

International Relations Office

ERASMUS+ studies in Europe Documents and processes

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Application document after Nomination









Leaning agreement – <u>the sample</u>*

Please fill in the missing information. **Do not forget to fill the Tables:**

- **Table A** is for the <u>list of courses</u> that you would like to choose at the <u>PARTNER</u> <u>INSTITUTION</u>, semester (autumn/spring) and number of ECTS credits.
- **Table B** is for **the courses** that will be accepted from your study programme at <u>VILNIUS</u> <u>TECH</u>, semester (autumn,spring) and number of ECTS credits.

Document must be filled in English only.

- The document must be signed by:
- 1)Student;
- 2)VILNIUS TECH Faculty Erasmus+ Coordinator;
- 3)Coordinator of the Partner Institution;

• * Students going for Double-degree programme to Palermo University or Tallinn University of Technology, must receive a signature from the head of the programme–Rūta Banelienė (Faculty of Mechanics) (Learning Agreement for DDP)





Learning Agreement

Erasmus+ Student Mobility for Studies

Higher Education Learning Agreement form

Learning Agreement form Student's name Academic Year 20.../20...

| Student | Last name(s) | First name(s) | Date of birth | Nationality ² | Gender: [Male/Female/ Undefined] | Study cycle ² | Field of education ² |
|--------------------------|---|---------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--------------------------|---|
| | Name | Faculty/Department | Erasmus code" (if applicable) | Address | Country | Contact pe | rson name ¹ ; email; phone |
| Sending | Vilnius Gediminas Technical University | | LT VILNIUS02 | Saukeskie av. 11, LT- 10223 | Lithuania, LT | | inë; greta nekrosiute@vgtu.lt; 10370 5 274 4957 |
| Receiving Institution | Name | Faculty/ Department | Erasmus code (if applicable) | Address | Country | Contact p | erson name; email; phone |
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|-----------------------------------|---|--|----------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| $\overline{}$ | | Study Programme a | t the Receiving Institutio | | | | |
| | Planned period of the mobility: from [month/year] to [month/year] | | | month/year] | | | |
| Table A Before the mobility | Component ^e code (if any) | Component title at the Receiving Institution (as indicated in the course catalogue ⁷) | Semester | Number of ECTS credits (or equivalent) [®] to be awarded by the Receiving Institution upon successful completion | | | |
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| | | | | Tetal: | | | |
| | Web | link to the course catalogue at the Receiving Institution describing | the learning outcomes: | | | | |
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| | The level o | f language competence" in (indicate here the main longu by the start of the study period is: A1 = A2 = B1 : | | he student already has or agrees to acquire Native speaker :: | | | |
| | | Recognition at the Sending Institution | | | | | |
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| Table B Before the mobility | Component code (if any) | Component title at the Sending Institution (as indicated in the course catalogue) | Semester | Number of ECTS credits (or equivalent) to be recognised by the Sending Institution | | | |
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|--|------|-------|--------------------------------|------|-----------|
| Commitment | Name | Email | Position | Dute | Signature |
| Student | | | Student | | |
| Responsible person ²⁹ at the Sending Institution | | | Faculty Erasmus Coordinator | | |
| Responsible person ²¹ at the Sending Institution | | | Muster Thesis Supervisor | | |
| Responsible person at the Receiving Institution ³⁰ | | | | | |



Learning Agreement

- Other necessary information you may need while filling the Learning Agreement or Application form:
 - Institutional Erasmus+ coordinator at VILNIUS TECH:
 - Erika Danienė, +370 5 251 2413, <u>Erasmus@vilniustech.lt</u>
 - Contact person/International relations coordinator):
 - Karolina Undzėnaitė, el. paštas <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u> ; tel. +370 5 274 4958
 - Departmental/ Faculty/ academic/ Erasmus+ coordinator): Your Faculty Erasmus+ coordinator can be found (here)
 - VILNIUS TECH Erasmus code: LT VILNIUS02
 - VILNIUS TECH address: Sauletekio al. 11, LT-10223, Vilnius Lithuania
 - All the information can be found: http://www.vilniustech.lt/erasmus+



Other documents needed for the application procedure:

- **Transcript of Records** Can be ordered at <u>International Study Center</u>. Contact **Viktorija Pliuškienė** (viktorija.pliuskiene@vilniustech.lt).
- •A document proving a level of English language prepared by Division of Foreign Languages. Your grade received at VILNIUS TECH will be 'converted' into adequate language proficiency level (B1,B2 etc.).

