

# University of Coimbra – P COIMBRA01 Application Procedures for Student Mobility Academic year 2023\_2024

Dear Partner,

The University of Coimbra would like to inform you on the application procedure for student mobility in the next academic year. We will be happy to receive your nominations!

## Application process

The application for a mobility period at the University of Coimbra is open until the 15<sup>th</sup> July andis <u>mandatory</u> in our online system. Your students should read the Manual available first! Please access in the link bellow:

http://www.uc.pt/en/driic/estudantesIN/CandidatIN/

**Important:** The information system of the University of Coimbra already supports the Erasmus Without Paper (EWP) nomination process and Learning Agreement services. <u>Applicants</u> nominated via EWP will get from the University of Coimbra a simplified information for registration in *Inforestudante*, our academic platform. It is necessary to complete the application in our platform with other data required by the University of Coimbra.

## Accommodation in Coimbra

Mobility students may book their own accommodation at <u>students' residences</u> or private lodging included in the online accommodation platform of the University of Coimbra availableat <u>www.uc.pt/go/accommodation</u>.

Students may also choose to book the first days at a local Hostel and look for lodging after their arrival. In this case they have the support of the local Student Association.

## Teaching Language

The **majority of course units** are conducted in **Portuguese**. There is a number of <u>course units</u> <u>offered in English - https://www.uc.pt/en/ects/catalogo/</u> and in some cases, **exchange students** make arrangements with lecturers in order to be allowed to do examinations or submit assignments in English (or in another language, if both parts agree on it).

If the students have no knowledge of the Portuguese Language they are advised to attend the <u>Intensive Language Preparation Course</u> at the beginning of the months of September and/or February. This course is <u>not free of charge</u> for exchange students.

Erasmus students are strongly advised to take the **OLS** preparation course available online (access is provided by the home institution).

Your students may also include in their Learning Agreement the semester course of Lingua Portuguesa, free of charge, to help them along the study period.



### Learn more at

https://www.uc.pt/fluc/ensino/cpe/LPE/lingua\_portuguesa\_erasmus/versao\_inglesa

Our fact sheet is available at <a href="https://www.uc.pt/en/driic/mobilidade/fact-sheet/">https://www.uc.pt/en/driic/mobilidade/fact-sheet/</a> .

You may also send us your nominations to the contacts indicated below. We hope to have given you enough information and we look forward to receiving your students' applications.

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