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**Erasmus Belgica**

**Inter-institutional agreement 2021-2027**

**[Minimum requirements][[1]](#footnote-1)**

The institutions named below agree to cooperate for the exchange of students and/or staff in the context of the Erasmus Belgica Programme.

**A. Information about higher education institutions**

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| **Name of the institution****(and department, where relevant)** | **Erasmus code** | **Contact details[[2]](#footnote-2)****(email, phone)** | **Website****(eg. of the course catalogue)** |
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| *[...]* |  |  |  |

**B. Mobility numbers[[3]](#footnote-3) 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.]*

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| **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, 1st , 2nd or 3rd]\**** | **Number of student mobility periods** |
| Student Mobility for Studies*[total number of months of the study periods or average duration\*]* | *Student Mobility for Traineeships\** |
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 *[\*Optional: subject area code & name and study cycle are optional. Inter-institutional agreements are not compulsory for Student Mobility for Traineeships. 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 periods or average duration can be indicated if relevant.]*

**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:

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| **Receiving institution[Erasmus code]** | ***Optional: Subject area***  | **Languageof instruc­tion 1** | **Languageof instruc­tion 2** | **Recommended language of instruction level[[4]](#footnote-4)**[*Minimum recommended level: B1*] |
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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**

 *[To be completed if necessary, other requirements may be added on academic or organisational aspects, e.g. the selection criteria for students; measures for preparing, receiving and integrating mobile students]*

*[Please specify whether the institutions have the infrastructure to welcome students and staff with disabilities.]*

**E. Calendar**

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

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| **Receiving institution****[Erasmus code]** | **Autumn term\*****[month]** | **Spring term\*****[month]** |
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*[\* to be adapted in case of a trimester system]*

2. The receiving institution will send its decision within [x] weeks.

3. A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than [xx] weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI. *[It should normally not exceed five weeks]*

4. Termination of the agreement

*[It is up to the involved institutions to agree on the procedure for modifying or terminating the inter-institutional agreement. However, 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 20XX will only take effect as of 1 September 20XX+1. The termination clauses must include the following disclaimer: "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’ guide[[5]](#footnote-5). 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.]*

**2. Visa**

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outbound mobile participants.

Information and assistance can be provided by the following contact points and information sources:

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| **Institution [Erasmus code]** | **Contact details****(email, phone)** | **Website for information** |
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**3. Insurance**

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance in obtaining insurance for incoming and outbound mobile participants.

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:

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| **Institution [Erasmus code]** | **Contact details****(email, phone)** | **Website for information** |
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**4. Housing**

The receiving institution will guide incoming mobile participants in finding accommodation.

Information and assistance can be provided by the following persons and information sources:

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| **Institution [Erasmus code]** | **Contact details****(email, phone)** | **Website for information** |
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**G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)**

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| **Institution** **[Erasmus code]** | **Name, function** | **Date** | **Signature[[6]](#footnote-6)** |
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1. Clauses may be added to this template agreement to better reflect the nature of the institutional partnership. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Contact details to reach the senior officer in charge of this agreement and of its possible updates. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. 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*](http://www.uis.unesco.org/Education/Pages/international-standard-classification-of-education.aspx)*)* [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
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> [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
5. <http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-policy/ects_en.htm> [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
6. Scanned signatures are accepted [↑](#footnote-ref-6)