Contact: <u>kiuks@vilniustech.lt</u> or doc.dr. **Jolita Šliogerienė,tel**.(85)2744864, el.p. <u>jolita.sliogeriene@vilniustech.lt</u>

If you didn't have English language course at VILNIUS TECH during your study cycle, the language document can be prepared by International Relations Office (Outgoing coordinator). Please contact us via e-mail <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u>



Documents are filled and sent by students.

Consultations if needed are provided by Outgoing team of IRO.

- •All the documents must be approved and signed please check it carefully before sending them to partner University.
- Please send **all the documents** together.
- •When sending documents, please do not forget to put <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u> to cc, IRO must have your scanned documents.

IMPORTANT! You must successfully complete your current semester in order to be able to go to your erasmus+ studies!











Acceptance Letter

- You have to send a received Acceptance/Invitation letter to IRO <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u> with an information about your **exact study period**;
- <u>It might be that you will not find an exact dates of</u> your mobility in Acceptance/Invitation letter.

In this case, <u>please contact a Coordinator from the</u> <u>Partner Institution and ask this information</u>. It will be needed for further proccess such as Request for study and your Financial agreement!

| | AD TOBE |
|--------------|---|
| | ALMA MATER STUDIORUM Università di Bologna |
| | Conferma accettazione / Acceptance confirmation |
| | Mobilità studentesca / Student mobility A.A. / A.Y. 2021 - 2022 |
| | tudente è stato accettato per un periodo di mobilità presso l'Alma Mater Studiorum – Università di |
| | (A.A. 2021 - 2022 student has been accepted for a mobility period at the Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna, durin 22 |
| | Family Name : |
| Nome / Nai | ne : cita (qq/mm/aaaa) / Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy) : |
| | e di nascita / Piace and Country of birth |
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| | i di mobilità / Mobility programme : EPlus - Erasmus Studio di provenienza / Sending institution : LT VILNIUSO2, VILNIAUS GEDIMINO TECHNIKOS |
| UNIVERSITE | TAS - Vilnius Gediminas Technical University (Vilnius Tech), Lituania |
| | ospitante / Receiving institution : Alma Mater Studiorum – Università di Bologna, via Zamboni 33, Ina, Italy - www.unibo.it |
| | mus / Erasmus Charter : I BOLOGNA01 |
| Contatti / C | ontacts : email incoming.diri@unibo.it, Tel./Ph. +39 051 2088101 |
| N. | Periodo di mobilità / Mobility period |
| | ANTI-TATA IN ANTI-ANTI-ANTI-ANTI-ANTI-ANTI-ANTI-ANTI- |
| | rista / Expected duration : 6 Months esena |



OLS Assessment Test

ONLINE LINGUISTIC SUPPORT (OLS) - is a tool which helps to evaluate student's **foreign language**, **which will be used during studying abroad period**, proficiency level before the start of Erasmus+ study abroad.

It is an **obligatory test** for all students who succesfully finished the selection for exchange studies abroad.

Students will not be able to participate in exchange program unless they do the assessment!

*Students who receive level B2-C2 have an option to choose any language they want to study during their mobility for free.

<u>Once you finish the assessment and receive your level please inform the Outgoing team via</u> <u>email: outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u>



Learning Agreement (Fully signed)

If you have filled your Learning Agreement before Acceptance, you should have received a fully signed agreement from Partner University. (If you haven't filled the form yet, please return to slide 4!)

Please send the fully signed agreement to <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u>

If you still didn't receive the final signature of Partner Institution, please send us your Learning Agreement with signatures from you and your Faculty Erasmus+ Coordinator. It will be a confirmation that you have agreed on subjects before your mobility.



Request to study abroad

After completing previously mentioned steps you can finally submit request to study at another institution.

You can submit request via **mano.vilniustech** platform (*My documents/Requests/Application for rector/for permission to continue studies in another institution*).

Download the draft version of the request, fill in the required information, upload the document and press *submit request.*

International relations office coordinator will confirm your request via the system, so there is no need to submit a paper version of the request.

Ruošimasis išvykti – prašymas tęsti studijas kitoje institucijoje

| rt [⊲] Study procedure → | |
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| • IT senices | SUBMIT REQUEST STATUS |
| Library | Application for rector |
| My career > | Choose a request |
| International opportunities | Application for dean |
| | Choose a request |
| All My documents > | |
| Orders | SUGMIT REQUEST STATUS |
| • Requests | |
| • Fees for studies | You can download the application For permission to continue studies/take internship in another Institution/Organisation form here. |
| Payments for scholarships | Request: For permission to continue studies/take internship in another Institution/Organisation |
| Certificates | Add completed document (PDF). 0 |
| Fees for hostels | Drag & drop files here |
| Final report slip | Source and the second s |
| Documents for approval | Submit requies |
| Other | |









Financial Agreement

Final document, that must be taken care of before leaving for mobility is **Financial Agreement.**

Draft version of the document will be sent to your email by the responsible coordinator **Viktorija Žukovskienė** (<u>viktorija.zukovskiene@vilniustech.lt</u>).

