

Lebanese International University

Exchange and Visiting Students

Erasmus+ Programme

Summary for International credit mobility

Key Action 1: Learning mobility of Individuals

What is it?

Credit mobility can be defined as a limited period of study or traineeship abroad (in the framework of on-going studies at a home institution) for gaining credits. After the mobility phase, students return to their home institution, where the credits should be recognised and they complete their studies.

How does it work?

Students across the 5 schools at LIU are able to study abroad for a period of three months (or one academic term or trimester), up to a maximum of 12 months in each study cycle and may benefit from an Erasmus+ grant. (Reference-Guide)

In order for the mobility to happen, LIU must sign an **inter-institutional agreement** with a HEI in a Partner Country. Under this agreement, it can host students, doctoral candidates or staff from the Partner-Country HEI, and can send students or doctoral candidates to the Partner-Country HEI. In the agreement, the sending and receiving institutions agree on the range of courses open to visiting students. These agreements make sure that the sending institution will recognize the credits gained by its students for successfully completed activities abroad, which will contribute to the student's degree once they return.

Programme Countries	28 EU Member States + Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey
Partner Countries	All other countries worldwide (see Programme Guide)

How is it funded?

Students and doctoral candidates from Partner Countries may receive a monthly contribution to their expenses abroad of between EUR 750, EUR 800 or EUR 850 (depending on the cost of living in the Programme Country: Group 1, 2 or 3). For students and doctoral candidates going to Partner Countries from Programme Countries, the rate is EUR 650 per month for all Partner Countries.

Group 1	Denmark, Ireland, France, Italy, Austria, Finland, Sweden, United Kingdom, Liechtenstein, Norway
Group 2	Belgium, Czech Republic, Germany, Greece, Spain, Croatia, Cyprus, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovenia, Iceland , Turkey
Group 3	Bulgaria, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Hungary, Malta, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

Each selected individual participant will get a travel contribution based on the distance from the sending to the receiving institution.

Travel distances¹⁶	Amount	In case of green travel
Between 0 and 99 KM	23 EUR per participant	
Between 100 and 499 KM	180 EUR per participant	210 EUR per participant
Between 500 and 1999 KM	275 EUR per participant	320 EUR per participant
Between 2000 and 2999 KM	360 EUR per participant	410 EUR per participant
Between 3000 and 3999 KM	530 EUR per participant	610 EUR per participant
Between 4000 and 7999 KM	820 EUR per participant	
8000 KM or more	1500 EUR per participant	

How can a student at LIU apply?

Select degree programme:

By selecting a degree programme you are able to see the general content as well as the possible degree programme-specific content. You do not have to select a degree programme to see the Open University's instructions.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Coronavirus: information for exchange students
-Insurance. Before making any arrangements regarding your exchange, please make sure that your insurance cover is comprehensive, includes crisis cover and follows the requirements of the Finnish Immigration Service
2. Who can apply?
- Select Degree program

If you are interested in student exchange, you should start by contacting the Office of International Relations at LIU- oirdirector@liu.edu.lb

You can apply here as an exchange student if there is a valid student exchange agreement between your home university and a university in Europe, and you have been nominated by LIU.

- a. Start your application
- b. Required Documents for your application –
Application form; Motivation letter; Learning agreement; Transcript of Records
- c. Application Form
- d. Motivating Letter -Write a motivation letter (Statement of purpose) using the language you mainly plan to study with (English,). The recommended length of the motivation letter is 200-500 words. You should state why you wish to do student exchange and how your studies in Europe will support your degree studies at home and your career objectives. Motivation letter should be uploaded as a separate pdf document.
- e. Transcripts
- f. Learning agreement- Learning Agreement is an obligatory part of your application. It is a list of courses that you wish to take in the university to study and it helps you to organize your studies during the exchange. You should contact the chair of your school to organize this. Please fill in also the details of the contact person at LIU (contact persons can also be used for when filling in your Digital/Online Learning Agreement).
The average workload for one semester at any university is 30 ECTS credit points (60 ECTS for the completely academic year). In the end, it depends on how many credits you have completed at LIU you have to obtain per semester, since LIU is in charge of the approval of the courses. However, at the application stage your learning agreement should include at least 20 ECTS credit points (at least 40 ECTS for the completely academic year).
- g. Completing your application

Preselection exchange possibilities - Incoming - Students

Continent

Country (*)

Home institution (*)

Host institution

Faculty

Type of application

☒ Incoming

☐ Outgoing

Type of person

☒ Students

☐ Teacher / Staff

Program (*)

Academic year (*)

Degree Program