Agreement Framework for implementing a Blended Intensive Programme within Erasmus+ 2023/2024

Title of the blended intensive programme	Creating an inclusive, international academic environments for International Universities.
Main teaching/training language	English
Physical Mobility host organization	Stanisław Staszic University of Applied Sciences, Piła, Poland
Subject/Topic of the blended intensive programme	Internationalization of HEI's for the academic community: Style of teaching in international settings. Training to overcome stereotypes, prejudices, discrimination, social and cultural identity. Multiculturalism and its role in advancing tolerance, positivity, integration, understanding diversity.
Type of participants targeted (learners) ¹	Academic and administrative University staff

¹ Students, staff, etc.

Type of participants involved in programme delivery (trainers) ²	Number/expertise, other relevant information
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Associated partner: Merrimack College, Massachusetts	Simona Sharoni, Ph.D., Dean, International Initiatives & Global Engagements

 $^{\rm 2}$ Teachers and trainers from receiving HEI's, from other HEI's (incoming staff), invited staff.

	Description of the Programme (including innovation,
Objectives	` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` ` `
	transdisciplinary contents, added value, etc.)
O1: Ensure training for university staff in the field of intercultural communication, management and administration of international student services and education	A1: Preparing the academic community for the international student experience. (10 hours) For a successful internationalization strategy Universities must prove that their academic environment, institutional culture, education, and student services respond to the needs, expectations and cultural sensitivities of international students.
O2: Attain a formative, modern, student and pragmatically oriented educational environment that is international, diverse, and culturally adaptative	A2:1.The science of stereotyping and discrimination. (10h)2. Study visit (Alba County cultural journey) (6h)
O3: Connect course contents with current trends in innovation, scientific research, and forward- looking education to integrate global perspectives in learning outcomes, activities, and assessment	A3: 1. The virtues of multiculturalism. (6h) 2. Style of teaching and learning in international settings. (5h) 3. Classroom culture. (2h)

Learning and teaching methods for each activity	Expected Outcomes (knowledge, competences, and abilities to be acquired by learners)
A1-TBD	EO1: 1. Knowledge, understanding and use of concepts, theories, principles, and methods of investigation and

	prospecting specific to culture, cultural diversity, and
	multicultural environments.
	2. Explaining and interpreting the ideas, processes,
	phenomena, states, and trends specific to multicultural
	environments in specific contexts (home institutions);
	EO2: 1. To collect, process and analyse various items of
	information about the interaction between the external
	environment and cultural attitudes towards education.
A2-TBD	
RZ-1BD	2. Understand and apply the norms, values, and
	principles of professional ethics, rigorous, efficient, and
	responsible work strategies for multicultural
	environments and cultural sensitivities.
	EO3: 1. To identify needs, methods, roles and
	responsibilities and apply them in relation to integrating
	a global dimension in the curriculum.
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	2. Developing a global perspective of education and
	educational needs for a global labor market.
A3-TBD	3. Engaging critically with a global plurality of
	knowledge in teaching and learning methodologies.
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	4. To identify opportunities and challenges for continuous
	training and efficient didactic resource and up to date
	methodologies.

Virtual component description (schedule)	Activities, objectives, expected outcomes
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13.10.2023/2 hours	A1-O1-EO1 Teamwork: specific cultural and/or social diversity challenges in your university.
27.10.2023/2 hours	A3-O3-EO3 Teamwork: international study programs and their design in our Universities

Physical Mobility	Description
23.10.2023 – 27.10.2023	International Week
23. 10.2023	 Preparing the academic community for the international student experience. Case studies (all partner universities). (Part 1). The science of stereotyping and discrimination. (Part 1).
24. 10.2023	 Preparing the academic community for the international student experience. Case studies (all partner universities). (Part 2). The science of stereotyping and discrimination. (Part 1).
25. 10.2023	The virtues of multiculturalism. (Part 1). Study visit (Alba County schools)
26. 10.2023	 The virtues of multiculturalism. (Part 2). Style of teaching and learning in international settings. (2h). (Part 1). Classroom culture.

27. 10.2023/7 hours	1. Style of teaching and learning in international settings. (2h). (Part 1).
	2. Study visit (Alba County schools)

Important:

For registration click <u>here</u>.

There will be 1 complementary lunch and 2 complementary dinners, as well as a social and cultural visit in Sibiu.

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