



Erasmus+ Programme

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

Inter-institutional¹ agreement 2014-21 between programme countries

[Minimum requirements]²

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 ³ (email, phone)	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
UNIVERSIDADE DA CORUÑA	E-LACORU01	Prof. Fernando Peña (Director) International Relations Office O lagar - Campus de Elviña 15071 A Coruña - España Tel. +34 981 167000, Fax: +34 981 167013 Email: erasmus@udc.es Ms. Sandra King (Administrative Contact) Email: rri@udc.es Departmental Coordinator Manuel Herrador mherrador@udc.es	www.udc.es/ori http://estudos.udc.es/gl/degrees
UNIVERSIDADE NOVA DE LISBOA - Faculdade de Ciências e Tecnologia	P LISBOA03	Institutional Coordinator : Prof. José Esteves Pereira, Email: erasmus@unl.pt Tel.: +351 21 384 52 07/8; Subject Area Contact: Prof. Rui Micaelo Email: rullbm@fct.unl.pt Tel.: + 351 21 294 83 Administrative contact: SAE-AM Email: div.a.ae.mobilidade@fct.unl.pt Tel: + 351 21 294 78 20/7	www.unl.pt http://www.fct.unl.pt/en/student/student-orientation-and-mobility/students-mobility-study-sms

¹ Inter-institutional agreements can be signed by two or more higher education Institutions

² Clauses may be added to this template agreement to better reflect the nature of the Institutional partnership.

³ Contact details to reach the senior officer in charge of this agreement and of its possible updates.

B. Mobility numbers⁴ 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	
					Student Mobility for Studies	Student Mobility for Traineeships *
					[total number of months of the study periods or average duration*]	
E LA-CORU01	P LISBOA03	0732	Building and Civil Engineering	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	2 student(s) x 10 months each	TBD
P LISBOA03	E LA-CORU01	0732	Building and Civil Engineering	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	2 student(s) x 10 months each	TBD

[*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]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code * [ISCED]	Subject area name *	Number of staff mobility periods		
				Staff Mobility for Teaching	Staff Mobility for Training *	
					[total number of days of teaching periods or average duration*]	
E LA-CORU01	P LISBOA03	0732	Building and Civil Engineering	2 persons x mln. 8 teaching hrs.	---	
P LISBOA03	E LA-CORU01	0732	Building and Civil Engineering	2 persons x min. 8 teaching hrs.	---	

⁴ 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>)

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 ⁵	
				Student Mobility for Studies [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level: B2]
E LA-CORU01		Spanish and/or Galician Language	English	B1 Spanish generally recommended unless some other specific level required for a special program	B2 Spanish or English
P LISBOA03		Portuguese (for 1 st cycles)	Portuguese and/or English (for 2 nd and 3 rd cycles)	B1	B2

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


D. Additional requirements

At E LA-CORU01

Students' application for an international mobility at UDC is only possible by use of the online application form available on website <http://www.udc.es/moveonline3/moveonline/incoming/welcome.php>. The following documents must be enclosed and sent by airmail to IRO, together with the printed and signed online application form:

- Learning Agreement containing planned course units in our institution. The Learning Agreement may be modified after arrival and discussion with the academic coordinator. For all questions relating to Learning Agreement, please contact the faculty coordinator,
- the Transcripts of Records obtained in previous years of study at home university
- Copy of passport or ID

⁵ 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>


For staff mobility, the "Teaching assignment programme" or "working programme" form duly filled in and signed by home university should be sent to IRO.

The University Unit of Attention to the Diversity (ADI) was created in February 2004 to attend to members of the university community with **special needs** derived from the disability or any other ways of difference in front of the majority of the population, being its committed main objective to facilitate the full integration of the students, teaching and administrative staff that, for physical, sensorial, psychic or sociocultural reasons, experience difficulties or external barriers to an adequate, egalitarian and beneficial access to the university life. More information on Web site <http://www.udc.es/cufie/uadi/>

E. Calendar

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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
E LA-CORU01	15 TH JUNE	15 TH NOVEMBER
P LISBOA03	May 31 st	October 31 st

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

2. The receiving institution will send its decision within 6 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.
4. Termination of the agreement

This agreement can be terminated at any time by mutual consent. 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 of one given year will only take effect as of 1 September of the next year. 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' guide⁶. 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.]

⁶ http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-policy/ects_en.htm

At E LA-CORU01

The results obtained by the student in each of the subjects will be graded according to the following numerical scale of 0-10, with one decimal, to which may be added the corresponding qualitative rating:

- 0 - 4,9: Suspenso (SS) - Failed
- 5,0 - 6,9: Aprobado (AP) - Satisfactory/Sufficient
- 7,0 - 8,9: Notable (NT) - Good
- 9,0 - 10: Sobresaliente (SB) - Very Good

The mention of "Distinction" (Matrícula de Honor) will be awarded to students who have achieved a score equal to or greater than 9.0. Its number will not exceed 5% of the students enrolled in a subject in the relevant academic year, unless the enrollment is less than 20 students, in which case only one student may be granted with this "Distinction".

More information:

http://www.udc.es/normativa/academica/normas_de_cualificacions_e_actas.html

At P LISBOA03

Information available at:

http://www.fct.unl.pt/sites/default/files/erasmus_incoming/EU_Scale_FCT.pdf

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]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
E LA-CORU01	incoming.rril@udc.es +34 981167000 Ext. 1981	http://extranjeros.empleo.gob.es/es/InformacionInteres/InformacionProcedimientos/Ciudadanosnocomunitarios/estudiantes.html
P LISBOA03	Email: div.a.ae.mobilidade@fct.unl.pt Tel.: + 351 21 294 78 20/7	http://www.fct.unl.pt/en/student/student-orientation-and-mobility/information-incoming-students-and-other-visitors

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
E LA-CORU01	incoming.rril@udc.es +34 981167000 Ext. 1981	www.udc.es/ori
P LISBOA03	Email: div.a.ae.mobilidade@fct.unl.pt Tel.: + 351 21 294 78 20/7	

P LISBOA03

All students enrolled in P LISBOA03 are covered by an accident and third party liability insurance:

(http://www.fct.unl.pt/sites/default/files/documentos/estudante/informacao_academica/Seguro%20Escolar/Generali_apoliceSegAlunos_013.pdf).

It is mandatory that Mobility Students and Staff bring:

- European Health Insurance Card for medical assistance (just for people from the European Union's 27 Member States plus Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland) to access health care services during temporary visits abroad
- Insurance Health for visitors outside European Union;




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
E LA-CORU01	incoming.rril@udc.es +34 981167000 Ext. 1981	http://www.udc.es/ori/infestudantesextranxeiros/mobilidade_Erasmus/guia_acolida_UDC/aloxamento.html
P LISBOA03	Email: div.a.ae.mobilidade@fct.unl.pt Tel.: + 351 21 294 78 20/7	http://www.fct.unl.pt/en/student/student-orientation-and-mobility/students-mobility-study-sms

G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature ⁷
E LA-CORU01	Xosé Luis Armesto – Rector	07/01/2014	
P LISBOA03	Prof. José Esteves Pereira Institutional Coordinator	24 JAN. 2014	 

⁷ Scanned signatures are accepted

