



Call for Applications

Mobilities at Uşak University (Turkey) in the framework of the European Programme ERASMUS+ KA1

Objective

The Erasmus+ Programme – Mobility for study offers the possibility to spend a period of studies at **Uşak University** for **Bachelor and Master Students** from the University of Sfax.

Mobility students will be awarded a scholarship, will attend courses, and will use all the facilities of **Uşak University** on an equal basis as the enrolled students.

The purpose of student's mobility is to participate in the courses at USAK. The project does not provide internship mobility.

All passed exams previously approved in the **Learning Agreement**, will be recognised by the home institution (University of Sfax).

Mobility periods:

Bachelor (2nd year) and Master levels: 5 months (September 2024 - January 2025)

Fields of Education and Training:

Mathematics or biotechnology (Food Technology, molecular biology or agricultural) fields.

FUNDING

About grants

In the framework of the Erasmus+ programme and according to its regulations, all mobility activities are conditional upon the signature of an interinstitutional agreement between **Uşak University** and the partner university before the start of the mobility.

The grant includes:

The Erasmus+ for study scholarships are contributions to support living costs in the hosting country.

The scholarship for Turkey is of **800 € per month**.

Travel costs: **275 €**

Conditions and procedures

General conditions for admittance

The candidate student must be enrolled at the University of Sfax that signed the Inter Institutional Agreement within the framework of Erasmus + Programme, with USAK University.

The student must be **preselected** and **nominated** by the University of Sfax



Application Documents

- Learning agreement (Kindly see Annex I) ECTS Catalogues of particular faculties contain necessary information about the courses) are available here: <https://uigk.usak.edu.tr//storage/sayfalar/January2022//Is6N40Mx5gcvZQbfUeSN5tETRRThYPzEmMbg6gsY.pdf>
- Copy of the Passport
- Knowledge of English (B1- CEFR) (Note that the required level of English language competence for Erasmus+ exchange students at USAK University is min. **B1** according to Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. The confirmation of English language skills can be issued by a proper unit of a sending institution and confirmed by language instructor/faculty coordinator or other person in charge.)
- Transcript of Records (From the Bac)
- Short CV
- Motivation letter
- Certificate of enrolment
- Proof of Inclusion (only for students who meet one or more of inclusion and diversity criteria established by the Erasmus+ program – (kindly see “Pre-selection criteria at the home university” section).

Please apply for this opportunity via the following link: <https://forms.gle/H2ZGoKDa8Fw7XekE7>

An incomplete application will be considered ineligible.

All documents in Arabic should be translated into English language.

The home Institution will be responsible of selection procedures on the basis **transparent and fair criteria.**

Pre-selection criteria at the home university

The home university will provide a pre-selection of candidates according to the following general criteria:

- Average grade.
- The consistency of the proposed research activities.
- Language skills.
- Any other elements indicated by the student in the application (other learning experiences, specific academic interests, etc.).
- Additional criteria i.e: membership in science clubs or associations, participation in conferences and other mobility programmes etc. (it is up to the sending institution to include the criteria or not)
- Students who meet one or more of the following inclusion and diversity criteria established by the Erasmus+ program:
 - disability (i.e. participants with special needs): people with mental (intellectual, cognitive, learning), physical, sensory or other disabilities;
 - educational difficulties: young people with learning difficulties; early school-leavers; low qualified adults; young people with poor school performance.
 - economic obstacles: people with a low standard of living, low income, dependence on social welfare system or homeless; young people in long-term unemployment or poverty; people in debt or with financial problems.



- cultural differences: immigrants or refugees or descendants from immigrant or refugee families; people belonging to a national or ethnic minority; people with linguistic adaptation and cultural inclusion difficulties.
- health problems: people with chronic health problems, severe illnesses, or psychiatric conditions.
- social obstacles: people facing discrimination because of gender, age, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, disability, etc.; people with limited social skills or anti-social or risky behaviors; people in a precarious situation; (ex-)offenders, (ex-)drug or alcohol abusers; young and/or single parents; orphans.
- geographical obstacles: people from remote or rural areas; people living in small islands or in peripheral regions; people from urban problem zones; people from less serviced areas (limited public transport, poor facilities).

CRITERIA NO.	CRITERIA	SCORE
1.	Average GPA	40
2.	Language knowledge	
	B1	5
	B2	10
	C1/C2/TOEIC/TOEFL	20
3.	No previous Erasmus mobility	30
4.	CV	
	Work experience/traineeship	5
	Social activities / Volunteering / Clubs	5
5	Proof of inclusion	30

The deadline for applying is fixed on **30 August 2024**.

For any specific question or information, you can contact The International Relations Office (fatma.ghorbel@usf.tn) at your home institution.

