



**SUMMARY OF MOBILITY PROJECT FOR HIGHER EDUCATION STUDENTS AND STAFF
BETWEEN PROGRAMME AND PARTNER COUNTRIES
WITHIN ERASMUS+ PROGRAMME PROJECT NO. 2018-1-PL01-KA107-049190**

Project 2018-1-PL01-KA107-049190 university students and staff mobility between programme and partner countries under Erasmus + was carried out by Lublin University of Technology (LUT) in cooperation with 38 partner universities (PUs) from Algeria, Armenia, Belarus, Brazil, Russian Federation, Georgia, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Japan, Cambodia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Morocco, Mexico, Panama, Tunisia, Ukraine and Uzbekistan. The project was carried out in compliance with LUT and PUs internationalization strategies, 2014-2020 ECHE, Erasmus Policy Statement and Interinstitutional Agreements. 38 PUs participated in the project, out of which 32 carried out mobilities (incoming and/or outgoing): Al-Farabi Kazakh National University (KNU), Belarusian National Technical University (BNTU), Belarusian State University (BSU), National Research University-School of Economics (NRUSE), Georgian Technical University (GTU), Ibn Tofail University (ITU), Kazakh National Research Technical University (KNRTU), Kuban State University (KSU), Kyrgyz State Technical University (KSTU), National University of Uzbekistan (NUU), National Polytechnic University of Armenia(NPUA), Kumamoto University (KUU), Kyushu University (KU), Saga University (SU), National University Of Water Management and Nature Resources Use (NUGWWZN), Osh Technological University (OUT), Penza State University (PSU), Royal University of Phnom Penh (RUPP), University of Sfax (US), People's Friendship University of Russia (PFUR), Francisco Morazán National Pedagogical University (FMNPU), Technological University of Panama (TUP), Universidade do Estado do Pará (UEPA), Universidade Estadual de Montes Claros (UNIMONTES), Abdelmalek Essaâdi University (AEU), University Abdelhamid, Ibn Badis Mostaganem (UMAB), University of Tlemcen (UT), University Moulay Ismaïl (UMI), University of Muhammadiyah Malang (UMM), Taraz State University (TSU), Samarkand State University (SSU).

Representatives of LUT and PUs participated in the project - students, academic teachers, administrative staff. The main fields were: electricity and energy, informatics, architecture, management. 144 mobilities were completed including incoming to LUT: 48 students (4 mobilities more than stated in the agreement in the SM category), 35 teachers for teaching and 23 staff for training. Project met with great interest from students and staff. The budget was completed in 96.31%. Project primarily aimed at implementing high-quality mobilities, extending the lasting cooperation with PUs through the implementation of EU project. The opportunity for PUs to become acquainted with the Erasmus + programme, conditions of application and project implementation, was also of great significance.

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Office of International Education (OIE), faculty coordinators and Erasmus+ university coordinator were responsible for the project quality and management. PUs appointed representatives of international offices and other units for the purpose of the project management. Candidates and participants were not discriminated on grounds of nationality, sex nor age. Principles of equal treatment and information access were applied.

The percentage of women and men in the project was: 54% men and 46% women. The participants were qualified and received the scholarship in accordance with the allocated budget and with the rules approved by LUT and accepted by PUs. Project implementation allowed for the development and improvement of language skills; social, intercultural and professional competences of the participants; exchange of best practices in education and organization of the university administrative tasks; promotion and modernization of the educational offer of universities. Students gained knowledge and experience in an international environment, therefore became more attractive on the job market. The representatives of PUs exchanged their experiences in higher education. PUs strengthened their local, regional and international position, and became interesting partners for other institutions.

A positive image of students, scientists and entrepreneurs from partner countries is being created. As a result, the internationalization factor of PUs is growing. Cities and regions where they are located, are being promoted and developed. Project was also an opportunity to disseminate the info about full-degree studies in English at LUT among candidates from partner countries. International cooperation resulted in upgrading LUT's position in the Lublin region, extending LUT's educational offer for international students. Project had a positive impact on the participants, PUs, other organizations and persons. Its implementation complies with the objectives formulated in internationalization strategies and the Agenda for the Modernisation of Europe's Higher Education Systems. Due to COVID-19 pandemic the project was annexed and the project was extended to 38 months. It allowed for the achievement of satisfactory results and better use of the allocated budget.

MOBILITIES

Incoming mobilities for studies	Incoming mobilities for teaching	Incoming mobilities for training
48	35	23

Outgoing mobilities for teaching	Outgoing mobilities for training
24	14

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