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B. Mobility numbers³ per academic year

The partners commit to amend the table below in case of changes in the mobility data by no later than the end of January in the preceding academic year.

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area [ISCED]		Cycle [short cycle, 1 st , 2 nd or 3 rd]	Number of student mobility periods	
		code	name		Student Mobility for Studies [total number of months of the study periods or average duration]	Student Mobility for Traineeships
F STRASBO48	D KARLSRU01	0530	Physical Sciences (Geophysics)	1 st , 2 nd	3 x 10 months = 30 months or 6 x 5 months = 30 months	-
D KARLSRU01	F STRASBO48	0532	Earth sciences (Geology, Geophysics)	1 st , 2 nd	3 x 10 months = 30 months or 6 x 5 months = 30 months	-

FROM [Erasmus code of the sending institution]	TO [Erasmus code of the receiving institution]	Subject area [ISCED]		Subject area [ISCED]	
		code	code	Staff Mobility for Teaching [total number of days of teaching periods or average duration]	Staff Mobility for Training
F STRASBO48	D KARLSRU01	0530	Physical Sciences (Geophysics)	4 x one week Min 2 days (up to one week) min 8 hours of teaching per week	tbc
D KARLSRU01	F STRASBO48	0532	Earth sciences (Geology, Geophysics)	4 x one week Min 2 days (up to one week) min 8 hours of teaching per week	tbc

C. Recommended language skills

The sending institution, following agreement with the receiving institution, is responsible for providing support to its nominated candidates so that they can have the recommended language skills at the start of the study or teaching period:

Receiving institution	Optional: Subject area	Language(s) of instruction	Recommended language of instruction level ⁴	
			Student Mobility [Minimum recommended level: B1]	Staff Mobility [Minimum recommended level: B2]
F STRASBO48	Geology, Geophysics	French	B2	B2
		English	B2	B2
D KARLSRU01	Geophysics	German	B1	B2
		English	B2	B2

³ Mobility numbers can be given per sending/receiving institutions and per education field (optional*:

<http://www.uis.unesco.org/Education/Pages/international-standard-classification-of-education.aspx>)

⁴ For an easier and consistent understanding of language requirements, use of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) is recommended, see <http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/european-language-levels-cefr>

D. Additional requirements

Receiving institution	Details
F STRASBO48	<i>See annex which is an integral part of this agreement</i>
D KARLSRU01	<p>Further information about Learning Agreement requirements: http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/3377.php</p> <p>Project / Internship / Final thesis If students are planning to do a project, internship or a final thesis at KIT, a supervisor/tutor at KIT is necessary and applicants are required to find both topic and supervisor on their own. Please be aware that carrying out a Master's thesis will take about 4 -6 months or longer. Please contact the departmental coordinator for further details.</p>





E. Calendar

Receiving institution	Autumn term	Spring term
F STRASBO48	<i>See annex which is an integral part of this agreement</i>	
D KARLSRU01	Final date for nomination: 15 May Final date for applications: 1 June	Final date for nomination: 15 November Final date for applications: 1 December
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Coordinator should nominate the selected students to KIT via e-mail to erasmus-in@intl.kit.edu Our application process will be sent to the nominated student via e-mail within ten working days Application files should be sent via ordinary mail/post to KIT- International Students Office prior to the deadline International Students Office will send the decision within 4-6 weeks after the application deadline provided that the nominated students sent complete application files. A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than [8] weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI. [It should normally not exceed five weeks according to the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education guidelines] 	
The present bilateral agreement will be valid during the academic years 2018/19 – 2020/21 , unless either side terminates the agreement in writing at the latest by September 30 th for activities taking place during the next (n+1) academic year. Additional activities, cancellations or new subject areas are to be communicated by the same deadline.		
The above mentioned institutions agree to cooperate in the activities as contracted above under the terms and conditions of the Erasmus + Programme.		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Both parties agree to abide by the principles and conditions set out in the Erasmus+ Guidelines for Applicants, and will work according to the principles of Erasmus University Charter. Both parties agree to abide by the bilaterally agreed terms of this inter-institutional agreement and will endeavour to carry out the agreement to the best of their abilities. Additional changes in mobility or in specific conditions of contract and termination of the inter-institutional agreement can be made annually, if communicated before January 1st. 		
Neither the European Commission nor the National Agencies can be held responsible in case of a conflict.		

