

#### **Erasmus+ Programme**

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

## Inter-institutional agreement 2018-2020/21 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)
Stockholm University  Department of Slavic and Baltic Studies, Finnish, Dutch and German	S STOCKHO 01	Departmental coordinator: Dr Renata Ingbrant renata.ingbrant@slav.su.se phone +46 8 16 33 29 ERASMUS Programme Administrator Elena Tordengren elena.tordengren@slav.s u.se Phone: +46-08-16 33 40	University web site:  www.su.se/english  Semester dates:  https://www.su.se/english/educati on/courses/term-dates  Course catalogue:  www.su.se/english/study/courses  Departmental website:  https://www.slav.su.se/utbildn ing/studieinformation/utlandss tudier/studenci-z-polski-
Uniwersytet Mikołaja Kopernika w Toruniu (Nicolaus	PL TORUN01	Department of International Cooperation, Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, ul. Gagarina 11, 87-100 Toruń, Poland; tel/fax. +48	1.37742  ERASMUS incoming information:  http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/  Lecture catalogue:  http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/cours

Copernicus University in		56 6114929, tel. 611 -4928, -2246, -4788	es/
Toruń)		Marta Wiśniewska (mawi@umk.pl) – Erasmus Institutional Coordinator (STA, STT)	Semester dates: <a href="http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/downloads/">http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/downloads/</a>
		Małgorzata Grudzińska (incoming@erasmus.umk.pl) - incoming students Katarzyna Fus (incoming@erasmus.umk.pl) - incoming students Agnieszka Polewczyńska (incoming@erasmus.umk.pl) - incoming students Marta Błaszczyk (outgoing@erasmus.umk.pl) - outgoing students, placements Martyna Malec (outgoing@erasmus.umk.pl)	
		placement@erasmus.umk.pl ) - outgoing students, outgoing/incoming placements	
		Collegium Medicum in Bydgoszcz (medical sciences): Department of Projects and International Cooperation ul. Jagiellońska 13 85-067 Bydgoszcz tel. (52) 585-36-91	http://www.cm.umk.pl/en/
		Paulina Gyrkow e-mail: <u>erasmus@cm.umk.pl</u> Aleksandra Laskowska e-mail: <u>erasmus@cm.umk.pl</u>	
Faculty of Philology	PL TORUN01	Faculty coordinator:  Dr hab. Marzenna Cyzman Polish Philology mcyzman@umk.pl	

### 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 sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code [ISCED]	Subject area name	Study cycle [short cycle, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> ]	Number of student mobility periods  Student Mobility for Studies  [total number of months of the
					study periods or average duration]
s sтоскноо1	PL TORUN01		Languages and Philological Sciences	All	2 students x 15 months
PL TORUN01	S STOCKHO01		Languages and Philological Sciences	All	2 students x 15 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 TO Subject Subject area code area name			Number of staff mobility periods		
[Erasmus code of the sending institution]	[Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	* [ISCED]		Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration *]	Staff Mobility for Training *
S STOCKHOO1	PL TORUNO1		Languages and Philological Studies	1 teacher x 5 days	Upon individual request
PL TORUN01	S STOCKHO01		Languages and Philological Studies	2 teachers x 5 days	Upon individual request

#### 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: Subject	Language of instruc-	Language of instruc-		guage of instruction vel <sup>1</sup>
[Erasmus code]	area	tion 1	tion 2	Student Mobility for Studies	Staff Mobility for Teaching
				[Minimum recommended level: 81]	[Minimum recommended level: B2]
S STOCKHO01		Polish	English	B2	B2
PL TORUN01	AND THE PARTY OF T	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

#### S STOCKHOO1:

Erasmus students who wish to follow courses at more than one department at Stockholm University need to obtain the approval of a coordinator.

Students and staff with disabilities are welcome to Stockholm University. Arrangements for the exchange have to be agreed on before nomination. The sending institution is responsible for covering all extra costs in connection with exchange.

www.su.se/english/study/student-services/studying-with-a-disability

#### PL TORUNO1:

The list of Erasmus coordinators at NCU is available at http://www.umk.pl/en/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: <a href="http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/students/applying/disabled/">http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/students/applying/disabled/</a>

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>

#### 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/erasmus/life/guide/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.

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 repre a satisfactory programme of teaching/training.

#### E. Calendar

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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	n Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
S STOCKHOO1	No later than May 1	No later than October 1
PL TORUN01	June, 1st	November, 1st

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

#### S STOCKHOO1:

- 1. Partner institutions should send their nominations by email (provide student's first and family name, e-mail, area of studies and semester of Erasmus exchange).
- 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 5 weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI.

#### 4. Termination of the agreement

If one or both parties wish to terminate the agreement a notice period 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 20XX will only take effect as of 1 September 20XX+1. Neither the European Commission nor the National Agencies can be held responsible in case of a conflict.

#### 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 <a href="http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/students/applying/application">http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/students/applying/application</a>

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

#### S STOCKHOO1

ſ	Grading system	www.su.se/english/study/courses/higher-education-system
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#### PL TORUN01:

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 Mikołąja Kopernika w Toruniu	ECTS	
Grade	Grade	Predicate
-5	A	Very Good
4,5	В	Better than good
A	c	Good
3,5	D	Better than satisfactory
3	E	Satisfactory

2		Unsatisfactory / Fail
Zal / Pass	Participation; i.e. the student has successfully and regularly attended the course.	
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#### 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
S STOCKHO01		Migration Board: https://www.migrationsverket.se/English/Startpage.ht ml
PL TORUN01	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/erasmus/life/guide/issues/#A1 Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs www.msz.gov.pl/en/travel to poland/

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
S STOCKHO01		Student insurance: https://www.su.se/english/education/student- life/practicalities/insurance-information-1,343465
		For visiting staff: www.su.se/english/staff-info/personnel/insurance-for- researchers
PL TORUN01	incoming@erasmus.um k.pl Tel. Toruń campus (+48 56 611 4928)	http://www.umk.pl/en/erasmus/life/guide/issues/#A2
	<u>erasmus@cm.umk.pl</u> Tel. Collegium	

Medicum in Bydgoszcz (+48 52 585 3691)	

#### 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	
<b>S STOCKHO01</b>		www.su.se/english/study/student- services/housing	
PL TORUN01	incoming@erasmus.u mk.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/erasmus/life/guide/accommodation/	

#### G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature <sup>2</sup>
S STOCKHOO1	Head of Department Docent Tora Hedin Prefekt	04.12.2018	on fel
PL TORUN01	Deen of the Foulty of Conquege	11.12.2018	Dziekan

dr hab. Przemysław Nehring, prof. UMK

<sup>\*</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> Scanned signatures are accepted