

WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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CALLS

Online Application Period 2011/2012 - Erasmus Students

Short description: We inform you that the online application period for **Erasmus Students** who want to study at the UGR during the academic year 2011/2012 will be open **in May**.

More information:

<http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/procedimientosolicitudonlineerasmus?lang=es>

Online Application Period 2011/2012 - Exchange Students (No Erasmus)

Short description: We inform you that the online application period for **Exchange Students (No Erasmus)** who want to study at the UGR during the academic year 2011/2012 will be open **from 1st March to 28th April**.

More information:

<http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/applicationin>

Online Application Period 2011/2012 - Free Mobility Students

Short description: We inform you that the online application period for **Free Mobility Students** who want to study at the UGR during the academic year 2011/2012 will be open **from 18th April to 9th May**.

More information:

<http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/applicationinfreemobility>

Call Erasmus Mundus Associations (Action 2) Lot 10: "JoinEU-SEE" - Western Balcan Countries

Short description: The project aims at fulfilling the overall and specific programme objectives. In accordance with the overall Erasmus Mundus Action 2 Strand 1 objectives, the aims of the JoinEU-SEE programme are the promotion of European higher education, to support the improvement and enhancement of scholars' career prospects as well as the promotion of intercultural communication and understanding through cooperation with the partner countries in the project consortium.

The JoinEU-SEE scholarship scheme is designed for:

1. students and staff members **from Western Balkan countries** wanting to study at an EU University
2. students and staff members **from the EU partner Universities** wanting to study at a Western Balkan university

Deadline: **1st February 2011.**

More information: <http://www.joineusee.eu/>

Master Programme Erasmus Mundus "CIMET" (Color in Informatics and Media Technology) - Scholarship of 20.000€ for European Students

Short description: M.Sc. CIMET is a first class and unique European Master's programme providing a comprehensive and interdisciplinary approach to the field of imaging science, photonics, computer vision, optics and multimedia technology. The study programme is geared towards both scientific research and applicative research for all major industries.

CIMET is one of the Master Courses selected by the prestigious Erasmus Mundus programme of the European Commission through which students from non-European Union countries and European Union countries are eligible for two-year grants of up to €24,000 per year.

Deadline: **28th of January 2011.**

More information: www.master-erasmusmundus-color.eu

Master Programme Erasmus Mundus "GEMMA" (Women's and Gender Studies)

Short description: GEMMA Erasmus Mundus Master's Degree in Women's and Gender Studies is an interdisciplinary programme that provides high quality academic education and professional competences for students wanting to conduct further research, and personnel working or intending to work, in the areas of Women's Studies, Gender Studies and Equal Opportunities.

GEMMA is a master of excellence supported by the European Commission which selected it as Erasmus Mundus from within 160 project proposals for 2006. It is, therefore, the first Erasmus Mundus Master in Women's and Gender Studies in Europe. GEMMA provides the added value of mobility between two of the seven participating European universities and the unique possibility to obtain a double Master's diploma from both the Home and Mobility institution.

Deadlines:

- from the 2nd of November 2010 **until the 10th of January 2011** for **Third Country and European students** who apply for Erasmus Mundus **grants**
- from the 1st of March 2011 **until the 30th of April 2011** for **Third Country and European students** who do **not wish to apply** for an Erasmus Mundus **grant**
- **until the 30th of April 2011** for **Third Country scholars**

More information: www.ugr.es/local/gemma

Master Programme Erasmus Mundus "EUROPUBHEALTH" (European Public Health)

Short description: The EUROPUBHEALTH Erasmus Mundus Masters course provides a high level education in the field of public health.

Its main goal is to enable the students to improve health of specific population groups and the population as a whole through:

- the designing, planning, implementation, advising and assessment of health prevention and promotion programmes.
- the management of health and social services and establishments.

It is designed to provide students with methods, analytical tools and conceptual knowledge required to understand public health issues.

It is based on the acquisition of academic knowledge and basic savoir-faire related to public health as well as all the necessary skills for the various functions that the students, as future public health professionals, will embrace at the local level, regional, national, European or international, in the public or the private sectors.

Deadlines:

- for Erasmus Mundus scholarship applicants: **15th December 2010**
- Application deadline for **self funded students: 21st May 2011**

Grant category A:

- Candidates wishing to make their first year in Sheffield: **15th December 2010**
- Candidates wishing to make their first year in Granada: **15th December 2010**

Category B grants:

- Candidates wishing to make their first year in Sheffield: **15th December 2010**
- Candidates wishing to make their first year in Granada: **15th December 2010**

More information: <http://www.europubhealth.org>

Master Programme Erasmus Mundus "MUNDUSFOR" (Master Course for Professionals in Training)

Short description: Mundusfor will provide the tools and competencies necessary for the education of professionals involved with teaching in educational institutions, in enterprises, and in community development agencies and associations.