F. Information

About	F STRASBO48	D KARLSRU01
	(for up to date contact details, see web pages)	
Grading system		http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/6520.php
Visa	<i>See annex which is an integral part of this agreement</i>	http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/6194.php
Insurance		http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/6195.php
Housing		http://www.intl.kit.edu/ischolar/6166.php

G. SIGNATURES OF THE INSTITUTIONS (legal representatives)

Institution	Name, function	Date	Stamp and Signature ⁵
F STRASBO48	Sandra REBEL Erasmus Institutional Coordinator	06/11/2018	 <p>Sandra REBEL Coördinatrice Institutionnelle Erasmus+ Direction des Relations Internationales Université de Strasbourg</p> 
D KARLSRU01	Dr. Julia JOHNSEN ERASMUS Institutional Coordinator IStO - Deputy Director	07/11/2018	 

⁵ Scanned signatures are accepted

1. Institutional Information

1.1. Institutional details

Name of the institution	Université de Strasbourg
Erasmus Code	F STRASBO48
EUC	28312-EPP-1-2014-1-FR-EPPKA3-ECHE
Institution website	http://www.unistra.fr
Online course catalogue	http://www.unistra.fr/index.php?id=18506 Click on « le catalogue de cours et la grille de notation de l'Université de Strasbourg »

1.2. Main contacts

Erasmus Institutional Coordinator	Mrs Sandra REBEL sandra.rebel@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 65 13
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Teaching Staff – Staff Training - Placements

For all faculties International Central Office 22, Rue René Descartes 67084 Strasbourg Cedex	
Teaching Staff (STA) (outgoing & incoming) Staff Training (STT) (outgoing & incoming) Placements (outgoing)	Mrs Emilie ROOS ceroots@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 68 71

Student mobility for Studies, Inter-institutional Agreements and Housing

For EM Strasbourg Business School / Ecole de Management Strasbourg International Office 61, Avenue de la Forêt Noire 67085 Strasbourg Cedex www.em-strasbourg.eu	
Bilateral agreements	Mrs Stéphanie Stehli stephanie.stehli@em-strasbourg.eu +33 3 68 85 83 61 Mrs Kelly Wonnacott-Elie kelly.wonnacott-elie@em-strasbourg.eu +33 3 68 85 82 47
Outgoing Students	sri-outgoing@em-strasbourg.eu +33 3 68 85 67 76
Incoming Students and Housing	sri-incoming@em-strasbourg.eu +33 3 68 85 67 76

For Faculty of Law / Faculté de Droit	
International Office 1, Place d'Athènes B.P. 66 67045 Strasbourg Cedex http://droit.unistra.fr/international/etudiants-en-programme-dechange-incoming-exchange-students/	
Bilateral agreements	Mrs Aurore MERCY droit-erasmus@unistra.fr
Incoming Students and Housing	
Outgoing Students	

For Institute of Political Studies / Institut d'Etudes Politiques	
International Office 47, Avenue de la Forêt Noire 67082 Strasbourg Cedex http://www.iep-strasbourg.fr/international/venir-etudier-a-liep/	
Bilateral agreements	Mrs Fabienne GOETZ-RICOU f.goetzricou@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 81 06
Outgoing Students	
Incoming Students and Housing	Mrs Michelle BENOIT michelle.benoit@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 81 05

For IUT Robert Schuman	
International Office 72, Route du Rhin CS 10315 67411 Illkirch http://iutrs.unistra.fr	
Bilateral agreements Outgoing Students Incoming Students and Housing	Mrs Hélène ASSOULINE iutrs-ri@unistra.fr + 33 3 68 85 71 26
	Mrs Sylvie DEBS iutrs-ri@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 89 00
	Mrs Maïté LUDWIG iutrs-ri@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 83 31

