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ATTENTION TO ALL VMU STUDENTS ! COMPETITION FOR **EXCHANGE STUDIES IN non-EU/EEA COUNTRIES¹** (Erasmus+ and VMU Bilateral Exchange)

Students are invited to participate in a competition for exchange studies **IN SPRING OR AUTUMN SEMESTER, 2026** in **non-EU/EEA countries** with Erasmus+ or VMU Mobility scholarship.

Students have to submit a completed [online application form](#) by **SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2025**.

Important for selecting a host university:

- Check if the [course catalogue for exchange students](#) published on the host university website is compatible with the study programme at VMU. The applicants must list the compatible courses in the online application form.
- Students MUST [contact the academic coordinators in the faculties](#) regarding the courses' compatibility (students must check the preliminary course catalogue / courses from previous years offered by universities abroad prior to contacting the academic coordinator).
- Pay attention to the [language of instruction at the host university](#) and make sure that your level of language knowledge is sufficient.
- Consider the [living expenses](#) in the hosting country.

Selection criteria:

- Compatibility between the plan for studies or research at the host university and the study programme at VMU.
- Motivation.
- Academic results of studies during the last two semesters (for VMU Mobility scholarship GPA should be not lower than 8.0).
- Good knowledge of the language in which lectures will be taught.
- All full-time students can participate in the competition, except for bachelor's degree 1st-semester students.

Selected students will receive an Erasmus+ or a VMU Mobility scholarship for one semester studies according to the competition results and scholarship availability.

The results of the competition will be announced on **October 15th** on the VMU website. Each student will also be informed personally via e-mail.

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¹ Partner countries: Western Balkans, Eastern Partnership countries, South-Mediterranean countries, Asia countries, Central Asia countries, Latin America countries and other countries.

COMPETITION FOR ERASMUS+ STUDIES IN 2026, SPRING SEMESTER:

Erasmus+ Scholarship For Erasmus+ Exchange Programme	700 Eur / month
Additional Erasmus+ grant to cover travel costs (the amount depends on the distance between VMU (Kaunas city) and place of receiving HEI (city)) ¹	100 – 499 km – from 180,00 Eur; 500 – 1999 km – from 275,00 Eur; 2000 – 2999 km – from 360,00 Eur; 3000 – 3999 km – from 530,00 Eur; 4000 – 7999 km – from 820,00 Eur; More than 8000 km – from 1500,00 Eur
Possibility to receive additional scholarship: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - students with fewer opportunities (more information can be found here); - students with disabilities or special needs (more information can be found here) 	

Country	Higher education institution	Study cycle	Number of Erasmus+ scholarships	Notes
Albania	University of Tirana	BA, MA, PhD	3	
	University of New York Tirana			
	Agricultural University of Tirana			
Argentina	Universidad Torcuato di Tella	BA, MA	1	
	Belgrano University			
	Universidad Nacional de La Plata			
Bosnia and Herzegovina	University of Sarajevo	BA, MA, PhD	2	
	International Burch University	BA, MA, PhD		
	International University of Sarajevo	BA, MA		
Canada	Universite de Montreal	BA, MA	1	
	University of Regina	BA		
Egypt	Cairo University	PhD	1	
	Mansoura University			
	American University in Cairo			
Georgia	Georgian Technical University	PhD	1	For one week
	Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University			
	Batumi Shota Rustaveli State University			
Japan	Showa Women's University	BA, MA	2	
	Saga University			
Kazakhstan	Abai Kazakh National Pedagogical University	PhD	2	For one week or full semester
	L. N. Gumilyov Eurasian National University			
	A. Baitursynov Kostanay Regional University			
Kenya	Kenyatta University	PhD	2	

¹ According to the distance calculator of European Commission: http://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/tools/distance_en.htm . Depends on mobility project.

