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Call for Student Mobility on the framework of Erasmus+ Blended Intensive Programme/BIP

Academic years 2026-2027 (call 2025)

**Organised in the framework
of the INGENIUM European Universities Alliance**

Title: Nature-Based Wellbeing Experience

Students of the University of Crete (1st & 2nd cycle of studies) are invited to apply for blended intensive program mobility under the Erasmus+ framework.

In total: 5 eligible positions for students of the University of Crete for the Erasmus+ Blended Intensive Program (BIP), which is organized during the spring semester of the academic year 2026–2027 **South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences** (1st and 2nd cycle of studies).

Physical component: 24-28 May 2027

Online component: Spring semester 2027 (prior to intensive week)

ECTS: 3

Organizer: South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, Finland

Coordinator: University of Crete, University of Oviedo, Medical University of Sofia, Hochschule Karlsruhe University of Applied Sciences, “Gherorghe Asachi” Technical University of Iasi, Università degli Studi “G. d’Annunzio”, University of Skovde, Munster Technological University, University of Rouen.

Topic: This BIP, Nature-Based Wellbeing Experience, offers an immersive week in clean and rich Finnish nature, combining expertise from different fields such as social care, physical education, nursing, education, community work, and tourism. Students work in nature-based, multicultural and multiprofessional teams to design innovative nature-based wellbeing solutions. The main themes of the week are Sustainability, Nature-Based Wellbeing, and Experiential Learning in nature



surroundings. Before the BIP intensive week, students meet in 2 online sessions. These online sessions provide information and interactive tasks on the week's programme and the possibilities of Nature-Based Wellbeing in different academic fields.

As part of the experiential week in Finland, students co-create nature-based wellbeing products or services, such as:

- Guided outdoor activities
- Mindfulness practices in natural settings
- Sustainable tourism concepts

These products aim to integrate sustainability, wellbeing, and practical application, making them relevant for both local and international audiences.

The BIP has a transversal, multidisciplinary approach to the topic of Nature-Based Wellbeing, drawing on complementary expertise from across academic disciplines. It is not embedded in a curriculum.

Requirements/ Academic background/ Level of studies

1. Students of 1st and 2nd cycle of studies
2. Very good knowledge of the English language (B2 language certificate)
3. Optional: Excellent Knowledge of English (C1/C2 language certificate)
4. Motivation Letter
5. Transcript of records

Scoring criteria:

1. Motivation Letter: 3 points
2. Excellent knowledge of English (C1/ C2 language certificate): 3 points

In case there is a tie after the evaluation of the above criteria, the student who has the highest score will be given priority. If there is still a tie, the Selection Committee conducts a draw.

You can find the Call and the application form Here:

<https://erasmus.uoc.gr/category/bip-gr/>

Deadline for submission of applications:

From 19-06-2026 to 25-06-2026

Deadline for submitting objections:

3 days from the date of the final selection results of the candidates.

The funding of mobilities shall be allocated on the basis of the candidates' ranking and scoring list. Subject to the availability of funds, applications exceeding the stipulated number of positions may also be considered for evaluation and funding.



For more info and assistance with your application, please contact with:

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Required Documents

1. Certificate of Studies
2. Recent Transcript of Records
3. English Language Certificate (B2) or higher
4. Letter of Interest / Motivation Letter
5. Curriculum Vitae (CV)
6. Digital Copy of Identity Card

Scientific Director

Professor Eleni Tamiolaki
Vice Rector of Development, International Relations and Outreach



PERSONAL DATA

With the submission of your application for participation in the Erasmus+ Programme, the minimum required personal data are collected and processed, in order to provide you with the opportunity for mobility, especially inside the EU countries, and to enable you to develop skills through the traineeship. That way the higher education institution fulfills its obligation entrusted to it in support of the public interest. The processing of personal data is furthermore necessary in order to take measures at your request prior to the signature of the contract for your participation in the Programme and subsequently for the performance any contract you may enter into.

All your personal data (in digital and/or physical form) will be retained in our records for a period of five (5) years, for the proper performance of the contract or for the purposes of any potential check. Access to these data may be provided to the Hellenic State Scholarships Foundation (IKY-National Agency), auditors of the European Commission, the Ministry of Education and Religious Affairs, the Hellenic Court of Audit, and the European anti-Fraud Office (OLAF).

In the event that, for any reason, you do not submit the final digital application for participation in the Programme, your personal data will be retained until the end of the current Erasmus+ Programme, for which you initially expressed interest.

You have the right to access your personal data, to request their deletion, where is permitted, to right of restriction of processing and where is applicable, the right of portability or the right to object to the processing of your personal data, according to the Regulations of the EU, 2016/679 and 2018/1725, as well as Law 4624/2019. For further information on the Privacy and Personal Data Protection Policy and the relevant data protection notice, you are encouraged to visit the following website: <https://www.uoc.gr//prostasia-dedomenvn>

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