



# Erasmus+ Programme

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

## Inter-institutional agreement 2018/2019-2020/2021 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)
Università degli Studi di Messina	I MESSINA01	Unità Organizzativa Relazioni Internazionali P.zza Pugliatti 1, 98122 Messina – ITALY  <b>Institutional Coordinator</b> Dott. Giuseppe Lucchese <a href="mailto:glucchese@unime.it">glucchese@unime.it</a>  <b>Academic Coordinator</b> Prof. Caterina Faggio Dipartimento di Scienze Chimiche, Biologiche, Farmaceutiche e Ambientali <a href="mailto:cfaggio@unime.it">cfaggio@unime.it</a>	<a href="http://www.unime.it/it/international">http://www.unime.it/it/international</a>  <a href="http://www.unime.it/it/dipartimenti/chibiofaram/didattica">http://www.unime.it/it/dipartimenti/chibiofaram/didattica</a>
PANEPISTIMIO PATRON (UNIVERSITY OF PATRAS)	G PATRA01	<b>International Relations Office</b> University Campus, Building A' 265 04 University of Patras – Rio, Patras – Greece <a href="https://www.upatras.gr/el/intrel">https://www.upatras.gr/el/intrel</a> Tel: +30 2610 969028, Fax: +30 2610 994441 <b>Deputy Head of The Dep. of International Affairs:</b> Ms. Maria Kotsari  <b>- Intra-EU &amp; Non-EU Inter-institutional agreements, International universities Networks &amp; Associations. Web Management / Erasmus+ Platform of the International Office, MoUs</b> Contact person: Ms. Maria Kotsari, Email: <a href="mailto:llp.incoming@upatras.gr">llp.incoming@upatras.gr</a>  <b>Intra-EU Erasmus+ Incoming students &amp; staff Mobility</b> Contact person: Ms. Mariza Charalampopoulou Email: <a href="mailto:llp.incoming@upatras.gr">llp.incoming@upatras.gr</a>  <b>- Outgoing Students &amp; teaching/training staff ,</b>	<a href="https://www.upatras.gr/en/ects">https://www.upatras.gr/en/ects</a> <a href="https://www.upatras.gr/el/ects">https://www.upatras.gr/el/ects</a>

		<p><b>National Agency financial account reports, Mobility tool content editor</b> Contact person: Ms Dimitra Stamatopoulou, Email: <a href="mailto:llp.outgoing@upatras.gr">llp.outgoing@upatras.gr</a></p> <p>- <b>Erasmus+ placements management for students, Erasmus+ management &amp; finance, official record of governmental documents</b> Contact person: Ms Jenny Christia Email: <a href="mailto:llp.placements@upatras.gr">llp.placements@upatras.gr</a></p> <p>- <b>Departmental Erasmus+ Co-ordinator</b> Contact person: Eleftheria Rosmaraki Assistant Professor Department of Biology, University of Patras, 26500, Patra, Greece Email: <a href="mailto:rosmaraki@upatras.gr">rosmaraki@upatras.gr</a> +30.2610.997407</p> <p>Conduct person: Stefanos Dailianis Assistant Professor Department of Biology, University of Patras, 26500, Patra, Greece +302610969213 Email: <a href="mailto:sdailianis@upatras.gr">sdailianis@upatras.gr</a></p>	<p><a href="http://www.biology.upatras.gr">www.biology.upatras.gr</a></p>
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## 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.

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code * [[SCED]]	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	Student Mobility for Training Total number of months of the training periods or average duration
I MESSINA01	G PATRA01	0510	Biological and related Sciences	1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup>	2x6=12 months 2x6=12 months 1x6=6 months	2x3=6 months
G PATRA01	I MESSINA01	0510	Biological and related Sciences	1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup>	2x6=12 months 2x6=12 months 1x6=6 months	2x3=6 months

## Staff Mobility (STA & STT)

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area code * [[SCED]]	Subject area name *	Number of staff mobility periods	
				Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration *]	Staff Mobility for Training
I MESSINA01	G PATRA01	0510	Biological and related Sciences	2 x 5 days	1 x 5 days

G PATRA01	I MESSINA01	0510	Biological and related Sciences	2 x 5 days	1 x 5 days
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### 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 [Erasmus code]	Optional: Subject area	Language of instruction 1	Language of instruction 2	Recommended language of instruction level	
				Student Mobility for Studies [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level: B2]
I MESSINA01	G PATRA01	Italian	English	B1* Italian B2 English	B2
G PATRA01	I MESSINA01	Greek	English	B1	B2

\*I MESSINA01: at least with home University declaration. As the majority of our Courses are totally held in Italian, at least a basic Italian language knowledge is COMPULSORY.

### D. Additional requirements

I MESSINA01

Students should highlight any disabilities at application stage so that their needs and requirements can be addressed and the right support assured prior to their acceptance. The University of Messina ensures support to both local and visiting students and staff with disability.

