



## INTERNATIONAL CREDIT MOBILITY

### CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

#### **What is international credit mobility?**

For over 25 years, Europe has funded the Erasmus programme, which has enabled over three million European students to spend part of their studies in another higher education institution in Europe. Erasmus+ now opens up these opportunities, allowing for mobility from and to other parts of the world (between the so-called "Programme" and "Partner Countries"). This action also supports mobility of staff (teaching or training).

Erasmus+ now offers opportunities for students to study and staff to teach or train in higher education institutions (HEIs) beyond Europe. It also makes the same opportunities available for staff and students from countries beyond Europe to come to participating HEIs in Europe. This is known as International Credit Mobility and is an activity under Key Action 1 Mobility.

#### **How to apply**

The application for students and staff is done by email. The applicant is asked to send it to [icmka107@uevora.pt](mailto:icmka107@uevora.pt). Applicants will have to apply with a proper application form available on the following website: [www.iifa.uevora.pt](http://www.iifa.uevora.pt). All the communication with the applicant will be done by email therefore it's very important that a valid email address is presented on the application. The applicant will be asked to submit the application before the deadline of the Application Process. To the application form you have to attach the following documents: Curriculum vitae, letters of recommendation, copy of passport or other identification document, motivation letter, diplomas and certificates of qualifications, academic record, official proof of socio-economic status (if declared to have economic difficulties).

#### **Application deadline**

The application process will open **from Monday 3rd October 2016 to Tuesday 15st November 2016**. It concerns staff (academic and non-academic) and students on a total of 46 grants. Below is the table with the distribution of mobility grants for the period between January and December 2017. In the event there are still places available, a new round of applications will be open which will include a mobility period between December 1, 2017 and May 31, 2018. The results (list of the id of the selected and reserved applicants) will be available at: [www.iifa.uevora.pt](http://www.iifa.uevora.pt)

## Grants available

| Type of Mobility             | University of Origin                  | University of Destination             | Number of flows | Duration of mobility | Grant per participant (€) | Level   |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|---------------------------|---|
| Student mobility for Studies | Federal University of Viçosa - Brazil | University of Évora – Portugal        | 3               | 6 months             | 4800                      | Doctorate (priority)<br>Master<br>Undergraduate |
| Staff mobility for Teaching  | Federal University of Viçosa - Brazil | University of Évora – Portugal        | 2               | 50 days              | 4872                      | N/A   |
| Student mobility for Studies | University of East Timor - Timor      | University of Évora – Portugal        | 6               | 6 months             | 4800                      | Undergraduate<br>Master                         |
| Staff mobility for Teaching  | University of East Timor - Timor      | University of Évora – Portugal        | 3               | 50 days              | 4872                      | N/A   |
| Staff mobility for Training  | University of East Timor - Timor      | University of Évora-Portugal          | 2               | 30 days              | 3192                      | N/A   |
| Student mobility for Studies | Quy Nhon University - Vietnam         | University of Évora – Portugal        | 4               | 6 months             | 4800                      | Undergraduate<br>Master<br>Doctorate            |
| Staff mobility for Teaching  | Quy Nhon University - Vietnam         | University of Évora – Portugal        | 3               | 50 days              | 4872                      | N/A   |
| Staff mobility for Training  | Quy Nhon University - Vietnam         | University of Évora – Portugal        | 1               | 30 days              | 3192                      | N/A   |
| Student mobility for Studies | University of Évora - Portugal        | Federal University of Viçosa – Brazil | 2               | 6 months             | 3900                      | Doctorate                                       |
| Staff mobility for Teaching  | University of Évora - Portugal        | Federal University of Viçosa – Brazil | 3               | 50 days              | 6496                      | N/A   |
| Student mobility             | University of Évora -                 | University of East                    | 2               | 6 months             | 3900                      | Doctorate                                       |

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| for Studies                  | Portugal                       | Timor – Timor                    |   |          |      |           |
| Staff mobility for Teaching  | University of Évora - Portugal | University of East Timor – Timor | 6 | 50 days  | 6496 | N/A       |
| Staff mobility for Training  | University of Évora - Portugal | University of East Timor – Timor | 2 | 30 days  | 4256 | N/A       |
| Student mobility for Studies | University of Évora - Portugal | Quy Nhon University – Vietnam    | 2 | 6 months | 3900 | Doctorate |
| Staff mobility for Teaching  | University of Évora - Portugal | Quy Nhon University – Vietnam    | 4 | 50 days  | 6496 | N/A       |
| Staff mobility for Training  | University of Évora - Portugal | Quy Nhon University – Vietnam    | 1 | 30 days  | 4256 | N/A       |

Travel: The project funding for each fellow, a round trip according to the following table:

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|--------------------------|--------|
| From Timor to Portugal   | 1100 € |
| From Portugal to Timor   | 1100 € |
| From Vietnam to Portugal | 1100 € |
| From Portugal to Vietnam | 1100 € |
| From Brasil to Portugal  | 820€   |
| From Portugal to Brasil  | 820€   |

### Selection criteria

#### To undergraduate and master students:

Academic merit; motivation; knowledge and interest in the host country's culture and/or language; the academic/activity plan; and the socio-economic condition of the candidates

#### To academic and non-academic staff and doctoral students:

Academic merit; motivation; knowledge and interest in the host country's culture; the academic/activity plan; and the socio-economic condition of the candidates, experience in previous mobility programs. They should also submit in their application, any experience of previous mobility programs and explain how your application will benefit their own research work and how it can contribute to an improvement of

procedure in your country and your institution, both in terms of teaching methods learning, whether of research methodologies, the joint research, the procedures of academic management and administration, yet both in terms of international quality assurance and cooperation.

### **Eligible Scientific Areas**

All scientific areas are eligible however, give priority will be given to the areas of Agriculture (Agronomy, Agricultural Economics, Agricultural Engineering and Animal Science) and Spatial and Landscape Planning.

For more information contact the general coordinator of the project, Prof. Vasco Fitas da Cruz through [icmka107@uevora.pt](mailto:icmka107@uevora.pt) email or the local coordinators:

| University                   | Local Coordinator         | Contact  |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
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