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Inter-institutional agreements: Memorandum of understanding - MoU

International Relations Office supports and monitors the preparation of inter-institutional agreements on scientific collaboration.

For the present, AIK has signed **44** inter-institutional contracts. In year 2019/2020 AIK established cooperation with **3** new foreign universities

Newton College	THE CZECH REPUBLIC
Trnava University in Trnava	SLOVAKIA
University of Foggia	ITALY

MoU is a base for launching common academic projects as well as the student and staff exchange. Since 2017 AIK has been implemented student exchange in the frame of MoU:

Incoming students within MoU	
2017/2018	1
2018/2019	6
2019/2020	3

ERASMUS

➤ AIK has signed **79** bilateral agreements within Erasmus+ Programme – Action KA103 (within the EU):

Austria	1	Ireland	1
Belgium	1	Hungary	
Bulgaria	3	Italy	11
Croatia	3	Latvia	1
The Czech Republic	7	Lithuania	1
Estonia	1	Norway	1
Finland	1	Portugal	2+1
France	4	North Macedonia	1
Germany	5	Romania	4
Greece	1	Slovakia	3
		Spain	13+ <mark>2</mark>

where, in 2019/2020 AIK signed 3 new contracts:

Portuguese Institute of Marketing Management (The Marketing School) - IPAM	PORTUGAL
Universidad Católica de Valencia, "San Vicente Mórtir"	SPAIN
Universidad CEU Cardenal Herrera	SPAIN

and extended 4 already existing by new fields of education for exchange:

Catholic University of Lyon - ESTRI	FRANCE
University of Ostrava	THE CZECH REPUBLIC
SSML Carolina Albasio	ITALY
University of Cordoba - Teacher Training Faculty "Sagrado Corazon"	SPAIN

➤ In 2019/2020 AIK implemented 3rd edition of the Erasmus project within Acction KA107 – student and staff exchange between programme and partner countries – exchange with the partner universities located beyond the UE.

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In the frame of this project AIK collaborates with 6 universities

Zhytomyr Ivan Franko State University	
The Ukrainian Catholic University in Lviv	UKRAINE
Borys Grinchenko Kyiv University	
Loyola University Chicago	USA
Saint Joseph University in Beirut	LEBANON
Catholic University of Uruguay	URUGUAY

From the next academic year 2020/2021, within the 4th edition of the KA107 project, AIK will collaborate with **3** new partners:

Vasyl' Stus Donetsk National University	UKRAINE
Sulkhan-Saba Orbeliani Teaching University	GEORGIA
Herzen State Pedagogical University of Russia,	RUSSIAN FEDERATION

> STATISTICS – academic exchange within Erasmus+ programme has been more and more attractive among both students and staff members:

	ERASMUS mobilities OUT and IN
2015/2016	68
2016/2017	81
2017/2018	110
2018/2019	131
2019/2020	90

in 2019/2020 90 mobilities implemented within Erasmus+ Programme (Outgoing and incoming):

33 outgoing mobilities:

student mobility for study	19
student mobility for internship	6
staff mobility for teaching	5
staff mobility for training	3

57 incoming mobilities:

student mobility for study	49
staff mobility for teaching	6
staff mobility for training	2

CEEPUS

Since 2014, AIK has been implemented CEEPUS programme - Central European Exchange Program for University Studies. The principal objective of the CEEPUS programme is to support the academic exchange of students, doctoral candidates and teachers. AIK belongs to the CEEPUS network: Active Methods in Teaching and Learning Mathematics and Informatics (Faculty of Education).

In 2019/2020 AIK carried out:

- 2 outgoing student mobilities for study
- 1 outgoing staff mobility for teaching