After filling information, you should print the document, sign it and bring to the coordinator at International relations office (VILNIUS TECHCentral Administration, glass building, Saulėtekio al. 11, room C12).

Also, do not forget to get a private health insurance, covering the full duration of your exchange studies!

Amount of Erasmus+ grant is calculated by <u>number of months x</u> <u>amount of grant for one month</u> (which depends on country. You can check it here);

- Grant is transferred (in EUR) **to student's Lithuanian bank account** indicated in Financial Agreement;
- 80% of grant is transferred before your leave;

 Remaining 20% is paid when VILNIUS TECH receives your final reports and documents(after your study mobility ends);
 Grant cannot be transferred to anyone else's account or foreign bank account!

Contact person for Scholarship: Viktorija Žukovskienė e-mail: viktorija.zukovskiene@vilniustech.lt



Financial Agreement

Students with disadvantaged background are able to receive additional social scholarship (200Eur/month).

Students must submit document issued by responsible authorities which includes information that student receives social support.

It also has to include time period for which student receives financial support and it has to overlap with Erasmus study period.

For more information please contact <u>aldona.valatkeviciute@vsf.lt</u>



Do not forget:

- You have to apply for a visa (for non EU citizens and/or for EU citizens travelling for non EU country)
- Remember to get a visa in the country's, in which you are going to study in the frame of Erasmus+ study programme, embassy. You will need to show/deliver your passport/ID card, official letter of invitation from receiving institution, signed Learning Agreement, photo to embassy.

For more details, please have a look at respective embassy webpage.

If you need a confirmation from VILNIUS TECH(that University is sending you for Erasmus+ study abroad) you can get it in IRO but only after IRO receives the acceptance from partner organization.

 EU citizens must find out if they need "<u>EU citizen certificate</u>" (the legal stay in a foreign country for a longer than 3 months period).

Representatives of receiving institution will also help you to deal with all needed documents. Please contact them.







<u>Coming back</u> <u>to VILNIUS</u> <u>TECH</u>

Do not forget:

 Plan your finances and think about ways how you are going to manage your budget during the mobility

Before starting your mobility, it is important to plan how much money you might need during the exchange. **Erasmus+ scholarship will only cover basic expenses**, so <u>it is recommended to have some savings</u>. Discuss financial support possibilities with your parents or have some other source of income.

 Find out about the accommodation at your Partner University and if not provided, search for it as early as possible!

Before departing from Lithuania to your study exchange destination country you should **check if accommodation is being offered by your Partner University**. Even though most institutions do offer an opportunity to stay at the university's dormitory, you should confirm your stay in advance. **During pandemic situation the accommodation offers have become hard to find so please start looking for it in advance!**

Do not forget that during your study exchange you will be an ambassador of VILNIUS TECH! :)





Changes to Learning Agreement

Extension of Stay









Do not forget to add the reasons for your subject/programme

change!

Changes to Learning Agreement

• If you would like to change your study programme/number of subjects/number of credits you **are allowed to do that during one month after arrival** to partner institution.

LATER CHANGES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!

If you want to change your learning agreement, you have to:

- Inform via email Erasmus+ coordinator of your faculty about changes to learning agreement;
- Change your learning agreement by filling in <u>CHANGES TO THE ORIGINAL</u> <u>LEARNING AGREEMENT</u>. This can be done only after you received permission from your faculty Erasmus+ coordinator to change the Learning Agreement
- In the document you have to indicate only the subjects you are going to change("old" subjects must be indicated as "deleted" and "new" ones as "added").
- DO NOT ADD THE SUBJECTS WHICH WERE IN ORIGINAL LEARNING AGREEMENT AND ARE NOT BEING CHANGED (ARE RELEVANT) TO CHANGES TO LEARNING AGREEMENT.

