



# Erasmus+ Programme

### Bilateral Inter-Institutional Agreement

**Key Action 1** 

Learning Mobility for Higher Education Students and Staff

among EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme

The institutions 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, including automatic recognition of the credits awarded to students by the partner institution as agreed in the Learning Agreement and confirmed in the Transcript of Records, or according to the learning outcomes of the modules completed abroad, as described in the Course Catalogue, in line with the European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System. The institutions agree on exchanging their mobility related data in line with the technical standards of the European Student Card Initiative.

#### Grading systems of the institutions

Receiving higher education institutions need to provide a link to the statistical distribution of grades or make the information available through EGRACONS according to the descriptions in the ECTS users' guide. The information will facilitate the interpretation of each grade awarded to students and will facilitate the credit transfer by the sending institution.

## Validity period of the agreement

| Timeframe         | Academic Year* | Call Year* |
|-------------------|----------------|------------|
| Start of validity | 2022/2023      |            |
| End of validity   | 2027/2028      |            |

<sup>\*</sup> One of the two options should be selected.

## A. Information about higher education institutions

| Name of the institution (and department, where relevant) | Erasmus code | Contact details<br>(email, phone)   | Website              |
|--|--------------|---|----------------------|
| Università degli Studi di CATANIA                        | I CATANIA01  | Agreement signer IRRERA DANIELA daniela.irrera@unict.it International Agreement office FAGONE BUSCIMESE ANTONIO antonio.fagone@unict.it | https://www.unict.it |



|                            |            | International Agreement office<br>URSINO CRISTINA<br>c.ursino@unict.it  |                             |
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|                            |            | Departmental coordinator FIANNACCA PATRIZIA patrizia.fiannacca@unict.it   |                             |
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|                            |            | Other office FIANNACCA PATRIZIA patrizia.fiannacca@unict.it   |                             |
| UNIVERZITA KARLOVA V PRAZE | CZ PRAHA07 | Departmental coordinator Karel Martinek karel.martinek@natur.cuni.cz International Mobility office Dominik Obruca erasmus@ruk.cuni.cz International Mobility office Pavel Knap pavel.knap@ruk.cuni.cz Other office Jiri ZaK jiri.zak@natur.cuni.cz Agreement signer Ester Brožová Erasmus@ruk.cuni.cz | https://cuni.cz/UKEN-1.html |

# B. Mobility numbers per academic year

## **Study**

| FROM<br>[Erasmus code<br>of the sending<br>institution] | TO<br>[Erasmus code<br>of the receiving<br>institution] | Subject area<br>code<br>[ISCED] | Subject area<br>name | Study cycle<br>[1st , 2nd or<br>3rd] | Number of<br>students<br>[total<br>number of<br>students] | Number of<br>student<br>mobility<br>periods<br>[total<br>number of<br>months] |
|---|---|---------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| I CATANIA01   | CZ PRAHA07  | 0532                            | Earth sciences       | 1st, 2nd, 3rd                        | 3   | 18  |
| CZ PRAHA07  | I CATANIA01   | 0532                            | Earth sciences       | 1st, 2nd, 3rd                        | 3   | 18  |

## **Teaching**

| FROM<br>[Erasmus code<br>of the sending<br>institution] | TO<br>[Erasmus code<br>of the receiving<br>institution] |      | Subject area name | for Teaching | Periods for<br>Teaching<br>[total number of<br>days of<br>teaching<br>periods] |
|---|---|------|-------------------|--------------|--|
| I CATANIA01   | CZ PRAHA07  | 0532 | Earth sciences    | 2            | 14   |
| CZ PRAHA07  | I CATANIA01   | 0532 | Earth sciences    | 2            | 14   |

# 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:

#### **Students**

| Institution<br>[Erasmus code] | Language required | Recommended language level |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| I CATANIA01                   | Italian           | A2 - Elementary            |
| I CATANIA01                   | English           | B1 - Intermediate          |
| CZ PRAHA07                    | Czech             | B2 - Upper Intermediate    |
| CZ PRAHA07                    | English           | B2 - Upper Intermediate    |

#### **Staff**

| Institution<br>[Erasmus code] | Language required | Recommended language<br>level |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| I CATANIA01                   | Italian           | A2 - Elementary               |
| I CATANIA01                   | English           | B2 - Upper Intermediate       |
| CZ PRAHA07                    | Czech             | B2 - Upper Intermediate       |
| CZ PRAHA07                    | English           | B2 - Upper Intermediate       |

