



Call for applications

ERASMUS+ INDIVIDUAL MOBILITY FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS

All doctoral students enrolled at L'Institut Agro are eligible for Erasmus + mobility grants to train and develop their professional skills.

Mobility has to take place within a **partner university** (the list of partners is displayed on the online form: https://international-mobility.institut-agro-rennes-angers.fr/fr/doctorant-erasmus)

Mobility within the **ELLS** network is a priority for l'Institut Agro:

- BOKU University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences Vienna, Austria
- **SLU** Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden
- **UHOH** University of Hohenheim, Germany
- WUR Wageningen University & Research, The Netherlands
- CZU Czech University of Life Sciences Prague, Czech Republic
- SGGW Warsaw University of Life Sciences, Poland
- NMBU Norwegian University of Life Sciences, Norway
- EMÜ Estonian University of Life Sciences, Estonia
- UdL University of Lleida, Spain
- Unitus University of Tuscia, Italy

Some summer schools are also offered by the ELLS network: https://www.euroleague-study.org/en/r-20338-study-offers/r-20351-summer-schools

The Erasmus + programme allows students to carry out a mobility in another institution abroad in order to acquire new skills. The students remain enrolled in their home institution. This mobility is validated and recognised by the home institution as an integral part of the thesis.

The laureates must have completed their mobilities before 30 July 2026.

Funding awarded

Erasmus+ grants are intended to cover **part of your mobility costs** (living costs and travel costs):

Duration: we can finance stays from 5 to 30 days (short-tem mobility) or from 2 to 5 months (long-term).

Training costs, registration fees and research costs are not covered by the Erasmus+ grant. A short stay to attend only a conference or seminar is not eligible.

Amount of grants and expenses covered: See Annex 1





Objectives of the mobility

Stay for training, acquiring new skills:

The general objective is to train on complementary aspects (advanced methods, specific case studies, for example) which are new and not available locally. Doctoral students can combine formal training activities and training through research (in the laboratory) in the same stay.

Application procedure

Call for applications: OPEN

Application deadline: 5 July 2025

Doctoral students complete the online form available at this address: https://international-mobility.institut-agro-rennes-angers.fr/fr/doctorant-erasmus
(French and English versions available)

Only complete forms will be taken into account.

Important:

- Validate the mobility project with your thesis director (you are requested to attach a letter or email of support to your online application)
- Contact the host research unit and obtain its agreement on the mobility, state the period and the scientific objectives (you will be asked to attach a letter or email of acceptance to your online application)
- Prepare a letter of motivation and a provisional budget to attach to your online application

Selection

The selection committee checks the eligibility of applications and then grades the applicants according to the criteria presented below.

Selection criteria

- 1. Relevance of the objectives of the mobility to the thesis project (/3 pts)
- 2. Motivation and impact of the mobility on the doctoral student (/3pts)
- 3. Impact of the mobility on the home research unit (/2 pts)
- 4. Quality of the planned organisation and contacts with the host unit (2pts)

Bonus will be awarded to:

- mobility within the ELLS network
- first time mobility abroad during the PhD
- first Erasmus+ financing during the PhD





Contacts

Montpellier Campus:

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Rennes - Angers Campus:

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Annex 1: Financing of mobility

Mobility in Europe

Subsistence costs, for short stays < 30 days:

The basic amounts for the contribution to subsistence costs are set as follows:

GRANT AWARDED:

	Living costs	Travel
Short stay :		
Up to day 14 of the activity	79 € / day	
From day 15 to day 30 of the activity	56 € / day	Depending on the km
Long stay :		distance and type of transport (eco-responsible : train, bus, car-sharing, etc. (example : 309 € or 417 € with and eco-responsible transport to go from Rennes to Wageningen and back to Rennes)
Group 1: Denmark, Finland, Ireland, Iceland, Lichtenstein, Luxembourg, Norway, Sweden, Austria, Belgium, Germany, Italy, Netherlands	350€ /month	
Group 2 and 3: Cyprus, Greece, Malta, Portugal, Spain, Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Bulgaria, Croatia, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Turkey	300€ /month	





International Mobility

Subsistence costs = 700 € / month

Travel costs

Use Erasmus+ distance calculator to know the distance that applies to your destination: https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/resources-and-tools/distance-calculator

Destination	Travel grant
Canada (<u>Université Laval</u>)	820 €
Thailand (<u>KU</u> - <u>AIT</u> – <u>MFL</u>)	1500 €
Cambodia (<u>ITC</u> - <u>RUA</u> – <u>UBB</u>)	1500 €

Nota Bene: the amount covers the contribution for a round trip.

Travel costs will be granted if the budget allows it.

For both (mobility in Europe and International mobility)

An "inclusion" financial supplement (within the limit of the Erasmus+ budget allocated to the institution) may also be awarded to students with fewer opportunities*.

Consult the criteria for the "inclusion" financial supplement.

According to the duration of the stay abroad	Amount
For short stays < 14 days	100 €
For stays between 15 and 30 days	150 €
For longer stays	250 € / month

In the table below, you will find the criteria used in France to define the students that have access to the inclusion financial supplement:

Criteria	Supporting documents	
In a situation of disability or long-term	Certificate of decision MDPH or	
illness	certificate of long-term illness or disability	
	card, etc	
	MDPH: "maison des personnes	
	handicapées » : French institution that	
	recognizes disabled people	





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Living at an address classified as a priority district of the city	Proof of address (electricity, water, etc.). If the name is different, this proof must be accompanied by a certificate on honour
Higher education scholarship holder on social criteria (step 6 and 7)	Notification of grant award
Belonging to a household whose CAF family allowance is less than equal to 566€ (i.e. global family incomes)	CAF certificate of family income