For Faculty of Life Sciences / Faculté des Sciences de la Vie 28, Rue Goethe 67000 Strasbourg http://sciencesvie.u-strasbg.fr	
Outgoing Students (NB: for Bilateral Agreements and Incoming Students and Housing, see the contacts below "for all others faculties")	Mrs Frédérique MONTEIL frederique.monteil@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 19 75

For all others faculties International Central Office 22, Rue René Descartes 67084 Strasbourg cedex	
Bilateral agreements	dri-erasmusagreement@unistra.fr
Outgoing Students	Mr Jérémy DOSSMANN dri-erasmus-etudes@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 60 03
Incoming Students	Mrs Pascale RANSON dri-incoming-studies-europe@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 63 82
Housing for incoming students	Mrs Séverine CENSI scensi@unistra.fr +33 3 68 85 60 02
Transcripts of records	Please forward them directly to the concerned departmental coordinator.

2. Detailed requirements and additional information

2.1. Recommended language skills

The sending institution, following agreement with our institution, is responsible for providing support to its nominated candidates so that they can have the recommended language skills at the start of the study or teaching period:

Type of mobility	Faculty	Subject area (non exhaustive list)	Language(s) of instruction	Recommended language of instruction level *
Staff Mobility for Teaching	Any	Any	French/English	B2
	Faculté des Arts - Département Arts visuels - Département des Arts du spectacle	021 - Arts 0211 - Audio-visual techniques and media production	French	C1
	ITIRI	023 - Languages	French	C1
Student Mobility for Studies	CEIPI	0421 - Law	French	B2
	EM Strasbourg	041 - Business and administration	French/English	
	FDL/Etudes allemandes	023 - Languages	French	
	Faculté de Médecine	0912 - Medicine	French	
	Faculté de Philosophie	0223 - Philosophy and ethics	French	
	Faculté des Lettres	023 - Languages	French	
	Faculté des Sciences du Sport	1014-Sports	French	
	Faculté des Sciences Historiques	0222 - History and archaeology	French	
	Faculté des Sciences Sociales	031 - Social and behavioural sciences	French	
	EOST	0532 - Earth sciences	French	
	IEP	0312 - Political sciences and civics 0311 - Economics 0314 - Sociology and cultural studies 0421 - Law	French (level B2 only required for the double degrees with Frankfurt, Kraków and Brussels)	
			English	
	IUT Robert Schuman	032 - Journalism and information 041 - Business and administration 0531 - Chemistry 061 - Information and Communication Technology 0732 - Building and civil engineering	French	
French				
IUT Louis Pasteur	0413 - Management and administration 0511: Biology 0533: Physics 0710: Engineering and engineering trades	French		
		French		
LASTUS (ESST)	010 - Services 031 - Social and behavioural sciences	English (TOEFL, IELTS)		
		English (TOEFL, IELTS)		
Télécom Physique Strasbourg	0530 - Physical sciences	French		
Other faculties	Any	French/English	B1	

2.2. Calendar

2.2.1. Nomination Deadlines

Applications/information on students nominated must reach our institution by:

For EM Strasbourg	Autumn term	End of May
	Spring term	End of October
For all others faculties	Autumn term	Mid May
	Spring term	End of October

2.2.2. Decision Response

We will send our decision within **4** weeks.

2.2.3. Transcript of Records

A Transcript of Records will be issued no later than **5** weeks after the assessment period has finished at our institution. It should normally not exceed five weeks according to the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education guidelines.

