

## General conditions Erasmus+ Internship Abroad (fall 2024)

### Duration:

- The student may receive grants for mobility periods totalling up to 360 days maximum per each cycle of study (Bachelor, Master, PhD), independently from the number, duration and type of mobility activities.
- If for the requested mobility the total amount goes over 360 days, the entire mobility cannot be granted.
- The internship abroad must take a minimum of 2 months (60 days) and a maximum of 12 months (360 days, 30 days/month).
- Prior experience under Erasmus Programme counts towards the 360 days per study cycle, this includes participation in Blended (intensive) programmes.
- An internship abroad needs to be a full-time (working hours depending on the country where you go).
- An internship abroad can be part of a Study Abroad period.

### Countries:

- These are the countries that belong to the Erasmus+ programme:

Member States of the European Union (EU)			
Belgium	Greece	Lithuania	Portugal
Bulgaria	Spain	Luxembourg	Romania
Czechia	France	Hungary	Slovenia
Denmark	Croatia	Malta	Slovakia
Germany	Italy	Netherlands*	Finland
Estonia	Cyprus	Austria	Sweden
Ireland	Latvia	Poland	

Non EU Programme Countries			
Norway	North Macedonia	Liechtenstein	Türkiye
Iceland	Serbia		

- Students of Fontys will not get an Erasmus+ Scholarship if they do their Internship in the Netherlands.
- The United Kingdom is from fall 2022 no longer an eligible country for Erasmus+ Scholarships for internships of Fontys students.
- You need to move to another country for the duration of your internship, regardless of your nationality. For example: a German student, living in Germany, but studying his degree programme in the Netherlands can not receive an Erasmus+ scholarship for an internship in Germany.
- For Switzerland there's no scholarship under Erasmus+, but please go this [Swiss website](#) to see if you can apply directly to the Swiss Government.

### Other conditions:

- The application for the Erasmus+ Scholarship has to be done in Mobility Online.
- The application has to be completed before the start of the activity and all documentation needs to be signed before the start. Keep in mind the deadlines on the Study Abroad webpage.
- The students must be enrolled at least in the second year of higher education studies.
- The internship abroad must be part of the student's study programme and to ensure high quality mobility activities with maximum impact on the students, the mobility activity has to respond to student degree-related learning and personal development needs to complete a degree.

- The students must complete and submit the online participant report (survey) within 30 days from the end date of the mobility period.
- If the student does not meet all Erasmus+ Scholarship conditions and fails to complete and submit the Learning Agreement, Grant Agreement and Participant Report the student will need to fully reimburse the financial support received.
- This first payment is based on the dates that the student enters in Mobility Online Erasmus+ Scholarship application form and equals 70% of the total estimated grant based on these dates.
- Before the internship abroad ends the student needs to fill out and upload some additional documents. Based on the exact dates filled out in the final documentation the final amount will be re-calculated and the final payment will be done (final amount for the whole period minus the first amount paid).

### **Scholarship amount:**

#### **Basic Erasmus+ Scholarship:**

- Erasmus+ scholarships are different per sending country (the Netherlands in this case), but also it differs per host country. The table below shows the amount Fontys students will receive per day (count for 1 month always 30 days).
- *For example, for a stay of 5 months in Spain, this means 150 days for an amount of €2.400.*

	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
Countries:	Austria Belgium Denmark Finland France Germany Iceland Ireland Italy Liechtenstein Luxembourg Norway Sweden	Cyprus Czechia Estonia Greece Latvia Malta Portugal Slovakia Slovenia Spain	Bulgaria Croatia Hungary Lithuania North Macedonia Romania Serbia Poland Türkiye
Amount per day	€ 18	€ 16	€ 16

#### **Additional Erasmus+ Scholarship:**

- There are additional scholarships for students with:
  - ✓ Economic circumstance
  - ✓ Health circumstance
- Students that meet the requirements will be able to get an additional scholarship of €250 per month (or €100 - €150 in case of a short-term mobility of max. 30 days). You can read more on [our website](#).
- *For example for a stay of 5 months in Spain, this means 5 x €250 on top of the abovementioned scholarship. In total this student would therefore be eligible to €2.400 + €1.250 = €3.650.*

#### **Extra Health Erasmus+ Scholarship:**

- It can be that with the Erasmus+ basic scholarship and the Erasmus+ additional scholarship (€250 per month) it is still not possible to go abroad due to a health circumstance and that your situation requires extra financial support. In that case you can apply for an extra health circumstance scholarship. In the Erasmus+ application procedure in Mobility Online you are able to request this funding for an indicative amount. Afterwards you will be contacted to provide the necessary supportive documents. The amount will be based on real costs and approved documents for real expenses. These indicative expenses need to be assessed by the Dutch National Agency for Erasmus+ before Fontys can approve it, and the receipts / invoices will be assessed after your mobility for a final approval. You can read more on [our website](#).

### Travel Support:

- New from fall 2024 is that for Erasmus+ Internships all students get a travel support. The amount depends on the distance. Below you will find the amounts per travel distance band.

Travel distance	Green travel	Non-Green travel
10 – 99 km	56 EUR	28 EUR
100 – 499 km	285 EUR	211 EUR
500 – 1999 km	417 EUR	309 EUR
2000 – 2999 km	535 EUR	395 EUR
3000 – 3999 km	785 EUR	580EUR
4000 – 7999 km	1188 EUR	1188 EUR
8000 km or more	1735 EUR	1735 EUR

- Green travel: students of Fontys that use train, bus or carpool on their 2-way trip to their destination will get the green travel amount for the Erasmus+ scholarship. Next to that they will get up to 4 extra days of Erasmus+ scholarship for the possible extra travel days. The amount per extra day is calculated as per the tables above and includes a possible additional scholarship.