

Erasmus+ Programme

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

Inter-institutional agreement 2014/15-2020/21 between programme countries

Minimum requirements

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 (email, phone)	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
Klaipedos universitetas (Klaipeda University)	LT KLAIPEDO 1	ERASMUS Institutional Coordinator Ms Nora Venslovaitė, Herkaus Manto 84, LT- 92294 Klaipėda, Lithuania, Tel: +370 46 398951, Fax: +370 46398952 Dalia Želvytė- Mockuvienė, dalia.zelvyte- mockuviene@ku.lt (STA, STT) Monika Kontenytė, monika.kontenyte@ku.lt (outgoing students) Ernesta Prūsaitė, ernesta.prusaite@ku.lt (incoming students) Departmental coordinator: Prof. Vygantas Vareikis, The Head of History Department, vygantas.vareikis@gmail.com	ERASMUS incoming information: www.ku.lt/en/ Lecture catalogue: http://www.ku.lt/en/international-studies-and-admission/international-studies/non-degree-studies/ Semester dates: 1st June, 1st November http://www.ku.lt/briai/

Uniwersyte	PL	International Programmes Office, Nicolaus Copernicus	ERASMUS incoming information:
t Mikołaja Kopernika	TORUNO	University,	http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/erasmus/
w Toruniu		ul. Gagarina 11, 87-100 Toruń, Poland; tel/fax. +48	Lecture catalogue:
(Nicolaus Copernicus University		56 6114929, tel. 611 - 4928, -2246	http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/erasmus/students/study/
in Toruń)		Ewa Derkowska-Rybicka	Semester dates:
,		(ewader@umk.pl) - Erasmus Institutional Coordinator (STA , STT)	http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/guide/calendar/
		Małgorzata Grudzińska (incoming@erasmus.umk.p i) - incoming students; placements	
		Marta Wiśniewska (mawi@umk.pl), Marta Błaszczyk (martaslo@umk.pl) - outgoing students;	
		placements	
		Collegium Medicum in Bydgoszcz (medical sciences): International Programmes	http://www.cm.umk.pl/en/
;		Department ul. M. Curie Skłodowskiej 9,	
. :		85-067 Bydgoszcz tel. (52) 585-36-91	
:		Paulina Gyrkow e-mail: erasmus@cm.umk.pl	
Faculty of History	PL TORUNO 1	Faculty coordinator: Dr Andrzej Nieuważny aen@umk.pl, tel 48 56 611 3747	
		Institute of History and Archival Sciences, ul.	
		Władysława Bojarskiego 1,	
		87-100 Toruń	
		Department coordinator	
:		Prof. Dr Daniel Makowiecki	
		makdan@umk.pl	
		Institute of Archaeology,	
		Szosa Bydgoska 44/48; 87-100 Toruń;	
		tel. tel. +48 (56) 611 2349	

B. Mobility numbers 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 (SMS)

FROM [Erasmus code of the	TO [Erasmus code of the	t area code		Study cycle [short cycle, 1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd]	Number of student mobility periods Student Mobility for Studies
	receiving institution]	[ISCE D]			[total number of months of the study periods or average duration]
LT KLAIPED01	PL TORUND1	0222	History and archaeology	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	3 students x5 months=15 th months
PL TORUNO1	LT KLAIPED01	0222	History and archaeology	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd	3 students x5 months=15 th months

[*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.]

Staff Mobility (STA and STT)

FROM [Erasmus code of the	TO [Erasmus code of the	Subject area code	Subject area name *	Number of staff mo Staff Mobility for	
sending institution]	receiving institution]	* [ISCED]		Teaching [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration *]	
LT KLAIPEDO1	PL TORUN01	0222	History and archeology	2 teachers Min. 2 days and min. 8 hours each teacher	tbd
PL TORUN01	LT KLAIPED01	0222	History and archeology	2 teachers Min. 2 days and min. 8 hours each teacher	tbd

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:

institution Sub	onal: Language ject of instruc- ea tion 1	Language of instruc- tion 2	Student Mobility for Studies	nguage of instruction level ¹ Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level:
			[Minimum recommended level: B1]	<i>B2</i>]
LT KLAIPED01	English	Lithuanian	B1	B2
PL TORUN01	Polish	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].

Students applying for an Erasmus at NCU should meet the following language requirements: B2 of English (both in writing and speaking). Moreover, respective faculties esp. language departments may have higher requirements. Students should present a language certificate proving their language competences.