2.2.4. Termination of Agreement

It is up to the involved institutions to agree on the procedure for modifying or terminating the inter-institutional agreement. However, in the event of unilateral termination, a notice of at least one academic year should be given. This means that a unilateral decision to discontinue the exchanges notified to the other party by 1 September 20XX will only take effect as of 1 September 20XX+1. The termination clauses must include the following disclaimer: "**Neither the European Commission nor the National Agencies can be held responsible in case of a conflict.**"

3. Additional information

3.1. Grading system

A description of the institutional grading system for our schools and faculties can be viewed by

1. clicking on <http://www.unistra.fr/index.php?id=18506>
2. selecting **le catalogue de cours et la grille de notation de l'Université de Strasbourg**

It is recommended that each institution provides the statistical distribution of grades according to the descriptions in the ECTS users' guide. A link to a webpage can be enough. The table will facilitate the interpretation of each grade awarded to students and will facilitate the credit transfer by the sending institution.]

3.2. Visa

Our institution will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outgoing students/staff, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education. Information and assistance can be provided by the following contact points and information sources:

Faculties	Contact	Website
EM Strasbourg	Mrs Elodie THEVENET (see details above)	http://www-english.em-strasbourg.eu/exchange-programmes/prepare-your-trip/
Faculty of Law	Mrs Aurore MERCY (see details above)	http://droit.unistra.fr/en/international/etudiants-en-programme-dechange-incoming-exchange-students/
Institute of Political Studies	Mrs Michelle BENOIT (see details above)	http://www.en.unistra.fr/index.php?id=21696
IUT Robert Schuman	Mrs Maité LUDWIG and Mrs Hélène ASSOULINE (see details above)	
All other faculties	Mrs Pascale RANSON (see details above)	

3.3. Insurance

Our institutions will provide assistance in obtaining insurance for incoming and outgoing students/staff, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

http://ec.europa.eu/education/lifelong-learning-policy/ects_en.htm

We will inform incoming students/staff of cases in which insurance cover is not automatically provided. Information and assistance can be provided by the following contact points and information sources:

Faculties	Contact	Website
EM Strasbourg	Mrs Elodie THEVENET (see details above)	http://www-english.em-strasbourg.eu/exchange-programmes/prepare-your-trip/
Faculty of Law	Mrs Aurore MERCY (see details above)	http://droit.unistra.fr/en/international/etudiants-en-programme-dechange-incoming-exchange-students/
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IUT Robert Schuman	Mrs Maité LUDWIG and Mrs Hélène ASSOULINE (see details above)	
All other faculties	Mrs Pascale RANSON (see details above)	

3.4. Housing

Our institution will guide incoming student/staff in finding accommodation, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education. Information and assistance can be provided by the following persons and information sources:

Faculties	Contact	Website
EM Strasbourg	Mrs Elodie THEVENET (see details above)	http://www-english.em-strasbourg.eu/exchange-programmes/prepare-your-trip/
Faculty of Law	Mrs Aurore MERCY (see details above)	http://droit.unistra.fr/en/international/etudiants-en-programme-dechange-incoming-exchange-students
Institute of Political Studies	Mrs Michelle BENOIT (see details above)	The IEP has a quota of about 50 rooms in Halls of Residence. They are apportioned on a first come first served basis. Application forms are sent by email to students.
IUT Robert Schuman	Mrs Maité LUDWIG and Mrs Hélène ASSOULINE (see details above)	http://www.unistra.fr/index.php?id=18509#c83593
All other faculties	Mrs Séverine CENSI (see details above)	

Institutional Factsheet for KIT – Version 2019/20




1. Institutional Information

1.1. Institutional Details



Name of institution	KIT – Karlsruhe Institute of Technology
ERASMUS Code	D KARLSRU01
ECHE	29815
Institutional website	www.kit.edu
International website	www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/3171.php
Course catalogue	studium.kit.edu/meineuniversitaet/Seiten/vorlesungsverzeichnis.aspx
Head of institution	Prof. Dr. Holger Hanselka


