



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*	Call Year*
Start of validity	[2021/2022]	2021
End of validity	[2028/2029]	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)
Catholic Private University Linz	A LINZ 11	Ruzica Romić Erasmus Coordinator Email: r.romic@ku-linz.at	https://ku-linz.at/
Theologische Fakultät Trier	D TRIER04	Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email: halft@uni-trier.de	https://theologie-trier.de/

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.

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code (optional)* [ISCED]	Subject area name (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]

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

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>

A LINZ11	D TRIER04		Theology	1 st , 2d, 3rd	2	10		
D TRIER04	A LINZ11		Theology	1 st , 2d, 3rd	2	10		

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 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]
A LINZ11	D TRIER04	0221	Theology	2	10	2	10
D TRIER04	A LINZ11	0221	Theology	2	10	2	10

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]
A LINZ11		German	English	B2	B2
D TRIER04		German		B2	B2

D. Calendar

Nominations of incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [day/month]	Spring term* [day/month]
A LINZ11	Before 15 th May	Before 31 st October
D TRIER04	Before 15 th May	Before 31 st October

Applications from incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [day/month]	Spring term* [day/month]
A LINZ11	1 st June	15 th November
D TRIER04	1 st June	15 th November

Application procedure for incoming students

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
A LINZ11	Ruzica Romic, BA	https://ku-linz.at/en/ku_international/incomings

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>

	Erasmus International Coordinator Email: r.romic@ku-linz.at	
D TRIER04	Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email: halft@uni-trier.de	https://theologie-trier.de/studium/erasmus-programm

E. Additional requirements

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Requirement	Details	Website for information (if applicable)
A LINZ11	NONE		
D TRIER04	NONE		

The receiving institution will send its decision within [x] 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
A LINZ11	Disability	The University building is barrier-free	Ruzica Romic, BA Erasmus International Coordinator Email: r.romic@ku-linz.at	https://ku-linz.at/en/ku_international/incomings
D TRIER04	Disability	The campus is barrier-free	Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email:	https://www.uni-trier.de/studium/zielgruppen/studieren-mit-beeintraechtigung-chronischer-oder-psychischer-erkrankung

			halft@uni-trier.de	
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Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Available support services for people with:	Description of support services (optional)	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
A LINZ11	All students		Ruzica Romić, BA Erasmus International Coordinator Email: r.romic@ku-linz.at	https://ku-linz.at/en/ku_international/incomings
D TRIER04	All students		Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email: halft@uni-trier.de	https://theologie-trier.de/

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
A LINZ11	Ruzica Romić, BA Erasmus International Coordinator Email: r.romic@ku-linz.at	https://ku-linz.at/en/ku_international/incomings/living_and_studying_in_austria

D TRIER04	Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email: half@uni-trier.de	https://www.studiwerk.de/
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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
A LINZ11	Ruzica Romic, BA Erasmus International Coordinator Email:r.romic@k u-linz.at	https://ku-linz.at/en/ku-international/incomings/living and studying in austria
D TRIER04	Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email: half@uni- trier.de	https://www.uni-trier.de/international/vor-der-einreise-allgemeine-infos/einreise-und-visum

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	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
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[Erasmus code]		
A LINZ11	Ruzica Romic, BA Erasmus International Coordinator Email: r.romic@ku-linz.at	https://ku-linz.at/en/ku_international/incomings/living_and_studying_in_austria
D TRIER04	Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email: halft@uni-trier.de	https://www.uni-trier.de/studium/bewerbung/bewerbung-allgemeine-hinweise/hinweise-zur-krankenversicherung

4. Additional information

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Information on recognition process / other useful information:	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
A LINZ11		Ruzica Romic, BA Erasmus International Coordinator Email: r.romic@ku-linz.at	
D TRIER04		Dr. Dennis Halft OP Erasmus Coordinator Email: halft@uni-trier.de	https://theologie-trier.de/studium/erasmus-programm




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.

Termination of the agreement

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
D TRIER04	Prof. Dr. theol. Walter Andreas Euler Rector of the Theologische Fakultät Trier	08.05.24	
A LINZ11	Univ.-Prof. Dr. theol. Christoph Niemand Rector of the Catholic Private University Linz	10.4. 2024	 

⁵ Scanned signatures are accepted