Call for TSU MA level students for the Fall Semester of the academic year 2023/2024 to obtain scholarships within Erasmus+ ICM program funded by the European Commission

!!! The implementation of physical mobility will depend on the epidemiological situation in Georgia and Europe, as well as on the regulations related to entry and stay in the host country!!!

The call is announced for the first and second semester TSU MA level students to obtain Erasmus+ program scholarships funded by the European Commission

!!! Please note that the list of universities may change, therefore, we kindly ask you to periodically check the given page for most up to date information.

List of scholarships according to the countries, universities and fields of studies:

#### **Austria**

# University of Vienna

Field of study: German philology

Language of study: German

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://find.univie.ac.at/en/vvz.html

!!! Note: In order to participate in this competition, it is mandatory German

Language Certificate (C1)!!!

### University of Salzburg

Fields of study: International relations; political sciences

Language of study: English

https://www.plus.ac.at/politikwissenschaft/studium/erasmus/erasmus-

incoming/Mobility

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

!!! Note: Master's level students must have Bachelor's degree in

International Relations or political science

#### Germany

#### > RWTH Aachen University

Fields of study: Mathematics, Computer science, Economic

Language of Study: German language

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023-24

https://www.rwth-aachen.de/go/id/a/

#### University of Giessen

Fields of study: Exact and natural sciences, economics, business, cultural sciences,

sociology, political sciences

Language of study: German

https://www.uni-giessen.de/en/international-pages

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

# Saarland University

Fields of study: German philology, Law

Language of study: German

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://www.uni-saarland.de/en/international/profile.html

#### > University of Stuttgart

Field of study in English: Education Sciences, Education Psychology
Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://campus.unistuttgart.de/cusonline/ee/ca2/app/desktop/#/home?\$c

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### Italy

Sapienza University of Rome

Field of study in English/Italian language: archaeology, law, economics, philology, history, philosophy,

physics, computer science

https://corsidilaurea.uniromal.it/en

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

### Spain

University of Santiago de Compostela

Courses in English: Mathematics, Chemistry, English Philology, Geography, Geology, Law,

Economics, Education Sciences

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

University of Granada

Fields of study: Social Sciences, Faculty of Humanities, Faculty of Law

Language of Study: English/Spanish

https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/incoming-erasmus

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!!!Please note that only the applicants having Spanish language certificate (B1) or one of the listed international language certificates

can apply!

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023-24

#### Latvia

Vidzeme University of Applied Sciences

Fields of study: Information Systems, Information Technologies

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://va.lv/en/study-here/exchange-opportunities/courses-exchange-

students

#### **Poland**

Pedagogical University of Krakow

Field of study: Geography (Faculty of Exact and Natural Sciences)
Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://bwm.up.krakow.pl/incoming/modules-2023-2024/

#### France

University of Lille

Field of Study in English: Economic, Faculty of Humanities,

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://international.univ-lille.fr/en/come-to-the-university-of-

<u>lille/students/as-part -of-an-internationalprogramme/english-courses/</u>

Université Paris 8

Fields of study in French: French philology, international relations, political sciences

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

University of Bordeaux Montaigne

Field of study: French philology

https://www.u-bordeaux-montaigne...
https://www.uni-miskolc.hu/miskolc

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

#### Romania

University of Oradea

Field of study: Political Sciences

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://www.uoradea.ro/The+University+of+Oradea

# Hungary

### > University of Miskolc

Fields of study: Economics, Business Administration

Mobility period: Fall Semester of the academic year 2023/2024

### Eötvös Loránd University (ELTE)

Fields of study: <u>history</u>, archaeology, <u>public geography</u>

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://www.elte.hu/en/

#### **Finland**

### > University of Helsinki

Fields of study: Economics, Law

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://studies.helsinki.fi/instructions/article/course-selection

#### University of Jyväskylä

Field of study: Social Work

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024 https://www.jyu.fi/en

### Czech Republic

# Palacký University

Fields of study: sociology, cultural studies

Mobility period: Fall semester of the academic year 2023/2024

https://www.prf.upol.cz/en/prospective-

# The applicants for the given call should meet one of the below listed prerequisites:

- a) The following certificates taken no earlier than 4 calendar years before the end of the registration of the current competition:
  - ✓ English Language: TOEFL (90 IBT), IELTS (6.5 minimum average score),
  - ✓ Cambridge B2 FIRST (CAMBRIDGE ENGLISH FIRST /FCE) Certificate,
  - ✓ German language: Testdaf (TDN 3), DSH (DSH 1), DSD (B2), Goethe Cert. (90-100),
  - √ French language: Delf (B2),
  - ✓ Italian language: CILS (B2), PLIDA (B2)
- b) The result of institutional testing of foreign languages organized by the university (with a minimum score of 71 points), which is valid for the semester of testing and the following semester (therefore, for the purposes of this competition the results of the tests of March 10, 2023 and October 5, 2022 are valid).
- c) Official certificate confirming attendance at least 1 semester in a foreign higher educational institution's program, indicating the language of the program the applicant is currently applying for as the official language of the studies at the host university s/he has spent a semester at;
- d) Studying in a foreign language program at TSU where the language of instruction is applicable to the university/program you are applying for;
- e) TSU students attending fully foreign-language educational programs are exempt from relevant foreign language testing obligations, except for the cases when the host university requests a certificate of foreign language competence of the nominated applicants.