Other informations at <https://www.unime.it/it/ateneo/interventi-specializzati-studenti-diversamente-abili>.

G PATRA01:

### E. Calendar

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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
G PATRA01	Application deadline: June 20 <sup>th</sup> Nomination deadline: May 20 <sup>th</sup>	Application deadline: October 31 <sup>st</sup> Nomination deadline: September 30 <sup>th</sup>
I MESSINA01	15 <sup>th</sup> May – nomination 15 <sup>th</sup> June – Application	15 <sup>th</sup> October – nomination 30 <sup>th</sup> October - Application

- The receiving institution will send its decision within 5 weeks.
- A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than 8 weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI.
- Termination of the agreement

This Collaboration Agreement may be terminated on the following grounds:

- End of stipulated period of validity.
- Mutual agreement between the parties.
- Written notice of termination with 6 months in advance, provided the termination shall not become effective until the end of the stay of the students enrolled in both institutions on the date of notification.

### F. Information

#### 1. Grading systems of the institutions

I MESSINA01 grading system:

Please refer to: <http://www.unime.it/it/international/ects-e-diploma-supplement-0>

G PATRA01grading system:

Please refer to: <https://www.upatras.gr/en/ects> and <https://www.upatras.gr/el/ects>

#### ECTS GRADE

ECTS Grade	% of successful students normally achieving the grade	
A	10	EXCELLENT
B	25	VERY GOOD
C	30	GOOD
D	25	SATISFACTORY
E	10	SUFFICIENT
FX	-	FAIL – some more work required before the credit can be awarded
F	-	FAIL – considerable further work is required

#### LOCAL COURSE GRADE

LOCAL Grade	
5-10	PASS
< 5	FAIL

#### LOCAL DEGREE GRADE

LOCAL Grade	
8.50 – 10.00	ΑΡΙΣΤΑ / EXCELLENT
6.50 – 8.49	ΛΙΑΝ ΚΑΛΩΣ / VERY GOOD
5.00 – 6.49	ΚΑΛΩΣ / GOOD

## 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
I MESSINA01	Erasmus Mobility Unit Via. Consolato del Mare – 41 Messina – Italy +39 090 676 8534/8531/8320 erasmus@unime.it	<a href="http://www.unime.it/it/international/international-mobility/erasmus-incoming-students-study">http://www.unime.it/it/international/international-mobility/erasmus-incoming-students-study</a> See compulsory fulfillments in the Erasmus Handbook- Italian immigration rules.
G PATRA01	Tel: +30 2610 997987 Email: <a href="mailto:lp.incoming@upatras.gr">lp.incoming@upatras.gr</a>	<a href="http://www.mfa.gr/en/visas">www.mfa.gr/en/visas</a> & <a href="http://www.upatras.gr/en/erasmus_mobility">http://www.upatras.gr/en/erasmus_mobility</a>

## 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. Incoming students are responsible for insuring themselves prior to the arrival at the Host Institution.

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 MESSINA01	Erasmus Mobility Unit Via. Consolato del Mare – 41 Messina – Italy +39 090 676 8534/8531/8320 erasmus@unime.it	<a href="http://www.unime.it/it/international/international-mobility/erasmus-incoming-students-study">http://www.unime.it/it/international/international-mobility/erasmus-incoming-students-study</a> See compulsory fulfillments in the Erasmus Handbook
G PATRA01	Tel: +30 2610 997987 Email: <a href="mailto:lp.incoming@upatras.gr">lp.incoming@upatras.gr</a>	<a href="http://www.upatras.gr/en/node/178">http://www.upatras.gr/en/node/178</a> & <a href="https://www.upatras.gr/el/care">https://www.upatras.gr/el/care</a>


## 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
G PATRA01	Tel: +30 2610 997987 Email: <a href="mailto:llp_incoming@upatras.gr">llp_incoming@upatras.gr</a>	<a href="https://www.upatras.gr/el/accommodation">https://www.upatras.gr/el/accommodation</a> <a href="https://www.upatras.gr/en/accommodation">https://www.upatras.gr/en/accommodation</a>
I MESSINA01	Erasmus Mobility Unit Via. Consolato del Mare – 41 Messina – Italy +39 090 676 8534/8531/8320 <a href="mailto:erasmus@unime.it">erasmus@unime.it</a>	<a href="http://www.unime.it/it/international/international-mobility/erasmus-incoming-students-study">http://www.unime.it/it/international/international-mobility/erasmus-incoming-students-study</a> (see Accommodation and meals)

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

Institution [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature
G PATRA01	PROF. N. KARAMANOS Vice Rector of Academic & International Affairs ERASMUS + INSTITUTIONAL CO- ORDINATOR	12.10.2018	
I MESSINA01	Prof. Salvatore Cuzzocrea, Rector of the University of Messina		