

# **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

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 <u>EGRACONS</u> according to the descriptions in the <u>ECTS users' guide</u>. The information will facilitate the interpretation of each grade awarded to students and will facilitate the credit transfer by the sending institution.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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	[2028/2029]

# A. Information about the higher education institutions

Name of the institution (and department, where relevant)	Erasmus code	Contact details <sup>2</sup> (email, phone)	Websites ( General/Faculti es/ Course catalogue)
Technische Hochschule Würzburg-Schweinfurt represented by Prof. Dr. Robert Grebner, President Address: Münzstr. 12, D-97070 Würzburg	D WURZBURO3	Institutional Erasmus coordinator: Head of International Office (HSIN) Dr. Daniel Wimmer, Münzstr. 12 D- 97070 Würzburg, Tel: +49 931 3511 8173 international@thws.de daniel.wimmer@thws.de Academic contact: Faculty of Visual Design Marcus Kaiser, Münzstr. 12 D- 97070 Würzburg, Tel: +49 931 3511 8953 marcus.kaiser@thws.de	https://internatio nal.thws.de/en/th ws- international/way s-to- fhws/incoming- exchange- students/ https://fg.thws. de/?lang=en
Yıldız Technical University Faculty of Art and Design Department of Communication and Design	TR ISTANBU07  Participant Identification Code (PIC): 997203651	Institutional Erasmus coordinator: Head of International Office Murat TURHAN, PhD Institutional Coordinator +90 212 383 39 40 erasmus@yildiz.edu.tr bilateralagreements@yildiz.edu.tr  Academic contact: Departmental Coordinator İbrahim O. AKINCI iakinci@yildiz.edu.tr +90 212 383 50 01 /111	www.yildiz.edu.tr  www.erasmus.yil diz.edu.tr/en  Course Catalogue: www.bologna.yild iz.edu.tr  Department Website: https://ilet.yildiz.edu.tr/en

 $<sup>^{2}</sup>$  Contact details to reach the senior officer in charge of this agreement and of its possible updates.

# B. Mobility numbers<sup>3</sup> per academic year

FROM [Erasmus	TO [Erasmus	Subjec t area	Subject area name	Field of educatio	Study cycle	Num	ber of stud	ent mobility (	periods
code of the sending institution]	code of the receiving institution]	code (optional )* [ISCED]	(optional)*	n – Clarifica tion (optional)	[short cycle, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> ] (optional)*	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]
D WURZBUR03	TR ISTANBU07	0211	Audio-visual techniques and media production		1st	2 students /per academic year	2 x 5 months per student (10 months) 1 student for fall, 1 student for spring)	-	-
TR ISTANBU07	D WURZBUR03	0211	Audio-visual techniques and media production		1st	2 students /per academic year	2 x 5 months per student (10 months) 1 student for fall, 1 student for spring)	-	-

## $\hfill \square$ 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.

FROM [Erasmus	TO [Erasmus	Subject area	Subject area	Nu	mber of sta	ff mobility pe	riods
code of the sending institution]	code of the receiving institution]	code (optional)* [ISCED]	name (optional)*	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]

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Mobility numbers can be given per sending/receiving institutions and per education field (optional\*: <a href="https://circabc.europa.eu/sd/a/286ebac6-aa7c-4ada-a42b-ff2cf3a442bf/ISCED-F%202013%20-%20Detailed%20field%20descriptions.pdf">https://circabc.europa.eu/sd/a/286ebac6-aa7c-4ada-a42b-ff2cf3a442bf/ISCED-F%202013%20-%20Detailed%20field%20descriptions.pdf</a>)

#### 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	Optional: Language Languag Subject of e area instruc- of		Recommended language of instruction level <sup>4</sup>		
[Erasmus code]		tion 1 ins	instruc- tion 2	Student Mobility for Studies [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level: B2]
D WURZBUR03	0211	English	German	English B1 German A2	English B2 German A2
TR ISTANBU07	0211	Turkish		B1	B2

#### D. Calendar

### Nominations of incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [day/month]	Spring term* [day/month]
D WURZBUR03	01.Mai	15.November
TR ISTANBU07	Online Application Period 15th May-15th July	Online Application Period 15th October-15th December

#### Applications from incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [day/month]	Spring term* [day/month]
D WURZBUR03	01.03 - 15.05	15.09 01.12
TR ISTANBU07Online Application Period 15th May-15th July	Application Period 15th May-15th July	Online Application Period 15th October-15th December