1.2. Main Contacts for ERASMUS programme

<p>Erasmus Institutional & Staff Exchange Coordinator</p>	<p>Dr. Julia Johnsen</p> 	<p>KIT – International Students Office Adenauerring 2, Geb. 50.20, D-76131 Karlsruhe, Germany</p>
<p>Bilateral Agreements</p>		<p>erasmus_agreement@intl.kit.edu</p>
<p>Erasmus Outgoing Coordinator</p>	<p>Marco Martori</p> 	<p>KIT – International Students Office Adenauerring 2, Geb. 50.20, D-76131 Karlsruhe, Germany Tel.: +49 (0721) 608-44920, Fax: +49 (0721) 608-44907 Email: erasmus-out@intl.kit.edu</p>
<p>Erasmus Incoming Coordinator</p>	<p>Mia Tjandisaka</p> 	<p>KIT – International Students Office Adenauerring 2, Geb. 50.20, D-76131 Karlsruhe, Germany Tel.: +49 (0721) 608-44927, Fax: +49 (0721) 608-44907 Email: erasmus-in@intl.kit.edu</p>
<p>Departmental Coordinators</p>		<p>For all academic questions concerning study schedule, ECTS, courses etc., please contact our departmental coordinators. A list is available online at: http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/3742.php.</p>




2. Calendar				
Calendar of the academic year	1st semester (Winter semester)	October 1 st	–	March 31 st
	2nd semester (Summer semester)	April 1 st	–	September 30 th
Period of courses 2019-20	1st semester	October 14 th , 2019	–	February 8 th , 2020
	2nd semester	April 20 th , 2020	–	July 24 th , 2020
Period of exams 2019-20	1st semester	February 2020	–	March/April 2020
	2nd semester	July 2020	–	September/October 2020
Orientation week 2019-20 (preliminary dates)	1st semester	September 16 th , 2019	–	September 22 nd , 2019
	2nd semester	March 23 rd , 2020	–	March 29 th , 2020
Pre-semester German language course 2019-20 (preliminary dates)	1st semester	September 23 rd , 2019	–	October 11 th , 2019
	2nd semester	March 30 th , 2020	–	April 17 th , 2020
Nomination deadline	May 15th	for the 1 st semester or for the whole academic year		
	November 15th	for the 2 nd semester		
Application deadline	June 1st	for the 1 st semester or for the whole academic year		
	December 1st	for the 2 nd semester		
Decision time	Students will receive notice within 4 -6 weeks after the application deadline provided that the nominated students sent complete application files.			
Transcript of records	A transcript of records (academic transcript) will be issued no later than 8 weeks after the end of the period of exams at KIT.			
For more information check: http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/6265.php				

3. Detailed requirements

<p>3.1. Language skills</p> 	<p>The sending institution, following agreement with our institution, is responsible for providing support to its nominated candidates to reach the required language skills</p>			
	Type of mobility	Subject areas/Departments	Language of instruction	Required language level¹,
	Student Mobility for Studies	If selected courses are taught in German for these following departments: Architecture, Biology/Bio Sciences, Chemistry, Chemical and Process Engineering, Informatics, Mechanical Engineering	German	B1-German (obligatory)
		All other subject areas/ departments (not listed above)	German	A2/B1 (obligatory)
		If selected courses are taught in English for this departments: Mechanical Engineering	English	B2-English (obligatory)
		All other subject areas/ departments (not listed above)	English	B1/B2 (obligatory)
Staff Mobility for Teaching	All subject areas	/	B2	
<p>We require ERASMUS exchange students to have a German language certificate (recommended: at least B1-level, in order to be able to follow lectures at KIT – the majority of courses at KIT are held in German only) at the time of application (i.e. on June 1st / December 1st)</p> <p>If a student wishes to attend English-taught lectures or write his/her final thesis in English, proof of English knowledge (B2-level recommended) should be provided.</p> <p>Certificates do not necessary need to be from the Goethe Institute/TOEFL/IELTS. We accept certificates issued by your university or issued by a language school. However, we will not accept a simple certificate of attendance for a German/English course of a certain level.</p>				

¹ Level according to Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR), see <http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/european-language-levels-cefr>

