International Mobility Opportunities

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Programme

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Why go abroad?

- To learn from good practices abroad (95%)
- To reinforce or extend your/department professional network or built up new contacts (91%)
- To increase your job satisfaction (85%)
- To gain sector-specific or practical skills relevant for your current job and professional development (83%)
- To enhance your employment and career opportunities (71%)
- To increase your social, linguistic and/or cultural competences (65%)
Possibilities

• Summer/Winter School
• Language course
• Job shadowing
• Research
• Lab visit
• Training in new techniques
• Teaching in another country
• Participation in conference
Possibilities

www.summerschoolsineurope.eu/ and www.shortcoursesportal.com/
Erasmus+ Mobility Programme: Staff Training

http://staffmobility.eu/staff-week-search

// TARGET GROUP:

- International relations
- Academic and students affairs
- Other
- Libraries and learning centres
- Placements and careers guidance
- PR and communication
Erasmus+ Mobility Programme: Staff Training

www.eaie.org/home/training/

The EAIE Academy: top-class training for international educators

Enhance your skills in internationalisation, boost the performance of your department and step up your career ladder. The EAIE Academy offers you the complete mix of training opportunities for a successful career journey: in the city, in-house and webinars.

We train in credential evaluation, marketing and recruitment, management, intercultural communication, student services, policy, strategy and more. Our trainers are experts in the field and will equip you with cutting-edge knowledge, key tactics and innovative tools.
Erasmus+ Staff Mobility within Europe: 2 options

Staff Mobility: Teaching
• What: Lecturing/teaching abroad
• Who: Lecturer, researcher or PhD candidate
• Where: any partner institution with whom we hold an Erasmus+ bilateral agreement

Additional requirements
• Minimum visit of 2 days (max. 60)
• Minimum 8 teaching hours per week, also when your stay is shorter than one week.

Staff Mobility: Training
• What: attending lectures, receiving training, research (new techniques), participating in job shadowing, international staff training week or summer school. No conferences!
• Who: All contracted staff and PhD candidates.
• Where: anywhere within participating countries, no contract needed.

Additional requirements
• Minimum visit of 2 days (max. 60)
Grants for Erasmus+ staff exchange (inside EU)

**Grant**: fixed prices for travel (€ 180 up to € 530) and living expenses (€ 80 up to € 100 p.d.)

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*Beware of Brexit!
Examples of actual costs vs. Erasmus+ grants

Example 1: Summer School of 10 days + 2 travel days in Italy
• Costs: EUR 1,200 for the course fee, EUR 300 for accommodation and EUR 100 for train ticket = EUR 1,600
• Scholarship: EUR 90 x 12 = EUR 1,080 + EUR 275 = EUR 1,355

Example 2: Lab visit of 28 days + 2 travel days in Ireland
• Costs: EUR 1,500 for an apartment + EUR 300 for train, flight and local bus + EUR 800 for meals = EUR 2,600
• Scholarship: EUR 100 x 14 + EUR 70 x 16 = EUR 2,520 + EUR 180 = EUR 2,700
PhD? There’s an option 3!

Student Mobility: Traineeship
• What: Participating in an internship or research project for a long time (2 months – up to one year)
• Who: PhD candidate, as well as MA-students (also for recent graduates)
• Where: anywhere within participating countries, no contract needed.

Grant: €360 to €480 p.m.
Financial settlement Erasmus+

**Staff Mobility**

Grant → Department

Staff: Request an international business trip beforehand (Bassware or UMC procedures) claim expenses as usual after the trip

**Student Mobility**

Grant → Student
How to apply for Erasmus+

Staff Mobility:
(1) Download the form from our [website](http://website), fill in and sign
(2) Submit by e-mail least 2 weeks before departure ([erasmus@io.ru.nl](mailto:erasmus@io.ru.nl))

Student Mobility:
Inform your Faculty International Office
(1) Fill in online form
(2) Fill in documents, sign and submit ([erasmus@io.ru.nl](mailto:erasmus@io.ru.nl))

Online portal for grant applications on its way! 😊

[www.ru.nl/io](http://www.ru.nl/io)
Erasmus+ outside EU

- Limited budget for specific (research) projects with several countries and partners (change yearly)

- Similar conditions as normal E+ program: staff exchange and student traineeship grants available.

- BUT:
  - Minimum of 5 days
  - Travel allowances between € 275 and € 1500
  - Daily allowance: € 180 for first 14 days; € 126 from day 14 onwards (fixed)
  - Grants for entire duration may not be available, depending on budget

- **Open call for Georgia** (Caucasus University, Georgian Institute of Public Affairs or Petre Shotadze Tbilisi Medical Academy) before 31 July 2020.

- Contact Joyce Opdenoordt (erasmus@io.ru.nl) about the possibilities.
Radboud Internationalisation Fund
https://www.ru.nl/io/english/

Teaching outside Europe:
Existing contact, supported by your faculty
Fixed grant: € 1.000

Organising international conferences:
At the Radboud University or Soeterbeeck, with minimum 50% international participants
Co-funding of the faculty budget: 50% with a maximum of € 2.500

Visiting scholars or professors:
Existing cooperation, invitation supported by your faculty
Fixed grant: outside Europe €1.000 and Europe: € 700
Radboud Travel grant for outgoing PhDs

Goals:
- Building up international network
- Active participation at international conference
- Research and education possibilities
- Reputation Radboud University worldwide
Radboud Travel grant for outgoing PhDs

Characteristics:
• Worldwide (Europe: first check Erasmus+)
• Twice during PhD
• Grants fixed amounts: within EER: € 400 outside: € 700
• Supporting letter supervisor

Online application form on Radboudnet
Radboud Travel grant for outgoing PhDs

Travel grant for outgoing PhDs:
2011: 128 (start)
2017: 242
2018: 229
2019: 230 (1/10/2019)

Popular destination outside Europe: USA (40%)
Most applications: UMC and Faculty Social Sciences
Radboud Glasgow Collaboration Fund

Purpose: facilitate and support joint RU-UoG initiatives

- One-year joint research projects (max € 20.000)
- Learning and teaching projects (max € 20.000)
- Short term staff mobility (max € 2.000)

Second call beginning 2020 for Research, Learning & Teaching

Staff mobility: application welcome throughout the year

www.radboudnet.nl/glasgow
Other external options for PhDs

- Research Professional: [https://www.researchprofessional.com/0/rr/home](https://www.researchprofessional.com/0/rr/home)
- Fulbright: US 3-6 months

Prepare yourself during your PhD
- Rubicon, Marie Curie, ERC Starting Grants
- VW-Stiftung, Humboldt Stiftung
- Grantfinder: [https://www.studyinholland.nl/scholarships/find-a-scholarship](https://www.studyinholland.nl/scholarships/find-a-scholarship) - Nuffic (projects)
- Foreign Universities
- Foreign Governments (British Council etc)
- **Radboud Innovation**
- …..etc