytuerasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/
D MANNHEI03	incoming.io@hs-mannheim.de	https://www.hs-mannheim.de/die-hochschule/internationales/international-office/an-der-hochschule-mannheim-studieren.html

E. Additional requirements

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Requirement	Details	Website for information (if applicable)
TR ISTANBU07	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nomination 2. Application Module 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Exchange students should be nominated by the home institution. 2. Exchange students are required to complete the online application module. 	<p>http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en</p> <p>2. https://ytuerasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/</p>
D MANNHEI03	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Nomination 2. Application Process 	<p>Exchange students should be nominated by the home institution.</p> <p>Exchange students are required to register online. Link will be provided after nomination</p>	

The receiving institution will send its decision within [4] weeks, **and no later than 5 weeks.**

Inclusion and accessibility

The institution will provide support to incoming mobile participants with fewer opportunities, 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:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Available infrastructure adjusted for people with:	Description of infrastructure (optional)	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
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TR ISTANBU07		YTU provides infrastructure for welcoming students and staff with special needs. Applicants should contact our Erasmus office prior to their applications.	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en
D MANNHEI03				

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Available infrastructure adjusted for people with:	Description of infrastructure (optional)	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
TR ISTANBU07		YTU provides infrastructure for welcoming students and staff with special needs. Applicants should contact our Erasmus office prior to their applications.	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en
D MANNHEI03		Advice for people with disability and chronic illness	Prof. Dr. Ihme +49 621 292-6226 t.ihme@hs-mannheim.de	www.hs-mannheim.de/die-hochschule/organisation-und-gremien/zusammen-am-campus.html#c67831

F. Information

1. 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.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en https://yildiz.esnturkey.org/accommodation
D MANNHEI03		

2. Visa

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outgoing 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.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en
D MANNHEI03		Student Accommodations - Studierendenwerk Mannheim (stw-ma.de)

3. Insurance

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance in obtaining insurance for incoming and outgoing 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.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en
D MANNHEI03	incoming.io@hs-mannheim.de	www.hs-mannheim.de/die-hochschule/internationales/international-office/internationale-austauschstudierende/vorbereitungen.html

4. Additional information

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Information on recognition process / other useful information:	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
TR ISTANBU07	Grading System	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/index.php?r=institution
D MANNHEI03			

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1.0 – 1.5	Very good	Significantly above average performance
1.6 – 2.5	Good	Above average performance
2.6 – 3.5	Satisfactory	Average performance
3.6 – 4.0	Sufficient	Performance that, in spite of its shortcomings, still satisfies the minimum requirements.
4.1 – 5.0	Fail	Inadequate performance (Credit is not earned.)

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.

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."

G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature ⁵
TR ISTANBU07	Murat TURHAN, PhD <i>Institutional Coordinator</i>	11.04.2022	 YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS
D MANNHEI03	Nicole Steinel-Rees <i>Erasmus Institutional Coordinator</i> <i>Hochschule Mannheim</i>	20.04.2022	 HOCHSCHULE MANNHEIM International Office Paul-Wittsack-Straße 10 68163 Mannheim

⁵ Scanned signatures are accepted