<p>3.2. Additional requirements</p> 	<p>Project / Internship / Final thesis</p> <p>If students are planning to do a project, internship or a final thesis at KIT, a supervisor/tutor at KIT is necessary and applicants are required to find both topic and supervisor on their own. Please be aware that carrying out a Master thesis will take about 4 -6 months or longer. Please contact the departmental coordinator for further details.</p> <p>Students and Staff with disabilities</p> <p>KIT welcomes students and staff with disabilities, but asks them to contact the International Students Office as soon as possible, so that special care can be taken during preparation.</p>
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4. Additional Information

<p>4.1. Nomination & application procedure</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please send an e-mail (Erasmus-in@intl.kit.edu) to us with <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the names of your nominated students, - birthdate - nationality - their period of stay and - the KIT department/faculty they will be enrolled at <p>prior to the nomination deadline. After receiving the nomination, we will inform your students about our online application procedure directly.</p> 2. Nominated students will get an e-mail with information on how to apply online. They must submit an online application, upload the applications documents and send <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hard copies of the online application form, also stamped and signed by their home university coordinator - Learning Agreement, stamped and signed by their home university coordinator - Language certificates (German and/or English, please refer to 3.1) - <i>Current Transcript of Records</i> <p>to the following address prior to the application deadline</p> <p style="text-align: center;">KIT – International Students Office ERASMUS Adenauerring 2 D-76131 Karlsruhe Germany</p> 3. Acceptance at KIT depends on the decision of each departmental coordinator and is confirmed when the nominated students receive the admission letter (“Zulassungsbescheid”), that will be available online in our application portal approx. 6 weeks after the application deadline provided that students send complete application files. Further instructions on how to download and print the documents will be sent via email directly to the accepted students.
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<p>4.2. Information on courses</p>	<p>Complete Course catalogue: https://studium.kit.edu/meineuniversitaet/Seiten/vorlesungsverzeichnis.aspx</p> <p>Further information on course selection and Learning Agreements: http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/3377.php</p> <p>Please note that registration for some seminars or lectures is required. If further information is needed, please contact the departmental coordinator directly and enquire about the details.</p>
<p>4.3. German language courses</p>	<p>We offer beginners and intermediate pre-semester German language courses (3 weeks, 4 ECTS) for exchange students usually about 3-4 weeks before lectures begin. At the moment the tuition fee for this course is 75 €. Registration for the course is integrated into the online application. This course is not a substitute for a certificate of German language required for the application.</p> <p>ERASMUS students also have the possibility to participate in German courses during the semester for a small fee. But, they have to register online at the start of each semester and since there is a high demand, late registration might lead to students not being able to participate.</p> <p>For more information check www.stk.kit.edu/deutsch_kurse.php.</p>
<p>4.4. Housing</p>	<p>Our institution will guide incoming students/staff in finding accommodation, according to the requirements of the ERASMUS Charter for Higher Education.</p> <p>However, housing is a difficult subject for all students in Karlsruhe. We are doing our best to secure rooms for our incoming exchange students, but due to the recent rise in Karlsruhe student numbers it is a nearly impossible task. Hence, we cannot guarantee a room upon your arrival, but have to ask the incoming students to take action themselves.</p> <p>We have accumulated tips and tricks about housing in Karlsruhe at www.intl.kit.edu/ischolar/6166.php.</p>
<p>4.5. Health insurance</p>	<p>Our institution will provide assistance in obtaining health insurance for incoming and outgoing students/staff, according to the requirements of the ERASMUS Charter for Higher Education.</p> <p>For students, health insurance coverage during the entire stay in Germany is compulsory.</p> <p>Further information at http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/3372.php or contact erasmus-in@intl.kit.edu.</p>

