

## 1. ERASMUS POLICY STATEMENT (EPS)

### 1.1 Erasmus activities included in your EPS

*In this section, you need to tick the Erasmus activities covered by your Erasmus Policy Statement. Please select those activities that your HEI intends to implement during the entire duration of the Programme.*

Erasmus Key Action 1 (KA1) - Learning mobility:

The mobility of higher education students and staff

### 1.2 Erasmus Policy statement (EPS): your strategy

*Your Erasmus Policy Statement should reflect how you intended to implement Erasmus after the award of the ECHE. Should you wish to add additional activities in the future, you will need to amend your Erasmus Policy Statement and inform your Erasmus National Agency. What would you like to achieve by participating in the Erasmus Programme? How does your participation in the Erasmus Programme fit into your institutional internationalisation and modernisation strategy? (Please reflect on the objectives of your participation. Please explain how you expect the participation in Erasmus to contribute towards modernising your institution, as well as on the goal of building a European Education Area<sup>1</sup> and explain the policy objectives you intend to pursue). Original language (and translation into EN, FR or DE if the EPS is not in one of these languages)*

By participating in Erasmus Programme we would like to achieve these results on our students:

- to complete the student training in an european company, so that the student is integrated in a global european feeling and to promote the intercultural dialoge
- to enhance the empleability opening the possibilities to other countries
- to potencieate a better linguistic competence of our students
- to offer the student an opportunity to know other cultures and people from other nations in and out of the company during the placement
- to let european companies participate in our student training
- to open our Higher Educational Institution to other cultures to promote interculturality and as a way of preventing xenophobia and racism
- to compile information from the participants to get a better process of teaching and learning

By signing this Charter, we undertake two objectives: to modernise our Institution and to contribute to the goals of a European Education Area.

- To modernise our Institution:

a) Using digital skills

b) Establishing agreements with European companies for traineeship in vocational training

c) Using the information given by the participants to improve our process of teaching and learning

- To contribute to the goals of a European Education Area, giving our students the chance

A) to spend time abroad to learn vocational training as a means of finding an employment across Europe

B) to improve their linguistic competences in other european language

C) to be able to access to mobilities irrespective of their socio-economic background.

D) to increase their European identity what can improve european cohesion and a better tolerance and respectful values

E) to develop digital skills by means or the European Student Card Initiative

F) to fully recognized the learning outcomes of the mobilities and assigning them ECTS credits

*Please reflect on the Erasmus actions you would like to take part in and explain how they will be implemented in practice at your institution. Please explain how your institution's participation in these actions will contribute to achieving the objectives of your institutional strategy. Original language (and translation into EN, FR or DE if the EPS is not in one of these languages)*

By agreeing to the principles of the Charter, the Institution will work towards achieving these objectives by participating in the key Action 1 "Learning Mobility for Traineeship"

We are a Higher Education Institution in the fields of Chemistry and Health. The student mobilities for Traineeship will contribute to our students to get their titles in Higher Technician in Analysis and Quality Control Laboratory, Advanced Expert in Anatomical Pathology and Cytology, in Diagnostic Imaging and Nuclear Medicine, and in Environmental Chemistry and Health. We will offer one mobility for each of these titles, so it is a total of four mobilities per year. Therefore, we will establish cooperation with strategic partners such as enterprises in the field of Chemistry and Health in the framework of a clear strategy for internationalisation:

- We will promote student mobility, encouraging them to participate and then we will support them by helping in the organisation of the mobilities
- We will pay special attention to individuals with fewer opportunities and we will develop non-discrimination policies
- We will recognise the results of the mobility of students and staff
- We will provide visibility to the results achieved by students and staff in individual mobility and in cooperation projects with strategic partners
- We will take into account the results of European mobility for improving our internationalisation performance

*What is the envisaged impact of your participation in the Erasmus+ Programme on your institution? Please reflect on targets, as well as qualitative and quantitative indicators in monitoring this impact (such as mobility targets for student/staff mobility, quality of the implementation, support for participants on mobility, increased involvement in cooperation projects (under the KA2 action), sustainability/long-term impact of projects etc.) You are encouraged to offer an indicative timeline for achieving the targets related to the Erasmus+ actions. Original language (and translation into EN, FR or DE if the EPS is not in one of these languages)*

The main target of our participation in the Erasmus+ Programme are the students in Higher Educational Vocational Training in the second course. Learning Mobilities for Traineeship are a part of the curriculum. It is a subject called "On the job Training" that is compulsory to get the title. It has a recognition of 22 ECTS credits. Each year we will carry on this process:

- September-October: Publication of information about Erasmus Project and about selection process. Meeting among Coordinator, interested students and previous Erasmus students
  - October: Selection process: one student of each speciality of vocational training is selected. Total: 4 students are selected
  - October- December: Interinstitutional Agreement
  - January- February: Signing the Learning Agreement the three parts: student, receiving Institution and sending Institution. The Erasmus Coordinator will support the student to look for accommodation and transport to the receiving city
  - March-June: The mobility will take place. The Erasmus Coordinator and the tutor from the HEI will supervise the arrival and integration of the student in the receiving company and in the life of the country. There will be a regular communication with the student and the tutor in the receiving company. At the end of June the tutor in the company will evaluate the learning outcomes of the student.
  - June: The student will return. He will have received a Certificate from the enterprise. The student will have automatically passed the subject "On the Job Training" and 22 ECTS credits. Besides he will get a Diploma Supplement and the document of Europass mobility. The enterprises can be: Chemical or Physical or Microbiological laboratories; Quality Control laboratories in any field, Hospitals, anatomical pathology laboratories, forensic laboratories, ...
- The forecast of outgoing students is 4 per year.

The second target group are teachers of vocational training. Until now we have had no teacher involved in Erasmus mobilities. For this reason we will encourage them to participate with the aim of at least one mobility per year.