Erasmus+ Programme

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 Title: P ACORES01_1015 Travel, tourism and leisure_I MESSINA01

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	2024/2025	
End of validity	2028/2029	

^{*} 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 (email, address, phone, fax)	Website
Università degli Studi di MESSINA	I MESSINA01	ENRICO DOMENICO GIOVANNI NICOSIA enicosia@unime.it	http://www.unime.it
		GIUSEPPE LUCCHESE erasmus@unime.it	
		GIOVANNA SPATARI gspatari@unime.it 0902212060	

Name of the Institution (and department, where relevant)	Erasmus Code	Contact details (email, address, phone, fax)	Website
UNIVERSIDADE DOS ACORES	P ACORES01	GRAÇA PINHEIRO CAVACO GRAÇA PINHEIRO CAVACO reitoria.gre@uac.pt	

B. Mobility numbers per academic year

	Si	Subject Subject	Subject	Field of Study Cicle		Numb	er of studen	nt mobility p	eriods Student		
FROM	то	Area Code	Area Name	education - Clarification	UG	PG	D	Student Mobility for studies [total number of students]	Student Mobility for studies [total number of months]	Mobility for Traineeships (optional)	Mobility for Traineeships (optional) [total number of months]
I MESSINA01	P ACORES01	1) 1015-2013	1) Travel, tourism and leisure		х			2	10		
P ACORES01	I MESSINA01	1) 1015-2013	1) Travel, tourism and leisure		х			2	10		

[] Short-term blended mobility option for students

By checking this box, the partners confirm that they are willing to exchange students who wish to carry out their mobility in a blended format, a combination of a short-term physical mobility with a virtual component.

			Number of staff mobility periods				
FROM	то	Subject Area Code	Subject Area Name	Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of staff]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days]	for Training	Staff Mobility for Training (optional) [total number of days]
I MESSINA01	P ACORES01	1) 1015-2013	1) Travel, tourism and leisure	2	20		
P ACORES01	I MESSINA01	1) 1015-2013	1) Travel, tourism and leisure	2	20		

C. Recommended language skills

The sending institution, following agreement with the receiving institution, is responsable 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 Optional: Language of Language of	Recommended language of instruction level				
institution [Erasmus code]	Subject area	instruction 1	instruction 2	Student Mobility for Studies [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level: B2]
P ACORES01		English		LIVELLO B1	

Receiving	Optional:	Language of	Language of instruction 2		led language tion level
institution [Erasmus code]	Subject area	instruction 1		Student Mobility for Studies [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility for Teaching [Minimum recommended level: B2]
I MESSINA01		Italian		LIVELLO B1	
P ACORES01			English		LIVELLO B2
I MESSINA01			English		LIVELLO B2

D. Calendar

Nominations of incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving Institutions [Erasmus code]	Autumn term [day/month]	Spring term [day/month]
Università degli Studi di MESSINA (I MESSINA01)	15-06	15-11
UNIVERSIDADE DOS ACORES (P ACORES01)	31-05	31-10

Applications from incoming students must reach the institution by:

Receiving Institutions [Erasmus code]	Autumn term [day/month]	Spring term [day/month]
Università degli Studi di MESSINA (I MESSINA01)	30-06	30-11
UNIVERSIDADE DOS ACORES (P ACORES01)	30-06	30-11

Application procedure for incoming students

Receiving Institutions [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
Università degli Studi di MESSINA (I MESSINA01)	erasmus@unime.it +39 090 676 8532/8534	https://international.unime.it/mobility/incoming- mobility/erasmus-incoming-students-study
UNIVERSIDADE DOS ACORES (P ACORES01)	ero@uac.pt +351296650169	https://international.uac.pt/erasmus/

E. Additional Requirements

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Requirement	Details	Website for information (if applicable)
I MESSINA01			
P ACORES01	(Req.1) Other	(Req.1) Not present	(Req.1) https://international.uac.pt/erasmus/

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]		Description of infrastructure (optional)	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
I MESSINA01				
P ACORES01	(Inf.1) Special Needs	(Inf.1) Contact our office	(Inf.1) ero@uac.pt +351296650169	(lnf.1) https://novoportal.uac.pt/nee

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]		Description of service (optional)	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
I MESSINA01	(Ser.1) Disability- SLD Services for students	(Ser.1) - Reduced mobility - Hearing impairments - Visual impairments	(Ser.1) servizi.dd@unime.it	(Ser.1) https://international.unime.it/services/disability-sld-services-students
P ACORES01				

F. Information

1. 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 contact points and information sources:

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
I MESSINA01	erasmus@unime.it +39 090 676 8532/8534	https://international.unime.it/services/facilities/housing
P ACORES01	ero@uac.pt +351296650169	https://international.uac.pt/students-handbook

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@unime.it +39 090 676 8532/8534	https://international.unime.it/messina/residence-permit
P ACORES01	ero@uac.pt +351296650169	https://www.sef.pt/pt/Pages/homepage.aspx? requestUrl%3Dhttps%3A%2F%2Fwww.sef.pt%2Fportal %2FV10%2FEN%2Faspx%2FapoioCliente%2Findex.aspx

3. Insurance

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance in obtaing 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
I MESSINA01	erasmus@unime.it +39 090 676 8532/8534	https://international.unime.it/messina/health-care
P ACORES01	ero@uac.pt +351296650169	https://international.uac.pt/students-handbook

4. Additional Information

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Information on recognition process / other useful information:	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
I MESSINA01	(Info 1) ECTS credits (Info 2) GENERAL (Info 3) DEPARTMENTS (Info 4) COURSE CATALOGUE		(Info 1) https://www.unime.it/international/tabelle-ects (Info 2) https://www.unime.it/ (Info 3) https://www.unime.it/ateneo/dipartimenti (Info 4) https://www.unime.it/didattica
P ACORES01	(Info 1) Recognition process (Info 2) Other useful information	(Info 1) email@not.valid , +0 (Info 2) email@not.valid , +0	(Info 1) https://international.uac.pt/students-handbook (Info 2) https://international.uac.pt/students-handbook

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. [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 [Erasmus code]	Name, function	Date	Signature
Università degli Studi di MESSINA (I MESSINA01)	GIOVANNA SPATARI Legal Manager		
UNIVERSIDADE DOS ACORES (P ACORES01)	GRAÇA PINHEIRO CAVACO GRAÇA PINHEIRO CAVACO Other		