<p>4.6. Visa/ residence permit</p>	<p>Our institution will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outgoing students/staff, according to the requirement of the ERASMUS Charter for Higher Education.</p> <p>In general, ERASMUS students from a non-EU member state or a non-EEA member state will require a student visa (not a tourist visa) in order to study in Germany. All other ERASMUS students do not require a visa.</p> <p>For further information check www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/6194.php or contact erasmus-in@intl.kit.edu.</p>																		
<p>4.7. Grading system</p>	<table border="1" data-bbox="443 779 1396 1108"> <thead> <tr> <th>Grade</th> <th>German</th> <th>English</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1.0 – 1.3</td> <td>Sehr gut</td> <td>Very good</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1.7 – 2.3</td> <td>Gut</td> <td>Good</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2.7 – 3.3</td> <td>Befriedigend</td> <td>Satisfactory</td> </tr> <tr> <td>3.7 – 4.0</td> <td>Ausreichend</td> <td>Sufficient</td> </tr> <tr> <td>> 4.0</td> <td>Ungenügend/Nicht ausreichend</td> <td>Fail</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Exams may also be evaluated as “bestanden“ (passed) or “nicht bestanden“ (failed) without grade.</p> <p>Further information on the statistical distribution of grades according to the descriptions in the ECTS users’ guide can be found in the individual module handbooks of each degree course and on request at the KIT registrar’s office.</p>	Grade	German	English	1.0 – 1.3	Sehr gut	Very good	1.7 – 2.3	Gut	Good	2.7 – 3.3	Befriedigend	Satisfactory	3.7 – 4.0	Ausreichend	Sufficient	> 4.0	Ungenügend/Nicht ausreichend	Fail
Grade	German	English																	
1.0 – 1.3	Sehr gut	Very good																	
1.7 – 2.3	Gut	Good																	
2.7 – 3.3	Befriedigend	Satisfactory																	
3.7 – 4.0	Ausreichend	Sufficient																	
> 4.0	Ungenügend/Nicht ausreichend	Fail																	
<p>4.8. Further information for incoming students</p>	<p>Useful and helpful information for incoming students can be found on our webpages or in our student handbook available online: http://www.intl.kit.edu/istudies/3171.php.</p>																		

5. Student life and free time

Living and studying in Karlsruhe

Attractive City and Surroundings

- ✓ Second warmest city in Germany with 1691 hours of sunshine per year, around 900 hectares of green space and more than 135 cultural institutions and 102 km of bicycle paths – bring your bike along!
- ✓ Located in the Heart of Europe
- ✓ A rich history meets technical inventions, High Tech and Science
- ✓ Short Distance to the surrounding wonderful countries France, Luxemburg, Belgium, Switzerland

Excellent Service for Incoming Students

- ✓ Language courses on all levels
- ✓ One single contact point for administrative issues in the International Students Office and for academic affairs in the 11 departments.

A vivid network with weekly events to make you feel at home at KIT.

- ✓ Weekly “Stammtisch” as a great way to find and stay in touch with new friends
- ✓ Language Café to meet people from all over the world, have a drink together and chat
- ✓ Buddy Program where you are matched with a local student from Karlsruhe, who then becomes your “buddy” for the semester
- ✓ Day and City Trips to the surroundings and to vibrant cities in Germany and the neighboring countries

Meet other students.

140 days of sunshine in Karlsruhe: there are many beautiful spots to meet other students outside: the Botanical Garden at the castle or in the Stadtpark. There you'll find large lawns, beautiful plants and plenty of space to have a nice picnic.



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Do sports.

KIT, in addition to the many other sports clubs, provides a wide range of sports activities. KITs gym „walk-in“ offers fitness and endurance training on state-of-the-art equipment. There are also an indoor swimming pool and tennis courts available on campus.

Karlsruhe is the ideal base for cycling tours to some of Europe's most scenic regions: the Black Forest, Palatinate Forest, Kraichgau and the French Vosges.

Join a study group.

There are about 90 study groups at KIT, which give you access to social, cultural, technical and political student life. There is a student association for you!

AK Erasmus for example supports international exchange students by organizing city trips and other events.

Enjoy culture.

Karlsruhe enjoys vast and diverse leisure, culture and sports options, which offer something for everyone. Facets of cultural offerings are well-known theaters and museums as well as „Das Fest“ one of the largest annual German open-air-festivals.



ZKM Museum: number 4 of top world museums



“Das Fest” festival