

# UNIVERSITY OF PAVIA ERASMUS+ PROGRAMME STUDENTS MOBILITY FOR STUDY



# **ANNEX III**

# **ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/26**

# ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS AND SELECTION CRITERIA ESTABLISHED WITHIN INDIVIDUAL ERASMUS AREAS

#### **BIOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGIES**

Interested students are encouraged to consult the Erasmus pages on the University website for details about the Erasmus mobility program.

Candidates will be selected exclusively based on the online application, which will be assessed for completeness, particularly regarding motivations and the detailed selection of academic activities at the three preferred host institutions.

It is recommended to submit the application only after verifying that the chosen destinations are suitable for carrying out activities compatible with the student's study plan. This includes ensuring that the offered courses are equivalent to those in the Pavia study plan, that there are opportunities for practical lab work or thesis activities, and that the required language proficiency level is met. The list of available foreign institutions can be downloaded from the Erasmus section of the University website.

For thesis mobility, selected candidates must identify a supervisor from their degree program or the University of Pavia and a host laboratory at the chosen Erasmus institution. Upon returning, they must submit a certificate or letter issued by the foreign professor or institution confirming the laboratory or research activities carried out.

#### **CHEMISTRY**

For students attending a laboratory course abroad, it is necessary to submit a certificate or a letter issued by the professor upon return, confirming their attendance at the laboratory.

## COMMUNICATION

There is no selection interview. After submitting the application, candidates must send their CV and indicate their academic and personal motivations by filling out the form at the following link: <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd\_zSxPyGrTnwjtgVDfa81a3\_5CCc0jGXOCyCjldA1msyG-KQ/viewform?usp=pp\_url">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd\_zSxPyGrTnwjtgVDfa81a3\_5CCc0jGXOCyCjldA1msyG-KQ/viewform?usp=pp\_url</a>.

Erasmus mobility entitles students to the recognition of 6 ECTS credits as a substitute for the internship activity.

#### **PHYSICS**

No specific requirements are foreseen.

#### LAW

No specific requirements are foreseen.

No selection interview is foreseen.

#### **ENGINEERING**

No specific requirements are foreseen.

#### **MATHEMATICS**

Students enrolled in the Bachelor's and Master's degree programs in Mathematics can refer to Prof. Paola Frediani (Delegate, <a href="mailto:paola.frediani@unipv.it">paola.frediani@unipv.it</a>) or Prof. Ada Pulvirenti (Contact Person, <a href="mailto:ada.pulvirenti@unipv.it">ada.pulvirenti@unipv.it</a>). Students enrolled in the Bachelor's degree program in Artificial Intelligence can refer to Prof. Antonino Nocera (Contact Person, <a href="mailto:antonino.nocera@unipv.it">antonino.nocera@unipv.it</a>).

#### MEDICINE AND SURGERY

Eligible candidates include:

- Students regularly enrolled for the 2024/25 academic year in:
  - The first, second, third, fourth, or fifth year of the Single-Cycle Master's Degree in Medicine and Surgery (LM-41) (Golgi Course and Harvey Course)
  - The first and second year of the Bachelor's Degree in Nursing, Dietetics, Sports Science, Physiotherapy, Neuro and Psychomotor Therapy of Developmental Age, Occupational Therapy, Biomedical Laboratory Techniques
  - The first, second, third, fourth, or fifth year of the Single-Cycle Master's Degree in Dentistry and Dental Prosthetics
  - The first year of the Master's Degree in Sports Science and Techniques, and in Preventive and Adapted Sports Science and Techniques
- Students enrolled for the 2024/25 academic year in Specialization Schools and PhD programs within the Faculty, who meet the necessary participation requirements
- Students enrolled in the Degree Program in Medicine and Surgery must have passed the prerequisite exams required by the curriculum for the academic year in which they are applying
- For students enrolled in the sixth year in 2024/25 and those repeating a year or out of course, the Commission will assess individual applications and related issues.

#### **CLARIFICATIONS**

The Erasmus Area Commission for Medicine is composed of the International Mobility Delegate of the Erasmus Area as President, faculty members from the Medicine and Surgery (Golgi and Harvey) degree programs, and one representative for each of the other degree programs affiliated with the Commission.

When planning the academic program to be carried out abroad, students must comply with the prerequisite requirements set by the Italian curriculum and verify the core content of the chosen subject to ensure alignment with the Italian program. Specifically:

- 1. As a general rule, it will not be possible to take exams in advance from future years unless a careful caseby-case assessment confirms that the proposed study plan is coherent, well-structured, and complete, ensuring credit equivalence and educational value.
- 2. It is preferable to include integrated courses in the Learning Agreement rather than individual course modules. However, due to variations in the academic offerings of partner universities, each study plan will be carefully evaluated. If only specific modules of an integrated course are available abroad, students will be allowed to complete the remaining parts of the course upon their return to Pavia.

3. Study plans that improperly and inconsistently include courses from previous years to compensate for missing credits will not be accepted unless they fit within a cohesive academic trajectory.

Given these considerations, students enrolled in the Medicine and Surgery degree program are discouraged from applying for Erasmus mobility before the third year and during the sixth year. Finding compatible study plans that do not involve taking courses in advance or compensating for missing ones is often very difficult. The sixth year should be primarily reserved for thesis research and writing.

#### MUSICOLOGY AND CULTURAL HERITAGE

MOBILITY INCENTIVES: Upon obtaining their degree, students who have participated in an Erasmus+ program or academic activities during study periods at foreign universities will receive an additional score of 1 point for the Bachelor's and Master's Degree Programs in Musicology and the Bachelor's Degree in Literary Studies and Cultural Heritage.

#### **PSYCHOLOGY**

Interested students are encouraged to consult the UNIPV Psychology – Erasmus section for specific and up-to-date information.

A selection interview will be conducted to assess the motivation of the candidates.

#### **DRUG SCIENCES**

Candidates must contact the exchange coordinator before submitting their application to receive proper guidance. To carry out thesis research abroad, students must have acquired at least 150 ECTS credits by the application deadline.

#### EARTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

The selection will be based on the candidate's academic record and an interview assessing their motivation and the consistency of the application with their study plan. It is essential to present a study plan with academic activities at the chosen host university that closely align with the candidate's curriculum.

Students are strongly encouraged to consult the Erasmus information available on the University website.

#### **BUSINESS AND ADMINISTRATION**

Candidates are encouraged to consult the <u>University of Pavia International website</u> for detailed information on the application process, the completion of the Learning Agreement, the choice of destination, and the entire procedure. Any requests for clarification should be sent exclusively to <u>erasmus.dem@unipv.it</u> (please make sure to carefully review the webpage mentioned above before reaching out).

# CHANGE OF DESTINATION AND ASSIGNMENT OF VACANT PLACES

The student cannot request a change of the assigned destination, which is determined based on their ranking and the preferences indicated in the application form.

#### THESIS RESEARCH ABROAD

Students interested in conducting thesis research during their Erasmus mobility period must verify, before applying, the availability of the host institution to accept Erasmus students for this activity.

## POLITICAL AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

There is no selection interview. After submitting the application, candidates must send their CV and indicate their academic and personal motivations by completing the form at the following link: <u>Google Form</u>.

The Erasmus experience carried out during the Bachelor's degree program entitles students to the recognition of 6 ECTS credits as a substitute for the internship/work placement activity.

# **HUMANITIES**

There is no selection interview.