

# **Erasmus+ Programme**

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

## Inter-institutional agreement 2014-21 between programme countries

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)
Warsaw University of Technology, Faculty of Physcis (Politechnika Warszawska, Wydział Fizyki)	PL WARSZAW02	The Faculty Coordinator: Dr Sławomir Ertman Physics Building, room 8a, <u>erasmus@if.pw.edu.pl</u> tel. +48 22 234 51 82 00-662 Warszawa, ul. Koszykowa 75	http://fizyka.pw.edu.pl http://if.pw.edu.pl/~eras mus http://www.fizyka.pw.edu.pl /index.php?option=com_facu ltyinfo&Itemid=186
Institutional Erasmus Coordinator Attention: Mrs Bożena Snopińska is WUT's Main Erasmus Coordinator not the Faculty Coordinator	PL WARSZAW02	Bożena Snopińska, Main Erasmus Coordinator Warsaw Univ. of Technology ul. Noakowskiego 18/20 00-668 Warszawa tel.: +48 22 234 7404 fax.: +48 22 629 8009	https://www.cwm.pw.ed u.pl/index .phtml?item1 =programy edukacyjne& item2=erasmus
UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI FIRENZE	I FIRENZE01	e-mail: erasmusplus@adm.unifi.it Tel. +39 055 2757682-7690	http://www.unifi.it

## 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 [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subjec t 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*]
I FIRENZE01	PL WARSZAW02	0533	Physics	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> cycle	2/20

PL WARSZAW02	FIRENZE01 0533	Physics	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> cycle	2/20
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FROM	ТО	Subject Subject area area nam		Number of staff mobility periods		
[Erasmus code of the sending institution]	[Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	area a code * [ISCED]	*	Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration *]	Staff Mobility for Training *	
I FIRENZE01	PL WARSZAW02	0533	Physics	1 x 5 days = 5 days	See section D	
PL WARSZAW02	I FIRENZE01	0533	Physics	1 x 5 days = 5 days	See section D	

### 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 area	Language of instruc-	Language of instruc-	Recommended language of instruction level	
[Erasmus code]	anca	tion 1	tion 2	Student Mobility for Studies	Staff Mobility for Teaching
PL WARSZAW02	0533 Physics	Polish	English	B2	В2
I FIRENZE01	0533 Physics	Italian	English	B1,B2	Address School Erasmus coordinator at: http://www.unifi.it/cmpro- v-p-743.html

#### **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 and staff; measures for preparing, receiving and integrating mobile students and/or staff]

I FIRENZE01:

#### Università degli Studi di Firenze:

a- Application forms for incoming students are available in the official website: <u>www.unifi.it</u> –under Section: Students from Abroad/ Incoming Erasmus students

b- There is no official application deadline in UNIFI, but some Schools may ask for it due to organizational reasons, so please address the Erasmus coordinator of the hosting School when nominating your outgoing students (contact list available at: <a href="http://www.unifi.it/cmpro-v-p-743.html">http://www.unifi.it/cmpro-v-p-743.html</a>).

c- Incoming Erasmus students can attend one Italian Language course without paying any fees, but courses are offered starting from A2 level, considering the basic A1 level as acquired. To register to this course students should fill an on-line application available at: <a href="http://www.unifi.it/itacla/">http://www.unifi.it/itacla/</a>

d A knowledge of the Italian language corresponding to B1 level is strongly recommended to attend courses in Italian. Officially no certification is required, but some Schools may ask for it, so please address the Erasmus coordinator of the hosting School (http://www.unifi.it/cmpro-v-p-743.html) for further information on language certification requirements when nominating your outgoing students.

e Student mobility for placement purposes (SMP) is possible only upon specific or individual agreement (Letter of Intent) between the sending and the hosting School/Department.

f For the implementation of staff training mobility (STT) a letter of invitation, issued by a contact person in UNIFI, is required.

g Students and staff with disabilities may ask in advance information on available supports at: <u>cespd@unifi.it</u> (www.cedis.unifi.it)

#### PL WARSZAW02:

Application forms for incoming students will be available at the following website: <u>http://if.pw.edu.pl/~erasmus</u>

At the date of signing the agreement, Warsaw University of Technology, Faculty of Physics has limited infrastructure to welcome students and staff with physical disabilities: each case will be analysed individually.

