

**Bilateral student and staff exchange agreement
Academic year 2024-2029**

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together the "Parties".

The above Parties agree to set up a student and staff exchange programme according to the principles and conditions below. The present bilateral agreement will be valid during the academic years 2024-2029 unless either side terminates the agreement in writing at the latest by October 1st for activities taking place during the following (n+1) academic year.

Student and staff mobility by academic year

Subject area(s)	Level (long term)			Country		Total number	
	<i>Bachelor or</i>	<i>Master</i>	<i>Doctoral</i>	<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>	<i>Students</i>	<i>Student months (= sum)</i>
<i>Biomedical Sciences</i>	X	X	X	BR	BE	2	12
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Basic principles

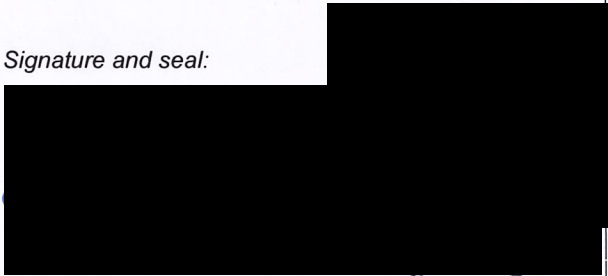
1. The duration of exchange can be either on the basis of long term (three months and up to one academic year) or short term (two weeks or more). During this period the student is required to attend a number of courses and seminars corresponding to the normal workload at the host institution.
2. Prior to the departure for the host institution, a Learning Agreement is drawn up for each individual student. Upon the basis of the courses available in the host department, this agreement sets out the details of the study programme, including the credits to be earned. It is signed by the student and the academic coordinator both in the home and host institutions.
3. Any changes to the Learning Agreement are agreed in writing as soon as they occur.
4. The student is assessed by the host institution, who will provide the home institution a Transcript of Records, listing the credits and grades earned.
5. In accordance with the Learning Agreement, the home institution will give full academic recognition for the credits earned in the host institution.

Other conditions

1. Each student will be required to respect the admission procedures set out by the host institution.
2. Registration fees are to be paid to the home institution. No fees are to be paid to the host institution. All other costs will be paid by the student, including travel expenses, living costs and health insurance.
3. All exchange students must have adequate health insurance coverage. They may be required to produce a letter from their insurance company certifying this when registering at the host institution.
4. The student may need to prove that he/she is enrolled at the home institution when requested by the host institution.
5. The selection of exchange students is carried out by the home institution.
6. Each individual student is responsible for obtaining his/her visa in time. The host institution will provide him/her with the appropriate documents.

Staff exchange

1. Both institutions agree to promote the exchange of instructors and researchers, in particular for short term teaching assignments.

Université de Mons Géraldine BERGER Head of International Office - Institutional Coordinator <i>Signature and seal:</i>  Date :	Universidade Federal de Ciências da Saúde de Porto Alegre Lucia Campos PELLANDA Rector <i>Signature and seal:</i>  Lucia Campos Pellanda Reitora da UFCSPA Date : 05/02/2025
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