



Call for Applications

Scholarships to study at University of Tuebingen (Germany) in the framework of the European Programme ERASMUS+ KA1

Objective

The Erasmus+ Programme – Mobility for study offers the possibility to spend a period of studies at **University of Tuebingen** for **Bachelor (2nd & 3rd year), Master Students (1st & 2nd year) and PhD students** from the University of Sfax.

Mobility students will be awarded a scholarship, will attend courses and will use all the facilities of **University of Tuebingen** on an equal basis as the enrolled students.

The purpose of student's mobility is to participate in the courses at **University of Tuebingen**. **The project does not provide internship mobility.**

All passed exams previously approved in the **Learning Agreement**, will be recognised by the home institution (University of Sfax).

Mobility periods:

5 months (**March 2024 - July 2024**)

Fields of Education and Training:

Check the [course options / restrictions](#) as well as the [language requirements](#) below to see if you fulfill the **necessary prerequisites** to apply for a mobility at Tübingen as an exchange student

Financing

The Erasmus+ for study scholarships are contributions to support living costs in the hosting country.

The scholarship for Germany is of **850 € per month**.

Travel costs: **275 €**

Application Documents

- Learning agreement (Annex I)
- Copy of the Passport
- Knowledge of English (B2- CEFR)
- Transcript of Records (From the Bac)
- Short CV
- Motivation letter
- Certificate of enrolment
- Research proposal for PhD students

Proof of Inclusion (for students who meet one or more of inclusion and diversity criteria established by the Erasmus+ program – (kindly see “Pre-selection criteria at the home university” section).



Please apply for this opportunity via the following link: <https://forms.gle/K8WytBi2cRfD5t9w8>

An incomplete application will be considered ineligible.

All documents in Arabic should be translated into English language.

The home Institution will be responsible of selection procedures on the basis **transparent and fair criteria**.

Language requirements

Recommended language skills: You should have a **B2 level or higher in the language of instruction of your classes** (German or English). **A completed B1 level in the language of instruction is mandatory for admission.** The levels refer to the '[Common European Framework of Reference for Languages \(CEFR\)](#)'. Even if you attend English taught courses only, we recommend a basic knowledge of German for everyday life. You generally do not need to submit language certificates with your application - however with the following exceptions:

- **Law** (all study levels), **Ethnology** (B.A.), **Biochemistry / Chemistry** (B.Sc.), students from *all* partner universities must provide proof of German language proficiency of completed B1 or on a B2 level
- **Biology / Molecular Medicine / Pharmacy** (B.Sc.) students from *overseas* partner universities must provide proof of German language proficiency of completed B1 or on a B2 level (no language certificate required for Erasmus or CIVS students)

The Department of German as a Foreign Language offers intensive preparatory courses before the semester begins. Also during the semester there is a wide range of courses on different language levels, usually starting from A2.

Pre-selection criteria at the home university

The home university will provide a pre-selection of candidates according to the following general criteria:

- Average grade.
- The consistency of the proposed research activities.
- Language skills.
- Any other elements indicated by the student in the application (other learning experiences, specific academic interests, etc.).
- Additional criteria i.e: membership in science clubs or associations, participation in conferences and other mobility programmes etc. (it is up to the sending institution to include the criteria or not)
- Students who meet one or more of the following inclusion and diversity criteria established by the Erasmus+ program:



- disability (i.e. participants with special needs): people with mental (intellectual, cognitive, learning), physical, sensory or other disabilities;
- educational difficulties: young people with learning difficulties; early school-leavers; low qualified adults; young people with poor school performance.
- economic obstacles: people with a low standard of living, low income, dependence on social welfare system or homeless; young people in long-term unemployment or poverty; people in debt or with financial problems.
- cultural differences: immigrants or refugees or descendants from immigrant or refugee families; people belonging to a national or ethnic minority; people with linguistic adaptation and cultural inclusion difficulties.
- health problems: people with chronic health problems, severe illnesses, or psychiatric conditions.
- social obstacles: people facing discrimination because of gender, age, ethnicity, religion, sexual orientation, disability, etc.; people with limited social skills or anti-social or risky behaviors; people in a precarious situation; (ex-)offenders, (ex-)drug or alcohol abusers; young and/or single parents; orphans.
- geographical obstacles: people from remote or rural areas; people living in small islands or in peripheral regions; people from urban problem zones; people from less serviced areas (limited public transport, poor facilities).

CRITERIA NO.	CRITERIA	SCORE
1.	Average GPA	40
2.	Language knowledge	
	B1	5
	B2	10
	C1/C2/TOEIC/TOEF L	20
3.	No previous Erasmus mobility	30
4.	CV	
	Work experience/traineeship	5
	Social activities / Volunteering / Clubs	5
5	Proof of inclusion	30

The deadline for applying is fixed on **04 April 2024**.

For any specific question or information, you can contact Ms. Fatma GHORBEL by e-mail fatma.ghorbel@usf.tn at your home institution.