The Faculty of Physics WUT at the date of signing the agreement has no regular teaching program in English, however selected lectures are regularly given in English. Moreover each year a few visiting professors are giving a special lectures in English. For English speaking incoming students an individual teaching programs will be arranged. A full master programme is scheduled to start at 2015 (specialization: photonics).

#### E. Calendar

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

Receiving institution	Autumn term*	Spring term*
[Erasmus code]	[month]	[month]

I FIRENZEO1	There is no official deadline but please address the Erasmus Coordinator ( <u>http://www.unifi.it/cmpro-v-p-743.html</u> ) of the host School when nominating your students to UNIFI, because terms n be set for organizational reasons.	
PL WARSZAW02	May 30-th	November, 30th

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

- 2. The receiving institution will send its decision within 2 weeks, I FIRENZE01: 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

The present contract may be modified by either party in agreement with the other party. The parties agree to solve in a friendly manner any controversy arising from the interpretation of the present agreement. In the event of unilateral termination, a notice of at least one academic year should be given to the other party. Neither the European Commission nor the National Agencies can be held responsible in case of a conflict.

In the event that notice of termination of the agreement is given, students who have already been selected and accepted for the exchange programme may still participate. Notwithstanding the termination of the agreement, each institution agrees that it will continue to fulfil its responsibilities to exchange students already registered at their institution until the completion of their particular exchange period.

## F. Information

#### 1. Grading systems of the institutions

#### PL-WARSZAW02:

Grades at the Faculty of Physics, Warsaw University of Technology:

Local grade	ECTS Grade	Definition
5.0	A	Very good
4.5	В	Above good
4.0	С	Good
3.5	D	Fairly good
3.0	E	Satisfactory
2.0	F	Fail

Exchange students have to take 30 credits ECTS per semester or 60 credits ECTS for the year.

I FIRENZE01: UNIFI adopts a system compatible with ECTS. The grading system ranges from 0 to 30, with 18 as passing grade. A "cum laude" may be added to the highest grade (30) as a mention of special distinction. Under this frame work each

School adopts its own conversion tables. UNIFI is currently working on the introduction of the ECTS system.

#### <u> 2. Visa</u>

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	
I FIRENZE01	http://www.unifi.it/vp-729-incoming-erasmus-students.html - Handbook - Useful Information		
PL WARSZAW02	erasums@if.pw.edu.pl +48 22 234 5182	http://www.msz.gov.pl/en/travel_to_poland/visa/visa	

#### 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	
PL WARSZAW02	Central Office of the National Health Found - the International Affairs Office ul. Grójecka 186, 02-390 Warszawa, Poland tel.+48 22 572 6268 fax: +48 22 572 6319 email: ca17@nfz.gov.pl	https://www.ekuz.nfz.gov.pl/en/info_dla uprawnionych_z_innych/general- information-concerning-access-health- care-during-temporary-st	
I FIRENZE01	http://www.unifi.it/vp-729-incoming-erasmus-students.html - Handbook - Useful Information		

#### 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:

Contact details	Website for
(email, phone)	information
http://www.unifi.it/vp-729-incoming-eras - Useful Information	<u>smus-students.html</u> - Handbook
Student's dormitories:	https://kwaterunek.ssp
seks@samorzad.pw.edu.pl	w.pl
	(email, phone) <u>http://www.unifi.it/vp-729-incoming-eras</u> - Useful Information Student's dormitories:

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

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature <sup>1</sup> and stamp
I FIRENZEO1	Prof. Anna Nozzoli Vice-Rector	12/02/2014	Our free sould need
PL WARSZAW02	Prof. dr hab Mirosław Karpierz Dean of the Faculty of Physics	<b>2</b> 1 LUT. 2014	PRODZIEKAN ds. NAUCZANIA Wydziału Fizyki PW prof. nzw. dr hab. (nz. Józef Dygas

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<sup>1</sup> Scanned signatures are accepted