

Fact Sheet for KA107 Erasmus+ Incoming Students Academic Year 2020-2021

| General Information | |
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| Full legal name in English | “Dunarea de Jos” University of Galati |
| Full legal name in national language | Universitatea “Dunarea de Jos” din Galati |
| Erasmus Code | RO GALATI01 |
| PIC / OID | 999879784 / E10208970 |
| EUC | 56018-EPP-1-2014-1-RO-EPPKA3-ECHE |
| English website of university | http://www.en.ugal.ro/ |
| Visiting & post address | Str. Domneasca nr. 47, 800008 Galati, Romania |
| Head of institution | Prof. Puiu-Lucian GEORGESCU, Rector |
| Erasmus+ institutional coordinator | Assoc. Prof. Steluta STAN |
| KA107 (ICM) Erasmus+ Programme website | http://www.en.ugal.ro/studies/ka107-icm-erasmus-programme |
| KA107 Erasmus+ team | <p>Prof. Dan SCARPETE <i>Project manager, student and staff mobility coordinator, inter-institutional agreements</i> E-mail: dan.scarpete@ugal.ro Phone: +40 336 130 159</p> <p>Lecturer Luminita IOSIF <i>Student and staff mobility coordinator, inter-institutional agreements, residence permit</i> E-mail: luminita.iosif@ugal.ro Phone: +40 752 292 965</p> |
| Academic Calendar | <p>Autumn semester Lecture period: beginning of Oct – mid-end of Jan (14 weeks) Examination period: until mid of Feb (3 weeks)</p> <p>Spring semester Lecture period: mid-end of Feb – end of May (14 weeks) Examination period: until mid-end of Jun (3 weeks) Placement period (only for bachelor degree and specific years of study): until mid of Jul (3 weeks)</p> <p>Please find the Academic Calendar in detail at http://www.en.ugal.ro/education/academic-calendar</p> |

| Exchange Information | |
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| <p>Selection of Erasmus+ incoming students</p> | <p>To benefit of a KA107 Erasmus+ mobility for studies, incoming students have to be selected by their home university within a selection process and procedure. In general, selection criteria for students are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - the student must be registered and enrolled in studies leading to a recognised degree or another recognised tertiary level qualification (up to and including the level of doctorate); - the student must be enrolled at least in the second year of higher education studies, at the beginning of his/her Erasmus+ mobility; - the student must be enrolled in a study area/program that is similar to the study area/program offered by the host university; - to have a good academic performance during his/her previous academic year or semester (this second provision applies to the candidates who are in the first year of study); - to prove a good level of language (English or French) competence (at least B2). <p>Important notes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - student-candidates have to apply and to be selected according to the mobility offer, available at http://www.en.ugal.ro/studies/ka107-icm-erasmus-programme/ka107-erasmus-student-mobility-for-studies/general-mobility-offer-and-financial-support-for-2020-2021 - as the mobility offer is per countries, both student-candidates and staff involved in the selection process are kindly asked to contact the KA107 Erasmus+ team to be sure that the mobility offer is still available for a certain university. |
| <p>Nomination and application for incoming Erasmus+ students</p> | <p>Before applying, the selected students must be nominated by their home institution:</p> <p>The home institution should send a nomination letter (name, e-mail, area of study, study cycle, actual year of study, period of study, copy of passport) to the KA107 Erasmus+ team (luminita.iosif@ugal.ro, dan.scarpete@ugal.ro) prior to the nomination deadline. An invitation will be released upon home university request.</p> <p>Application forms are available on the website http://www.en.ugal.ro/studies/ka107-icm-erasmus-programme/ka107-erasmus-student-mobility-for-studies/application-documents</p> |