#### **Selection process:**

- Eligibility check (Tbilisi State University)
- > Interview with the selection committee (Tbilisi State University)
- Final selection/scholarship award (by the host University).

#### List of required documents:

- 1. A copy of the Identity card or a passport (scanned pdf version);
- CV in the Europass format in English: https://europa.eu/europass/en/create-europass-cv;
- 3. Certificate of enrollment at TSU (in English, scanned pdf version);
- 4. A Transcript of Records of the current academic level (in English; the document should indicate the GPA, to be scanned and uploaded in the pdf version);
- 5. A certificate of English language competence (see conditions above). The applicants who have passed the threshold of 71 points at the TSU institutional test, do not need to upload the reference
- 6. Scanned pdf version of an applicant's BA diploma;
- 7. A scanned copy of the applicant's BA Diploma Supplement in English (with GPA)
- 8. Additional support for applicants with fewer opportunities (If available, scanned pdf version):
  - A person with disabilities (status must be confirmed by a medical reference issued by a relevant authority);
  - Socially vulnerable person (status must be confirmed by a relevant authority);
  - Internally displaced person from the occupied territories of Georgia;
  - A person living in the occupied territories (status must be confirmed according to the statement issued by a relevant authority);
  - The parent of a minor child (status must be confirmed by a birth certificate of the minor);
  - Representative of the national minority

### 9. Duly filled and signed learning agreement (scanned pdf version).

To fill out the agreement please, check carefully the web page of the University(s) you'd like to apply to, make note of courses/subjects relevant to your home faculty study level and program, consult with the home faculty Quality Assurance Service, only after this stage fill in the first page of the document; once filled, the document should be signed and sealed by a relevant representative of the home Faculty QA service and the applicant, please see the Appendix 1. (aave a look through the appropriate regulation); In the case of the University of Santiago de Compostela please complete the learning agreement provided by them (Appendix 3).

- 10. A letter of recommendation in English or in Georgian languages (recommendation should be submitted electronically by filling in the questionnaire available in the mobility management portal mobility.tsu.ge, by a recommender indicated in the application form by the applicant; the questionnaire is sent automatically to the e-mail address entered in the portal by the applicant).
- 11. Motivation letter no more than 1 page; with the following technical characteristics: font Times New Roman, font size 12, line spacing 1.0, fields 2 cm.; (the motivation letter must be written in the language of the program you are applying for);
- 12. List of desired universities listed in an alphabetical order in English (application can be made to a maximum of 3 universities);
- 13. Applicant's informed consent form (please download *Appendix 2*, fill the required fields, sign, scan and upload a pdf version).

Students interested in applying for an exchange program must register and upload the complete list of application documents to the portal mobility.tsu.ge (in pdf format) and send the application electronically no later than 2pm (Tbilisi time) on April 4th, 2023!

- The portal does not allow modifying the submitted application and/or replacing the uploaded document(s).
- An incomplete application cannot be submitted, therefore, please make sure that the recommender is well informed about the deadline of the application.

# Scholarship includes:

- Tuition waiver
- Monthly stipend in the amount stipulated by the EACEA
- International travel costs (within the financial limit set by the EACEA, see the distance calculator for details)

!!! Visa and travel insurance related costs are not included in the scholarship and should be paid for by the selected student(s).

#### Additional important information:

a) The mobility management portal mobility.tsu.ge

Please note that the mobility management portal mobility.tsu.ge:

- Does not allow submissions after the deadline (2pm, April 13, 2023);
- Does not allow registering an incomplete application package;
- The application form is considered electronically submitted only after pressing the send button;
- Upon successful submission of the application, the applicant will receive a relevant email notification;
- The date and time of the interview will be communicated individually to all applicants on the e-mail address indicated in the portal mobility.tsu.ge.

#### b) Finances and restrictions related to Covid-19

Please note that:

Physical mobility may be related to compliance with administrative rules and regulations regarding entry into the host country, such as PCR examination (once or repeatedly), stay in quarantine space, travel, health and accident insurance that are related to financial costs. All such costs should be paid for by the selected student(s).

# c) The rule of organizing the committee and selection procedure:

The joint order of the rector of TSU and the head of the administration - approval of selection rules for participation in exchange and mobility programsTSU.ge change

In accordance with Article 49<sup>2</sup>, Paragraph 4 of the Law of Georgia on Higher Education, students retain active enrolment at their home universities while on a study abroad. Therefore, successful completion of the administrative registration at TSU at the beginning of each semester spent abroad is absolutely mandatory! Noncompliance with this rule will result in the suspension of mobility.

https://tsu.ge/assets/media/files/42/Outbound%20Mobilities/UserGuide mobility.tsu.ge vl.pdf

For additional questions, please do not hesitate to contact our team at outgoingmobility@tsu.ge