D. Additional requirements

LT KLAIPEDO1: www.ku.lt/en/

PL TORUNG1:

- The list of Erasmus coordinators at NCU is available at http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/erasmus/coordinators/
- Erasmus students who wish to follow courses at more than one faculty at NCU need to obtain the approval of a coordinator/dean of a respective/particular faculty.
- Erasmus students interested in writing a final BA-/MA-/PhD-thesis at NCU should ask a respective coordinator to get an approval to do so. Final theses need to be graded by the home institution/not by NCU.
- Nicolaus Copernicus University attempts at facilitating the Erasmus exchange students with disabilities or permanent illnesses. Our International Programmes Office, in cooperation with the Section for Students with Disabilities, tries to meet your special needs.
 - More details and steps to follow available at:

http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/erasmus/students/disabled/

Contact:

International Programmes Office in Toruń, +48 56 6114928 <u>incoming@erasmus.umk.pl</u>
International Programmes Department in Bydgoszcz, +48 52 5853691 <u>erasmus@cm.umk.pl</u>

Additional information on medical care at NCU in Toruń is available at http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/quide/issues/#A2/

• Health and safety issues are a very important matter at our university, therefore, during the Orientation Weeks we offer Erasmus students a special pack concerning Emergency Issues. We also provide students with a psychological help during their Erasmus stay in Torun.

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

• Contact:

an English speaking psychologist counselling@erasmus.umk.pl

 For the implementation of STA/STT-mobilities, – incoming staff is required to get confirmation of invitation by an NCU contact person from the respective faculty in reasonable advance in order to prepare a satisfactory programme of teaching/training.

E. Calendar

1. Information on nominated students and their applications must reach the receiving institution by:

[Erasmı	ıs code]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
LT KLAIPED01		1 st June	1 st November
PL TORUNO1		June, 1st	November, 1st

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

LT KLAIPED01:

- 2. The receiving institution will send its decision within 4 weeks.
- 3. A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than five weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI.

PL TORUNO1:

Partner institutions should send their nominations by email (pls. give student's first and family name, email, area of studies and semester of Erasmus scholarship).

Students should apply according to the procedure given on

http://www.umk.pi/en/cooperation/erasmus/students/application

The online application should be submitted by the students by the 1st of June or 1st of November.

2. The receiving institution will send its decision within 6 weeks.

Transcript of Records

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, given that the transcript form and all relevant course work documents have been submitted by the student.

Termination of the agreement

The inter-institutional agreement may be amended by mutual agreement. The inter-institutional agreement may be terminated by either party. In the event of unilateral termination, a notice of at least one academic year should be given. In the event of such notice being given, all existing commitments to staff or students will be fulfilled. 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

LT KLAIPED01: http://www.ku.lt/en/studies/ects-grading-scale/

PL TORUNO1:

The Nicolaus Copernicus University follows the ECTS scheme, which means that ECTS credits are allocated to course units, lectures, practical works, etc. at each faculty. In ECTS, 60 credits represent one year of study (in terms of workload); normally 30 credits are given for six months (a term/semester).

The Polish grading system in higher education is based on the 5 to 2 scale, where 5 is the best mark and 2 is the worst

Moreover, students can also be marked with additional signs of + and -. Each of them equals half a point: + means 0.5 more. Some courses, however, are not evaluated on such a marking scheme and for these a student may simply obtain zal. or zaliczenie (EN. 'pass') which means that their workload was satisfactory and they have passed the course.

Uniwersytet M Kopernika w T		ECTS		
Grade	Gra	de Predicate		
5	A	Very Good		
4,5	В	Better than good		
4	С	Good		
3,5	D	Better than satisfactory		
3	E	Satisfactory		
2	F	Unsatisfactory / Fail		
Zal / Pass		Participation; i.e. the student has successfully and regularly attended the course.		

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:

Institutio [Erasmus code]		Website for information
LT KLAIPED01	ernesta.prusaite@ku.lt	http://www.ku.lt/en/
PL TORUN01	incoming@erasmus.umk.pl Tel. Toruń campus (+48 56 611 4928) erasmus@cm.umk.pl Tel. Collegium Medicum in Bydgoszcz	http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/guide/issues/#A1 Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs www.msz.gov.pl/en/travel to poland/

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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
LT KLAIPED01	ernesta.prusaite@ku.lt	http://www.ku.lt/en/
PL TORUNO1	incoming@erasmus.umk.pl Tel. Toruń campus (+48 56 611 4928) erasmus@cm.umk.pl Tel. Collegium Medicum in Bydgoszcz (+48 52 585 3691)	http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/guide/issues/#A2

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] LT KLAIPED 01	(email, phone)	Mebsite for information http://www.ku.lt/en/international-studies-and- admission/admission/accommodation/
PL TORUN 01	incoming@erasmus.umk.pl Tel. Toruń campus (+48 56 611 4928) erasmus@cm.umk.pl Tel. Collegium Medicum in Bydgoszcz (+48 52 585 3691)	http://www.umk.pi/en/cooperation/erasmus/students/application/ #Accommodation http://www.umk.pl/en/cooperation/guide/accommodation/

G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature ²
LT KLAIPED01	Erasmus Institutional coordinator: Ms Nora Venslovaitė	03.12.2013	TARPTAUTINIŲ KRIUS KONTONIO STUDIJŲ SKYRIUS KONTONIŲ SKYRIUS (K.)
PL TORUN01		po. 12. 20 ts	Wydziału Nan Wydzi

^{*} At PL TORUN01 single-subject agreements are signed by the dean of the respected faculty, while multi-subject agreements by the Vice-rector for Education.

Scanned signatures are accepted