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> For an easier and consistent understanding of language requirements, use of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) is recommended, see <a href="http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/european-language-levels-cefr">http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/european-language-levels-cefr</a>

## Application procedure for incoming students

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
D WURZBUR03	<u>welcome@thws.de</u> TeL :+49 931 35116150	https://international.thws.de/en/thws- international/ways-to-fhws/incoming- exchange-students/
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en https://ytuerasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/

# E. Additional requirements

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Requirement	Details	Website for information (if applicable)
D WURZBUR03			
TR ISTANBU07	A. Nomination B. Application Mod- ule	Exchange students should be nominated by the home institution      Exchange students are required to complete the online application module.	http://www.erasmus.yil diz.edu.tr/en https://ytuerasmus.yildi z.edu.tr/

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

#### **D WURZBUR03**

• Exchange students are only accepted based on a nomination by the home institution.

Exchange students are required to complete the online application module: <a href="https://international.thws.de/en/thws-international/ways-to-fhws/incoming-exchange-students/">https://international.thws.de/en/thws-international/ways-to-fhws/incoming-exchange-students/</a>

THWS has the appropriate infrastructure for students and staff with disabilities. However, it is
important to note that THWS has to be informed well in advance of the special needs of the
exchange student or staff member.

#### **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 infrastructur e adjusted for people with:	Description of infrastructure (optional)	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
D WURZBUR03			studierenmitbehinderung@thws.de +49 931 35 11 60 96	https://www.thws.de/ en/services-and- support/studying- with-disabilities-or- chronic-illnesses/
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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Available e support services for people with:	Description of support services (optional)	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
D WURZBUR03	*		studierenmitbehinderung@thws.de +49 931 35 11 60 96	https://www.thws.de/en/servic es-and-support/studying-with- disabilities-or-chronic-illnesses/
TR ISTANBU07		YTU provides infrastructure for welcoming students and staff with special needs. Applicants should contact our Erasmus office prior to	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu. tr/en

their	
applications.	

#### 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	
D WURZBUR03	<u>welcome@thws.de</u> TeL :+49 931 35116150	http://www.studentenwerk- wuerzburg.de/en/wohnen.html	
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.edu.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.t r/en https://yildiz.esnturkey.org/acco mmodation	

#### 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
D WURZBURO 3	welcome@thws.d <u>e</u> TeL :+49 931 35116150	http://www.auswaertiges- amt.de/DE/EinreiseUndAufenthalt/Visabestimmungen node.htm !
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz .edu.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en

#### 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
D WURZBUR03	<u>welcome@thws.de</u> TeL :+49 931 35116150	https://international.thws.de/en/thws- international/ways-to-fhws/incoming- exchange-students/
TR ISTANBU07	incoming@yildiz.ed u.tr	http://www.erasmus.yildiz.edu.tr/en

#### 4. Additional information

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Information on recognition process / other useful information:	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
D WURZBUR03	Exchange students are only accepted based on a nomination by the home institution.  Exchange students are required to complete the online application module	welcome@thws.de +49 931/3511-6150	https://international.thws.de/en/thws -international/ways-to-fhws/incoming- exchange-students/
TR ISTANBU07	Grading System	incoming@yildiz.ed u.tr	http://www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr/i ndex.php?r=institution/grading

A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than [xx] weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI.

#### D WURZBUR03

### Technical University of Applied Sciences Würzburg-Schweinfurt - grading system

In the Bavarian university system, each course unit is graded on a scale from 1 to 6 points, and each numerical grade corresponds to a qualitative grade as follows:

from	1	to	1,5	sehr gut (very good)
from	1,6	to	2,5	gut (good)
from	2,6	to	3,5	befriedigend (satisfactory)
from	3,6	to	4,0	ausreichend (sufficient)
abov e	4,0	nicht au	ısreichend (fa	niled)

#### Termination of the agreement

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 2026 will only take effect as of 1 September 2026+1. 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 <sup>5</sup>
D WURZBUR03	Dr. Daniel Wimmer		
	Institutional Coordinator	24.2.24	M
	Murat TURHAN, PhD		Trechnical only
TR ISTANBU07	Institutional Coordinator		MURAT TURHAN. BUD  Coordinator  YTU International Relations TOWAL actual

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Scanned signatures are accepted