#### D. Calendar

#### Nominations of incoming students must reach the institution by:

| Institution<br>[Erasmus code] | Autumn term<br>[month] | Spring term<br>[month] |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| I CATANIA01                   | 01/06                  | 01/11                  |
| CZ PRAHA07                    | June 15th              | October 31st           |

#### Applications from incoming students must reach the institution by:

| Institution<br>[Erasmus code] | Autumn term<br>[month] | Spring term<br>[month] |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| I CATANIA01                   | 30/06                  | 30/11                  |
| CZ PRAHA07                    | June 15th              | October 31st           |

#### **Application procedure for incoming students**

| Receiving institution<br>[Erasmus code] | Contact details (email, phone)   | Website for information |
|---|--|-------------------------|
| I CATANIA01                             | Sebastiano Finocchiaro<br>Email: sfino@unict.it<br>Phone: +39095/7307049 |                         |
| CZ PRAHA07                              |  |                         |



## E. Additional requirements

| Receiving institution [Erasmus code] | Requirement | Details | Website for information (if applicable) |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|---------|---|
| I CATANIA01                          |             |         |   |
| CZ PRAHA07                           |             |         |   |

The receiving institution will send its decision within [5] weeks, and no later than 5 weeks.

## Inclusion and accessibility

The institution will provide support to incoming mobile participants with fewer opportunities, 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:

| Receiving institution [Erasmus code] | Available infrastructure adjusted for people with:                  | Description of infrastructure (optional) | Contact details (email, phone)                                 | Website for information    |
|--------------------------------------|---|--|--|----------------------------|
| I CATANIA01                          | Reduced mobility     Hearing     impairments     Visual impairments | Disability Advisory<br>Centre (Cinap)    | Phone: +390957307185/ 188<br>/ 191<br>Email: cs.cinap@unict.it | http://www.cinap.unict.it/ |

## 1.Housing

The institution will provide support to incoming mobile participants with fewer opportunities, 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 CATANIA01                | Sebastiano Finocchiaro<br>Email: sfino@unict.it<br>Phone: +39095/7307049 | https://www.unict.it/it/internazionale/services-and-facilities          |
| CZ PRAHA07                 |  | erasmus@ruk.cuni.cz +420 224 491 710<br>http://www.cuni.cz/UK-2073.html |

#### 2.Visa

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outgoing 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 CATANIA01                | Sebastiano Finocchiaro<br>Email: sfino@unict.it<br>Phone: +39095/7307049 | https://www.unict.it/internazionale/non-ue-student<br>s-support-service-cultural-mediator |
| CZ PRAHA07                 |  | erasmus@ruk.cuni.cz +420 224 491 710<br>http://www.cuni.cz/UK-2045.html                   |

#### 3.Insurance

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance in obtaining insurance for incoming and outgoing 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   |
|----------------------------|--|---|
| I CATANIA01                | Sebastiano Finocchiaro<br>Email: sfino@unict.it<br>Phone: +39095/7307049 | https://www.unict.it/it/internazionale/services-and-facilities          |
| CZ PRAHA07                 |  | erasmus@ruk.cuni.cz +420 224 491 710<br>http://www.cuni.cz/UK-2045.html |

#### 4. Additional information

| Receiving institution<br>[Erasmus code] | Information on recognition process / | Contact details (email, phone)  | Website for information   |
|---|--------------------------------------|---|---|
|   | other useful information:            |   |   |
| I CATANIA01                             |                                      | Sebastiano Finocchiaro Email: sfino@unict.it Phone: +39095/7307049  International Agreement office FAGONE BUSCIMESE ANTONIO antonio.fagone@unict.it  International Agreement office URSINO CRISTINA c.ursino@unict.it | https://www.unict.it/sites/default/ files/files/ECTS%20GRADE%20SYSTEM(1 ).pdf |
| CZ PRAHA07                              |                                      |   | https://cuni.cz/UKEN-361.html   |

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 according to the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education guidelines]

#### Any other information regarding the terms of the agreement (optional)

#### 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: "Neither the European Commission nor the National Agencies can be held responsible in case of a conflict."]

# G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

| Institution<br>[Erasmus code] | Name, function  | Date | Signature |
|-------------------------------|---|------|-----------|
| I CATANIA01                   | Agreement signer IRRERA DANIELA daniela.irrera@unict.it |      |           |
| CZ PRAHA07                    |   |      |           |