

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

# Inter-institutional<sup>1</sup> agreement 2017-2021<sup>2</sup> between institutions from Programme and Partner Countries<sup>3</sup>

# [Minimum requirements]4

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 of the organisation and management of the mobility, in particular the recognition of the credits (or equivalent) awarded to students by the partner institution. The institutions also commit to sound and transparent management of funds allocated to them through Erasmus+.

# A. Information about higher education institutions

Full name of the institution / country	Erasmus code or city <sup>5</sup>	Contact details <sup>6</sup> (email, phone)	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Inter-institutional agreements can be signed by two or more higher education Institutions (HEIs), at least one of them must be located in a Programme Country of Erasmus+.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Higher Education Institutions have to agree on the period of validity of this agreement

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Erasmus+ Programme Countries are the 28 EU countries, the EFTA countries and other European countries as defined in the Call for proposals. Eligible Partner Countries are listed in the Programme Guide.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Clauses may be added to this template agreement to better reflect the nature of the institutional partnership.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Higher Education Institutions (HEI) from Erasmus+ Programme Countries should indicate their Erasmus code while Partner Country HEIs should mention the city where they are located.

 $<sup>^{6}</sup>$  Contact details to reach the senior officer in charge of this agreement.

		international@ehu.lt	
Saint-Petersburg University (SPbU), Russian Federation	RU STPETE01 999870569	Institutional Coordinator: Anna Porodina, Head of International Academic Cooperation Department a.porodina@spbu.ru + 7(812)3287562  Student mobility coordinator: Ms Ekaterina Petryanina e.petryanina@spbu.ru + 7(812)3287562	http://spbu.ru http://ifea.spbu.ru/ en/
	7	Staff Exchange Coordinator: Ms. Yuliya Medvedeva i.medvedeva@spbu.ru +7 (812) 324 08 88	http://ifea.spbu.ru/ en/research-in-spsu

# B. Mobility numbers 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 [Erasmu	TO [Erasmu	Subject area	Subject area name *	Study cycle	Number of mobility	
s code or city of the sending institutio n]	s code or city of the receiving institutio n]	code * [ISCED]		[short cycle, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> ] *	Student Mobility for Studies  [total number of months of the study periods or average duration*]	Student Mobility for Traineesh ips *
LT Vilnius20	RU STPETE01	0312	Political sciences	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2nd	4 (20)	
		0421	Law	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2nd		
		214	Design	1st		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Mobility numbers can be given per sending/receiving institutions and per education field (optional\*: <a href="http://www.uis.unesco.org/Education/Pages/international-standard-classification-of-education.ospx">http://www.uis.unesco.org/Education/Pages/international-standard-classification-of-education.ospx</a>)

		1015	Travel, tourism and leisure	1st		
		032	Journalism and information	1st		
		0288	Liberal Arts	1st		
RU STPETE01	LT Vilnius20	0312	Political sciences	1 <sup>st</sup> and 2nd	4 (20)	
		214	Design	1st		
		1015	Travel, tourism and leisure	1st	-	MANAGEMENT CONTRACTOR
		032	Journalism and information	1st		
		0421	Law	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2nd		
		0288	Liberal Arts	1st		

[\*Optional: subject area code & name and study cycle are optional.]

FROM [Erasmus	TO [Erasmus	Subjec t area code	Subject area name *	Number of sta perio	
code of the sending institution ]	code of the receiving institution ]	* [ISCE D]		Staff Mobility for Teaching  [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration  *]	Staff Mobility for Training *
LT Vilnius20	RU STPETE01	0312	Political sciences	2 persons (14 days)	2-1-10-20-24-24-24-24-24-24-24-24-24-24-24-24-24-
		0421	Law		×
		1015	Travel, tourism and leisure		
		032	Journalism and information		
		0288	Liberal Arts	man <sub>th</sub> gards	

			To be decided by the parties	-	1person (5days)
RU STPETE01	LT	0312	Political sciences	2 persons (14	
STRETEGI	Vilnius20		sciences	days)	
		0421	Law		
		1015	Travel, tourism and leisure		
		032	Journalism and information		
		0288	Liberal Arts		
			To be decided by the parties	-	1person (5days)

## 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 or city]	Optional: Subject	Language of	Language of instruc-		ed language of ion level <sup>8</sup>
		instruc- tion 1		Student Mobility for Studies	Staff Mobility for Teaching
				[Minimum recommended level: B1]	[Minimum recommended level: B2]
LT Vilnius20	Russian	English (where indicated)	B2	B2	Russian
RU STPETE01		Russian	English	B2	B2

For more details on the language of instruction recommendations, see the course catalogue of each institution [Links provided on the first page].

http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/european-language-levels-cefr

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> For an easier and consistent understanding of language requirements, use of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) is recommended, see

# D. Respect of fundamental principles and other mobility requirements

The higher education institution(s) located in a **Programme Country** of Erasmus+ must respect the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education of which it must be a holder. The charter can be found here: <a href="https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/actions/erasmus-charter-en-">https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/actions/erasmus-charter-en-</a>

The higher education institution(s) located in a **Partner Country** of Erasmus+ must respect the following set of principles and requirements:

The higher education institution agrees to:

- Respect in full the principles of non-discrimination and to promote and ensure equal access and opportunities to mobile participants from all backgrounds, in particular disadvantaged or vulnerable groups.
- Apply a selection process that is fair, transparent and documented, ensuring equal
  opportunities to participants eligible for mobility.
- Ensure recognition for satisfactorily completed activities of study mobility and, where possible, traineeships of its mobile students.
- Charge no fees, in the case of credit mobility, to incoming students for tuition, registration, examinations or access to laboratory and library facilities. Nevertheless, they may be charged small fees on the same basis as local students for costs such as insurance, student unions and the use of miscellaneous material.

