

Swiss Programme for Erasmus + / Swiss-European Mobility Programme
Grants Call 2023

Higher education: International Mobility Projects

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All countries worldwide are eligible [programme countries](#) for international mobility.

Mobilities are granted according to concrete activities and subsidised with predefined lump sums for stay, travel and organisation for mobility. There are different grants for "Europe-wide" and "worldwide" mobility. All European Overseas Countries and Territories (OCTs) are allocated to the EU Member State to which they belong, i.e. Denmark (for Greenland), France (e.g. La Réunion), the Netherlands (e.g. Aruba) or like the United Kingdom (e.g. Falkland Islands).

- **Stay (student and staff mobility):** This lump sum is used to cover living expenses abroad, such as accommodation, meals, obtaining visas, etc. For student mobility, the grant also includes travel costs.
- **Travel allowance (staff mobility only):** The travel allowance helps to cover the costs of travelling from the place of residence to the place of the mobility activity and back (return trip). As a rule, the cheapest option of public transportation such as train or bus should be selected and chosen over air travel. The costs are reimbursed either according to the actual costs as per receipts (up to the maximum amount) or as a lump sum according to the distance travelled (one way). It is mandatory that every mobility carried out in the same call is reimbursed using the same billing method.
- **Costs for special needs (student and staff mobility):** Participants with disabilities can claim costs related to their disability and incurred due to mobility, e.g. special transport for a person with a wheelchair. The final reimbursement is made according to effective costs as supporting documents.
- **Organisational support for mobility (OS):** The lump sum per mobility is a contribution to the applicant Swiss higher education institution to cover general project costs and organisational expenses such as advertising material, dissemination, contact with partner institutions, information events, etc. OS are awarded per call for the total number of realised and documented mobilities.

Student Mobility – Studies and Traineeship: Outgoing and Incoming

The duration of the courses followed at the host institution (welcome days and exams excepted) decides about the amount granted for the entire duration of the stay (the allowances below cannot be combined).

- Duration between a minimum of 60 days and 3 months: small grant, usually applicable to one term
- Duration between 3 months + 1 day and 7 months: regular grant, usually applicable to 1 semester or 2 terms
- Duration between 7 months + 1 day and 12 months: yearly grant, usually applicable to 2 semesters or 3 terms

Outgoing

Type of grant and type of mobility	Specification	Amount per mobility (CHF)
Stay and travel	Geography	Duration
Studies	Europe ¹ : AT, BE, BG, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HR, HU, IE, IS, IT, LI, LT, LU, LV, MK, MT, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, RS, SE, SI, SK, TR, incl. OCTs	General allowances: Small grant _____ 1'430.- Regular grant _____ 2'000.- Yearly grant _____ 3'900.-
	Worldwide: all other countries	General allowances: Small grant _____ 1'750.- Regular grant _____ 2'500.- Yearly grant _____ 5'000.-
Traineeship	Europe ¹ : AT, BE, BG, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HR, HU, IE, IS, IT, LI, LT, LU, LV, MK, MT, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, RS, SE, SI, SK, TR, incl. OCTs	Effective duration of the stay, based on the following formula_____ $440 \div 30 \times \text{days} + 100$
	Worldwide: All other countries	Effective duration of the stay, based on the following formula_____ $500 \div 30 \times \text{days}$
Inclusion – Special Needs	Geography	Effective costs
	Europe and worldwide	max. 12'000.-, after document check

¹ A return journey by an environmentally friendly means of transport such as train, bus or carpool is a prerequisite for Europe-wide mobility for the award of these grants. The grant is reduced by a flat rate of CHF 100 for students who do not complete at least 50% of their entire journey (return trip) by an environmentally friendly means of transport.

Incoming

Type of grant and type of mobility	Specification	Amount per mobility (CHF)		
Stay and travel	Geography	Duration	Grant for stay and travel	Grant for stay and eco-friendly travel
Studies	Europe ² : DK, FI, GB, IS, IE, LI, LU, NO, SE, incl. OCTs	General allowances: Small grant _____ Regular grant _____ Yearly grant _____	1'430.- 2'000.- 3'900.-	
	Europe ² : AT, BE, BG, CY, CZ, DE, EE, ES, FR, GR, HR, HU, IT, LT, LV, MK, MT, NL, PL, PT, RO, RS, SI, SK, TR, incl. OCTs	General allowances: Small grant _____ Regular grant _____ Yearly grant _____	1'640.- 2'300.- 4'500.-	
	Worldwide: all other countries	General allowances: Small grant _____ Regular grant _____ Yearly grant _____	1'750.- 2'500.- 5'000.-	-
Traineeship	Europe ² : AT, BE, BG, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HR, HU, IE, IS, IT, LI, LT, LU, LV, MK, MT, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, RS, SE, SI, SK, TR, incl. OCTs	Effective duration of the stay, based on the following formula_____	440 ÷ 30 x days + 100	
	Worldwide: all other countries	Effective duration of the stay, based on the following formula_____	500 ÷ 30 x days	
Inclusion – Special Needs	Geography	Effective costs		
	Europe and worldwide	max. 12'000.-, after document check		

2 A return journey by an environmentally friendly means of transport such as train, bus or carpool is a prerequisite for Europe-wide mobility for the award of these grants. The grant is reduced by a flat rate of CHF 100 for students who do not complete at least 50% of their entire journey (return trip) by an environmentally friendly means of transport.

Staff mobility – Teaching Assignment and Training: Outgoing and Incoming

Type of grant and type of mobility	Specification	Amount per mobility (CHF)			
Stay	Geography, by costs of living	Duration			
		1 st -14 th day	15 th -60 th day		
		Teaching Assignment / Training	Europe: AT, BE, BG, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HR, HU, IE, IS, IT, LI, LT, LU, LV, MK, MT, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, RS, SE, SI, SK, TR, incl. OCTs	170.- per day	80.- per day
	Worldwide: all other countries	170.- per day	80.- per day		
Travel	Geography, by distance	Grant for travel			
		Teaching Assignment / Training	Europe: AT, BE, BG, CY, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, HR, HU, IE, IS, IT, LI, LT, LU, LV, MK, MT, NL, NO, PL, PT, RO, RS, SE, SI, SK, TR, incl. OCTs	Real costs (up to max. CHF 500.-), eco-friendly travel included	Alternative: Allowance acc. to Distance calculator
			Worldwide: all other countries	Real costs (up to max. CHF 1'300.-)	Alternative: Allowance acc. to Distance calculator
Special Needs	Geography	Effective costs			
	Europe and worldwide	max. 12'000.-, after document check			

Distance calculator

The one-way distance of the journey (point of origin - destination) in kilometres according to the Distance calculator determines the amount for the return trip.

Calculator: https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/erasmus-plus/resources/distance-calculator_en

Distance	Grant for travel (CHF)
Between 0 and 99 km	30.-
Between 100 and 499 km	325.- ³
Between 500 and 1999 km	440.- ³
Between 2000 and 2999 km	550.- ³
Between 3000 and 3999 km	655.-
Between 4000 and 7999 km	1'015.-
8000 km and more	1'300.-

3 A return journey by an environmentally friendly means of transport such as train, bus or carpool is a prerequisite for Europe-wide mobility for the award of these grants. The grant is reduced by a flat rate of CHF 100 for individuals who do not complete at least 50% of their entire journey (return trip) by an environmentally friendly means of transport.

Organisational support for mobility (OS)

Type of grant	Specification	Grant per mobility (CHF)	
Organisation		Number of mobilities	
		1 st – 50 th	As of 51 st
	Outgoing	480.-	170.-
	Incoming	210.-	50.-