Going abroad in Europe

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Agenda

17.00 h  Introduction to the programs
17.10 h  Kerstin Mitterer – Studying abroad at Technical University of Denmark, Denmark
17.23 h  Elisa Schösser – Studying abroad at University of Helsinki, Finland
17.36 h  Peter Wild – Studying abroad at Université Grenoble Alpes, France
17.49 h  Marvin Pfaff – Research abroad at Imperial College, UK
18.02 h  Sandra Karl – Studying abroad at IST Técnico Lisboa, Portugal
18.15 h  Ludwig Martlmüller and Matthias Wulff – Studying abroad at Universidad del País Vasco, Spain (Video)
18.28 h  Stefan Böhm – Research abroad at Università di Bologna, Italy
18.41 h  Further remarks, application process and questions
Erasmus program

Financial support for study-related stays abroad in European countries:

Study at a partner university of our department – **SMS**

Internship, incl. thesis and graduate internships, in a company, research institution or university – **SMP**

Planned stay (SMS + SMP) of a maximum duration of 12 months per study cycle.
SEMP program

Financial support for study-related stays abroad in Switzerland, applying for the scholarship at the Swiss university:

Study at a partner university

Internship at a partner university, non-partners may also accept applications

SEMP funding is limited, „first come, first serve“ may apply
Erasmus and SEMP programs

Programs benefits:
- No tuition fees at the partner university
- Simplified enrollment procedure
- Academic advice and social activities
- Financial support

Requirements:
- Good study progress at TUM
- Sufficient knowledge of the language of instruction in the host country
- Successful completion of ≥ 2 physics courses at the partner university for the Erasmus+ grant
Erasmus and SEMP programs

But it does **not** mean:
- automatic credit transfer of courses
- no administrative obstacles (EU program!)

Additional requirements are:
- independence
- extensive own research and organization
- well-founded study plan (at TUM and abroad)
You are…

- looking forward to challenging situations?
- interested in cultural exchange and the improvement of your language skills?
- open for completely new, different things and opinions?
- interested on other approaches in your studies and maybe very different working methods?
- strong enough to accept it, when the courses that you chose do not take place or do not meet your expectations?
- prepared to make new friends all over the world?
- prepared to expand your horizon?
You are…

… and all that as well, when it does not get reflected into credits and/or good grades???
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Then you are well-equipped for a stay abroad!
Experience reports

Kerstin Mitterer, AEP – Studies at Technical University of Denmark
Elisa Schösser, KTA – Studies at University of Helsinki
Peter Wild, KM – Studies at Université Grenoble Alpes
Marvin Pfaff, KTA – Internship at Imperial College
Sandra Karl, BEMP – Studies at IST Técnico Lisboa
Ludwig Martlmüller and Matthias Wulff, QST – Studies abroad at Universidad del País Vasco (Video)
Stefan Böhm, KM – Internship at Università di Bologna
Application period

For the academic year 2022/23:

December 1, 2021 – January 13, 2022
12 noon
Partner universities and experience reports

Partner universities of TUM Physics
www.ph.tum.de/academics/int/out/erasmus/partner/

TUM database
https://tum.moveon4.de/publisher/1/eng
Expericence reports

International Opportunities Gateway

Cooperating worldwide, TUM offers you many opportunities for international experience, ranging from short programs to several semesters abroad. Make use of these programs to advance your academic profile and linguistic skills, boost your career prospects and have a lot of fun!

In this database you will find the opportunities for TUM-students for a stay abroad with further details.

Please select the program you are interested in first and then your subject area. In case you want to go directly to a partner institution, please select the country first.

Once the world map has appeared, you can select the partner institution you are interested in below the map. Should there be a problem with the link, please try a different browser or click on the button „Relations“ (next to „Institutions“) above the world map.

Via this database you can also browse reports of TUM students who have been abroad: please go to the button „Study Reports“ next to „Relations“ (on the page of the partner institution). Our former database offers additional reports: moveonline.ev.tum.de/move/moveonline/exchanges/search.php. Make sure you tap into the wealth of experience of TUM students before you!

More information about our exchange programs, application procedures and funding possibilities can be found on the website of the International Center: www.international.tum.de/en/go-international/. More information about our exchange programs, application procedures and funding possibilities can be found on the website of the International Center: www.international.tum.de/en/go-international/.

Please note that the summer courses & research internship program listed in the database are administered solely by our partner institutions and that TUM IC can therefore not offer advisory services regarding these programs. Please use the contact information provided on the partner website.

Enjoy exploring a world full of international opportunities!

https://tum.moveon4.de/publisher/1/eng
Experience reports

Program: Erasmus Studies / Studies (SMS)
Country: France
Institution: 
Study Level: 

Institutions | Relations

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Application documents

- TUM online application form (moveon)
- Letter of motivation in English, with explanations to each of the desired host institutions (max. 2 pages)
- Preliminary study plan at chosen host institutions
- Academic records of previous semester
- Language certificates for relevant teaching languages
- CV (incl. hobbies, languages, internships, social engagement etc.)
**Study Plan**

(Template to be used for your application for a stay abroad in the frame of Erasmus+ (SMS), Swiss-European-Mobility-Program or Double Degree Program)

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Application documents

Complete application documents to be uploaded in the Online Application Portal of TUM Global (moveon) and sent as one merged PDF to international@ph.tum.de.

Please submit only complete applications, you won’t be able to submit further documents later on!

www.ph.tum.de/academics/int/out/erasmus
Selection process

- **Application deadline** for the academic year 2022/23 is January 13, 2022 at 12 noon – for both winter and summer semester
- Interviews may take place in some cases
- **Study abroad offer** by the end of February
- **Independent application at host institution** starting on mid March. Application procedures and deadlines depend on the host institution!
- Information about the **Erasmus grant** comes from TUM Global
Language skills

- **Language of instruction**: good to very good skills
- Relevant is your level at the beginning of your stay abroad, not at the application
- Recommendation: work out a language learning plan (TUM language courses, intensive courses etc.)
- **National language**: bonus for your application
Fellow program

- Make friends at TUM from all over the world
- Help incoming exchange students to feel at home
- Practice a foreign language *dáhoam*
- Gain first-hand insights in a foreign culture
- Bonus for your own application for an exchange program and/or stipend

www.ph.tum.de/academics/int/fellows/

Register by August 15 for the winter semester or by February 15 for the summer semester.
Individual advice

During the lecture period:
- Tuesdays 9:30 – 11:30 h
- Thursdays 9:30 – 11:30 h
- or on appointment

During the lecture-free period:
- Only on appointment

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Out of office!
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