The higher education institution located in a **Partner Country** of Erasmus+ further undertakes to:

#### Before mobility

- Provide information on courses (content, level, scope, language) well in advance of the mobility periods, so as to be transparent to all parties and allow mobile students to make well-informed choices about the courses they will follow.
- Ensure that outbound mobile participants are well prepared for the mobility, including having attained the necessary level of linguistic proficiency.
- Ensure that student and staff mobility for education or training purposes is based on a learning agreement for students and a mobility agreement for staff validated in advance between the sending and receiving institutions or enterprises and the mobile participants.
- Provide assistance related to obtaining visas, when required, for incoming and outbound mobile participants. Costs for visas can be covered with the mobility grants. See the information / visa section for contact details.
- Provide assistance related to obtaining insurance, when required, for incoming and outbound mobile participants. The institution from the Partner Country should inform mobile participants of cases in which insurance cover is not automatically provided. Costs for insurance can be covered with the organisational support grants. See the information / insurance section for contact details.
- Provide guidance to incoming mobile participants in finding accommodation. See the information / housing section for contact details.

#### During and after mobility

- Ensure equal academic treatment and services for home students and staff and incoming mobile participants and integrate incoming mobile participants into the institution's everyday life, and have in place appropriate mentoring and support arrangements for mobile participants as well as appropriate linguistic support to incoming mobile participants.
- Accept all activities indicated in the learning agreement as counting towards the degree, provided these have been satisfactorily completed by the mobile student.
- Provide, free-of-charge, incoming mobile students and their sending institutions with transcripts in English or in the language of the sending institution containing a full, accurate and timely record of their achievements at the end of their mobility period.
- Support the reintegration of mobile participants and give them the opportunity, upon return, to build on their experiences for the benefit of the Institution and their peers.
- Ensure that staff are given recognition for their teaching and training activities undertaken during the mobility period, based on a mobility agreement.

## E. Additional requirements

#### LT VILNIUS20:

In case of additional requirements in regard to academic, organizational or other aspects (e.g. students with special needs) please contact the Academic Development Unit: <a href="mailto:international@ehu.lt">international@ehu.lt</a>

#### F. Calendar

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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code or city]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
RU STPETE01	For students: No later than May15th For staff: No later than 2 months before mobility starts	For students: No later than November 1st For staff: No later than 2 months before mobility starts
LT Vilnius20	1st of June	1 <sup>st</sup> of December

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

- 2. LT Vilnius20 will send its decision within 1 week.
- 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.

4. Termination of the agreement

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### G. Information

# 1. Grading systems of the institutions

LT VILNIUS20: <a href="http://www.ehu.lt/en/international/international-coopertion/credit-transfer-and-recognition">http://www.ehu.lt/en/international/international-coopertion/credit-transfer-and-recognition</a>

RU STPETE01

А	100-90	5.0	отлично	EXCELLENT Outstanding performance
В	89-70	4.0	хорошо	VERY GOOD  Above the average standard but with some errors
D	69-50	3.0	удовлетворительно	SATISFACTORY Fair but with significant shortcomings
F	49-0	2	НЕУДОВЛЕТВОРИТЕЛЬНО	FAILED Substantial improvement necessary; requirement of further work

### 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 or city]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
RU STPETE01	For incoming students: Ms Ekaterina Petryanina e.petryanina@spbu.ru +7(812)3287562	http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/sep
	Staff Exchange Coordinator: Ms. Yuliya Medvedeva	http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/research-in-spsu

	j.medvedeva@spbu.ru +7 (812) 324 08 88	
LT VILNIUS20	olga.matezonok@ehu.lt	http://www.migracija.lt/index.php?1
	+370 5 274 0623	015128441#02

#### 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 or city]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
RU STPETE01	For incoming students: Ms Ekaterina Petryanina e.petryanina@spbu.ru +7(812)3287562	http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/sep
	Staff Exchange Coordinator: Ms. Yuliya Medvedeva j.medvedeva@spbu.ru +7 (812) 324 08 88	http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/research-in-spsu
LT VILNIUS20	international@ehu.lt	http://www.ehu.lt/en/international/intenational-coopertion

#### 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:

Instituti on [Erasmu s code or city]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
RU STPETE01	For incoming students: Ms Ekaterina Petryanina	http://ifea.spbu.ru/en/sep

	e.petryanina@spbu.ru +7(812)3287562		
	Staff Exchange Coordinator: Ms. Yuliya Medvedeva j.medvedeva@spbu.ru +7 (812) 324 08 88	http://lfea.spbu.ru/en/research-in-spsu	
LT VILNIUS2 0	students.accommodation@ ehu.it	http://www.ehu.lt/en/international/international-coopertion/incoming- students/admission	

# G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Scanned copies of signatures or digital signatures may be accepted depending on the national legislation