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| | <p>Signed forms must be sent by e-mail to: luminita.iosif@ugal.ro, dan.scarpete@ugal.ro Students must arrive at least 3 days before the academic year/semester starts, but not during the weekends. Important note: the nomination should be launched with at least two months before student arrival (according to the academic calendar) at receiving institution to ensure enough time for getting the Romanian visa.</p> | |
| Deadlines for nomination and application | <p>Autumn semester Nomination: 15 June Application: 15 July</p> | <p>Spring semester Nomination: 15 December Application: 15 January</p> |
| Academic Information | | |
| Course catalogue (course offer) | <p>http://www.en.ugal.ro/studies/ka107-icm-erasmus-programme/ka107-erasmus-student-mobility-for-studies/course-catalogue</p> | |
| Standard ECTS credit load | <p>30 credits per semester 60 credits per year Note: For a mobility period of 3 – 4 months, the credit load is of 15 – 25 credits.</p> | |
| Possibility of attending courses at different departments/faculties? | <p>Yes</p> | |
| Learning Agreement for Studies | <p>All Erasmus+ incoming students must fill in Learning Agreement for Studies form (available at http://www.en.ugal.ro/studies/ka107-icm-erasmus-programme/ka107-erasmus-student-mobility-for-studies/application-documents) and to send it to KA107 Erasmus+ team during the Application process. Students in Bachelor and Master study programs are allowed to attend courses of maximum 63 credits/academic year and 33 credits/semester. Erasmus+ incoming students will be helped to filling in their Learning Agreement by their Academic contact person and KA107 Erasmus+ team.</p> | |
| (Official) Language of instruction | <p>Romanian</p> | |
| Language of tutoring, course and evaluation arrangements for Erasmus+ incoming students | <p>English, French</p> | |
| Recommended language level for Erasmus+ incoming students | <p>Min. B2 for English, French</p> | |
| Romanian language course for Erasmus+ incoming students | <p>“Dunarea de Jos” University of Galati offers to all Erasmus+ incoming students an introductory course of Romanian language.</p> | |

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| | The Romanian course is free of charge and no credits (ECTS) are allocated. |
| Grading system | Marks from 1 to 10 (1-4=Fail; 5-10=Pass) The value of local credits corresponds to ECTS credits |
| Transcript of Records | Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than 4 weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving university. |
| Additional Information | |
| Housing | <p>According to our Erasmus+ Policy Statement, “Dunarea de Jos” University of Galati offers accommodation to all incoming Erasmus+ students in one of our student dormitories.</p> <p>We will reserve for you an accommodation in a double room for 85 €/month (please note that you will have a roommate and we cannot offer you a single room, even if you could afford to pay double).</p> <p>Note: Erasmus+ incoming students have to fill in the Accommodation Form (available at http://www.en.ugal.ro/studies/ka107-icm-erasmus-programme/ka107-erasmus-student-mobility-for-studies/application-documents) and to send it to KA107 Erasmus+ team during the Application process.</p> |
| Insurance | Incoming students must have a health insurance before the commencement of their mobility, valid for the total duration of their stay. |
| Visa | <p>For information on visa / residence permit requirements, please contact the KA107 Erasmus+ Team (luminita.iosif@ugal.ro, dan.scarpete@ugal.ro).</p> <p>Incoming students may also find information on visa requirements at https://www.mae.ro/en</p> |
| Travel to Romania and Galati city | <p>Booking the flight to Romania</p> <p>Erasmus+ incoming students are kindly asked to address and keep in touch with KA107 Erasmus+ team when they are ready to book their flight to Romania.</p> <p>We are insisting: please, do not book/buy your flight to Romania until you do not get the Romanian visa and you do not have the approval of KA107 Erasmus+ team. Otherwise, you may lose your money or even your mobility.</p> <p>Airport</p> <p>The main international airport of Romania is Bucharest “Henri Coandă” International Airport (formerly Otopeni Airport)</p> |

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| | <p>Transfer to Galati city Galati city may be reached by train or by bus/minibus. Since the terminal of bus/minibus is just in the arrivals terminal parking, we kindly advise our incoming students to choose bus/minibus transfer to Galati. We may book your transfer, according to your landing date and time.</p> |
| Approximate monthly living cost | The estimated cost of living is 250-350 Euro/month. This includes meals, accommodation and local transport. |