After receiving the signatures (like for original Learning Agreement) <u>please</u> <u>send the final version to your faculty Erasmus+ coordinator and</u> <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u> ⁶ Reasons for exceptional changes to study programme abroad (choose an item number from the table below):

| Reasons for deleting a component | Reason for adding a component | |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1. Previously selected educational component is not available at the Receiving | 5. Substituting a deleted component | |
| Institution | | |
| 2. Component is in a different language than previously specified in the course | 6. Extending the mobility period | |
| catalogue | | |
| 3. Timetable conflict | 7. Other (please specify) | |
| 4. Other (please specify) | | |

Dokumentai išvykus – Studijų sutarties keitimas (Changes to Learning Agreement)



Extension of Stay

 If you would like to extend your stay in receiving organization for one more semester, you have to do this no later than 1 month before the end of your first study semester abroad.

It is possible to apply for the extension only for a spring semester.

For more information, contact outgoing@vilniustech.lt











Certificate of Attendance

Certificate shows your study validity. It is signed by the partner university's incoming student coordinator at the end of your study exchange.

Please find VILNIUS TECH template of this document here.

Important! If the fact period of your Erasmus+ studies in your certificate is shorter than the planned period which was confirmed in your financial agreement, your Erasmus+ sholarship will be recalculated according to the fact dates of your mobility. It will change the amount of the remaining part (20 proc.) of your scholarship.

The minimum duration of the Erasmus+ studies are 3 months (90 days).

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| | VILNIUS GEDMINAS TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | Erasmus+ |
| | CERTIFICA | TE |
| | We hereby certify that the student of the Vilnius Gedi | minas Technical University (LT VILNIUS02) |
| | Name, surna | zme |
| | has been enrolle | d at the |
| | Name of Host institution an | |
| | as an ERASMUS programme student duri | |
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| | Responsible person <i>(name, surname):</i> Position: Signature: | |
| | Stamp: Date: | Place: |



Transcript of Records

- This document is prepared by receiving institution.
- Usually it is not ready before student leaves. Receiving institution sends it to IRO(<u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u>) or to the student himself. If the student receives it, please bring or send a copy to IRO.
- The hard copy of this document(if it is provided) must be delivered to International Studies Center.

If so happens, that the student comes back with **an academic debt** of some subject, he or she can clear it **during one academic year's time free of charge**!



2nd OLS language test

The link for the 2nd test will be sent after your mobility to the same e-mail address.

If you have scored C2 during your first test (before studies) you are exempt of this test.

After finishing the test, please inform <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u>

Do not forget to fill the Request to continue studies at VilniusTech in mano.vilniustech platform after you come back.



EU Survey

The link for survey will be sent to your e-mail (which you have provided in your Financial Agreement) on the last day of your mobility.

If you cannot find the e-mail, please check SPAM folder as well. The e-mail sometimes goes there.

After filling up the survey, you do not need to send us the copy of it. Just inform us via outgoing@vilniustech.lt







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Financial Agreement supplement for short-

erm study No. 3.

Short-term study report

 Student's who participate in Erasmus+ mobility must fill a report (you can find the draft <u>here</u>) and after choosing the type of report, send it altogether to <u>outgoing@vilniustech.lt</u>

Possible report types:

- **Essay** (at least 1 page long with two pictures from mobility) answering the questions provided or adding your own content.
- Instagram Take-over (Answering the questions from students and sharing your experience) If checked, you will be contacted by our Communication Manager for further information.
- Other (Add yourself) It can be participation in annual VILNIUS TECH Student's International Day event by sharing your experience and other things.

SHOR-TERM STUDY REPORT

Within 30 days after your mobility ends you must present the report with the chosen form of content:

| Form | Notes |
|---|-------|
| Essay (at least 1 page long with two pictures from mobility) | |
| Instagram Take-over | |
| Video content (during exchange studies) about studies, country ect. | |
| Other (write here) | |

The content of the report must include:

Studies in the Partner Institution (Ex: study modules, language, your favorit study module(s) and why..)

Practical advice for students (Ex: financial, for accommodation, travel, visa, insurance and etc..)

What the study exchange gave me? (nositiys/negative influence?) Would I recommend my study peers to go for Erasmus+ to this country/Partner Institution?

Additional (optional) report content can include:

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Cultural differences Additional professional development opportunities (Ex: internship, visits to companies...)

Other (write):

*Consent: Yes/No (underline)

I agree for my feedback to be shared on the vilniustecherasmus blogspot com international experience blog: Yea / No.

I agree, for my feedback to be shared on VILNIUS TECH social networks (Facebook and Instagram): Xes/No.

I agree that my personal photos (in the report), name and sumame as well as Eaculty be shared together with my content on VILNIUS TECH: χ_{ss} / χ_{s}

I certify that the above information is correct



International Relations Office

> Students' Consultation Hours: I-IV from 13:00 till 15:00 V from 09:00 till 11:00

Thank You!