Kosovo	University of Prishtina	BA, MA, PhD	2	
	Universum College			
Mauritius	University of Mauritius	PhD	2	
Moldova	Moldova State University	PhD	1	For one week
	Technical University of Moldova			
Montenegro	University of Donja Gorica	BA, MA, PhD	3	
Morocco	Universite Cadi Ayyad	PhD	1	For 2 months
	Institut Agronomique et Veterinaire Hassan II			
	Universite Sidi Mohammed Ben Abdellah			
Singapore	Singapore Raffles Music College	BA, MA	1	Only for students studying in music field
South Africa	University of Pretoria	PhD	1	
	North-West University			
South Korea	Hankuk University of Foreign Studies	BA, MA	2	
	Dongguk University			
Taiwan	I-Shou University	BA, MA, PhD	1	
	Providence University			
	National Taiwan Normal University			
	National Chengchi University			
Tunisia	University of Sousse	PhD	2	
	University of Monastir			
Tanzania	University of Dar es Salaam	PhD	1	
	Tanzania Institute of Accountancy			

COMPETITION FOR BILATERAL EXCHANGE STUDIES IN SPRING OR AUTUMN SEMESTER, 2026:

VMU mobility Scholarship For VMU Bilateral Exchange Programme

500 – 600 Eur / month
(Size of the scholarship depends on the country groups. More information can be found [HERE](#))

~ 10 students will be selected during the additional competition.

The grant to cover travel costs is not available.

Country	Higher education institution	Study cycle	Notes
Argentina	Universidad Torcuato Di Tella	BA	
	Universidad Nacional de La Plata	BA, MA	
	National University of Tres Febrero	BA, MA	
	Siglo 21 University	BA	

Azerbaijan	ADA University	BA, MA	
	Khazar University	BA, MA	
Georgia (The country is on the list of countries where it is recommended to pay attention to travel safety. More information)	Ilia State University	BA, MA	
	Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University	BA, MA	Host university provides dormitory accommodation free of charge and scholarship of ~100 Eur/month
	Caucasus University	BA, MA	
	Batumi Shota Rustaveli State University	BA, MA	
	Akaki Tsereteli State University	BA, MA	
	Kutaisi University	BA, MA	
	The University of Georgia	BA, MA	
India	Lovely Professional University	BA	
	Dev Sanskriti Vishwavidyalaya	BA, MA	
Indonesia (only for Autumn semester, 2026)	Universitas Islam Indonesia	BA, MA	
	Gadjah Mada University	BA, MA	
Japan (only for Spring semester, 2026)	Akita International University	BA	Host university provides additional scholarship of 60.000 JPY/month
	Saga University	BA	
	Tokyo University of Foreign Studies	BA	
	Showa Women's University	BA, MA	
	Sophia University	BA, MA	Candidate must hold IELTS certificate with the score not lower then 6.0 (for BA) or 6.5 (for MA). The certificate must be obtained in past 2 years.
	Waseda University	BA, MA	
	Meio University	BA	
	Kansai Gaidai University	BA	Host university provides dormitory accommodation free of charge
	Gifu University	BA, MA	
Japan (only for Autumn semester, 2026)	Tokyo University of Foreign Studies	MA	
	Chubu University	BA, MA	
	International Christian University	BA, MA	For one academic year (three trimesters) studies. Host university provides possibility to apply for dormitory accommodation fee waiver
	Doshisha University	BA	
	Toyo University	BA	

	Hiroshima University	BA, MA	
	Nanzan University	BA, MA	
	Ochanomizu University	BA, MA	
	Kwansei Gakuin University	BA, MA	
	University of Fukui	BA, MA	
	Bunkyo Gakuin University	BA, MA	Host university provides dormitory accommodation free of charge
Kazakhstan	L. N. Gumilyov Eurasian National University	BA, MA	Host university provides dormitory accommodation free of charge
	Zhubanov University	BA, MA	
Singapore	Singapore Raffles Music College	BA	Only for students studying in music field
South Korea (only for Autumn semester, 2026)	Seoul National University	BA, MA	
South Korea (Only for Spring semester, 2026)	Hankuk University of Foreign Studies	BA	
	Chungnam National University	BA, MA	
	Kyung Hee University	BA	
	Soongsil University	BA, MA	
	Kangwon National University	BA	Host university provides dormitory accommodation free of charge
	Pusan National University	BA, MA	
	Chonnam National University	BA, MA	Host university provides possibility to apply for dormitory accommodation fee waiver
	Dongguk University	BA, MA	
Taiwan	Providence University	BA, MA	
	I-Shou University	BA, MA	
	Tamkang University	BA, MA	
	National Dong Hwa University	BA, MA	
	National Taiwan Normal University	BA, MA	
Vietnam	Ho Chi Minh City Conservatory of Music	BA, MA	Only for students studying in music field