

OCTAYOUTH DAYS

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Erasmus+ is also for you. How can you access it?







What is Erasmus+?

Erasmus+ is the EU programme that supports education, training, youth and sport in Europe (and the OCTs).

It supports opportunities in:

Higher education
Vocational education and training
School education
Adult education
Youth
Sport

How is it managed?

At national level: Each country has 2 National Agencies for Education

- 1. NA Erasmus+ Formal education
- 2. NA Erasmus+ Youth & Sport

At European level: Some Erasmus+ actions are centralized by the <u>European Education</u> and <u>Culture Executive Agency</u> (EACEA).



Are you a student?

AT UNIVERSITY

(Bachelor / Masters / PhD)

Would you like to study a semester in another country?

Your academic work will be recognized (thanks to a signed <u>Learning Agreement</u>). You will receive the Erasmus+ grant (amounts vary depending on countries).

How? Ask the International Office about their Partnership Agreements with other universities, that will tell you which are your options to go abroad.

Would you like to do an internship in another country? (also for recent graduates)

Between 2-12 months – it is posible to do multiple internships, up to 12 months in total per bachelor/masters/PhD. Usually, you have to find the internship yourself.

How? Your university and hosting organisation have to sign a <u>Learning Agreement</u>. You will receive the Erasmus+ grant (amounts vary depending on countries).



Are you a student?

AT A VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING (VET) PROGRAMME

Would you like to **study** or do an **internship** in another country?

Between 2 weeks-12 months. Your academic work or internship will be recognized (thanks to a signed <u>Learning Agreement</u>). You will receive the Erasmus+ grant (amounts vary depending on countries).

How? Ask your institution whether they have an <u>Erasmus accreditation in the field of VET</u>. Once they have it, you can identify together where the mobility will take place. Requires proactivity from the student. In the case that your institution is already part of an Erasmus+ VET project, the exchanges might be arranged by the institution.



Not a student, just young

DiscoverEU

DiscoverEU gives **18-year-old** citizens the opportunity to discover Europe through travelling mainly by **rail**.

Residents in the OCTs have an exception to cover the airplane ticket to continental Europe.

Open to 18-year-old residing in Europe or in countries associated to Erasmus+.

Selected applicants receive a travel pass (known as interrail), and a DiscoverEU discount card for cultural visits and other activities.

Website

Next call will open in September-October 2022 (still to be confirmed).

European Solidarity Corps

Are you between 18 and 30 and looking for an opportunity to help the wider community, in Europe and beyond?

You could do this with funding and support from the European Solidarity Corps, which helps young people take part in projects that benefit communities, either abroad or in their own country.

Options to volunteer in humanitarian Aid across the world, open to people up to 35 years old.

More info tomorrow!



Would like to study more

ERASMUS MUNDUS JOINT MASTERS

Quick facts:

- ✓ Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters (EMJM) are high-level and integrated study programmes, at master level. Between 1 to 2 academic years.
- ✓ They are selected following a call for proposals by EACEA. The selection process is mainly based on their <u>excellence</u>.
- ✓ Designed and delivered by an international consortium of <u>at least three Universities</u> from three different countries, of which at least two must be Erasmus+ countries.
- ✓ Selected EMJM receive a grant that allows the development of the masters, and to award some grants to students per year from all over the world.
- ✓ Scholarships cover the cost of a student's participation in the programme, travel and a living allowance.
- ✓ Students apply to the masters individually.

LINK TO EMJM CATALOGUE



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Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions

(part of Horizon Europe)

The Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA) fund excellent research and innovation and equip researchers at all stages of their career with new knowledge and skills, through mobility and exposure to different sectors and disciplines.

As an individual, you can apply to the Marie Skłodowska-Curie Actions (MSCA):

- 1. Postdoctoral funding and positions
 - Develop and submit a proposal to an open Postdoctoral Fellowships call jointly with your host organisation;
 - o or, apply to postdoctoral vacancies funded by MSCA projects.
- **2. Apply to PhD vacancies** funded by MSCA projects

Link to short video presenting MSCA (4 minutes)



Questions & Answers



Enriching lives, opening minds.



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Thank you for your time!

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End of the first day