The Master Degree intends to provide the acquisition of several competencies that will enable the student to: reflect over education and its diverse dimensions in Europe and in the world; have an attitude toward research aimed at the improvement of professional practice; manage and lead educational services and programmes; design, implement and evaluate intervention strategies in the education of professional educators; be a proficient mentor in consultancy in different areas of education of professionals.

Deadlines:

- Erasmus Mundus Scholarship for **Non European Union Students (Category A)**. From 15th November 2010 to **10th January 2011**.
- Erasmus Mundus Scholarship for **European Students and Non European students (Category B)**. From 15th November to **10th January 2011**.

More information: <http://www.ugr.es/~mundusfor/>

Erasmus Mundus Action 2: EMA2SA - South Africa

Short description: 8 European and 5 South African universities join forces in **EMA2SA or 'Erasmus Mundus Action 2 for South Africa'**, the Erasmus Mundus Action 2 network that is co-ordinated by the University of Leuven.

Ema2sa will send out 106 participants from South Africa to Europe, offering scholarships for master's and doctoral students and for academic staff.

Deadlines:

- All South African nationals can apply **until 28 February 2011 at 11.30 pm C.E.T.**

ACTIVITIES

Orientation Week for International Students (14 – 18 February 2011)

Short description: The Vice-Rector's Office for International Relations is organising an Orientation Week for International Students who are going to spend an exchange semester during the 2nd semester 2010/2011 at the UGR which will take place from 14th to 18th February. During this week, we have planned a colourful array of activities such as General Information Meetings, Individual Meetings at the Faculties and Schools, a movie night, a magical evening, a special Welcome at the Science Park, sports competitions, as well as a guided walk through the University campuses.

More information: <http://internacional.ugr.es>

OTHER NEWS

Red Alumni Universidad.es

Short description: The "Universidad.es" Spanish Alumni Network offers you the chance to keep in touch with the Spanish university world once your study or research period in our country is over. As a member of the network, you will receive regular information on events related to Spanish culture and on the activities organized by the Universidad.es Foundation and the universities in Spain and elsewhere throughout the year. You'll also receive information on funding opportunities for further training and research. But most importantly you'll be able to keep in contact with the universities in Spain and with other students and researchers who, like you, received part of their university training in our country.

More information: http://www.universidad.es/alumni_es/login_es/lang.en

University of Granada is one of the 10 partner institutions involved in the WISHES-Project

Short description: WISHES (Web-based Information Service for Higher Education Students) is a European Project funded within Action 4 of the Erasmus Mundus Programme. The core of WISHES is to set up a web-based, high quality, multi-professional interactive information platform composed of:

- Information Portal promoting European higher education institutions.
- Work-Placement Database promoting European work placements
- Online Community strengthening relations towards international students

Any publicly recognised higher education institution/employment body situated in a country which has signed the Bologna Declaration can join the WISHES Network. Participation in the network is free of charge and results in direct

access to worldwide promotional opportunities within the WISHES mobility portal.

The co-ordinating institution for the project is the University of Paderborn.

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Undergraduate Courses offered

Short description: For the academic year 2010/2011, the UGR offers **70 degrees** covering all areas (experimental and health sciences, social and legal sciences, technical education and engineering, humanities, etc.), over **35 Summer Courses** and **133 Online Distance-Learning Courses**.

More information:

- <http://grados.ugr.es>
- <http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/movilidad/estudiantes/entrantes/grado2010web>
- <http://cevug.ugr.es/>

Postgraduate Studies offered

Short description: Furthermore, the UGR teaches **77 Official Masters**, including: **4 Erasmus Mundus Masters** (one taught completely in English), **7 bilingual Official Masters** (Spanish-English); **91 Doctoral Programmes**, including 17 Co-operative Doctoral Studies and more than **170 UGR Masters, Postgraduate and Short Courses**.

More information:

- <http://escuelaposgrado.ugr.es>
- <http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/movilidad/estudiantes/entrantes/posgrado2010web>

UGR Channel

Short description: The UGR Channel publishes daily news with updated information about scholarships, calls for proposals and activities at the UGR. Moreover, the Science News is also published both in English and French.

More information:

- <http://canalugr.es>
- <http://canalugr.es/science-news-ugr>

- <http://canalugr.es/nouvelles-de-la-science-ugr>

The UGR on YouTube, Facebook, Twitter and Tuenti

Short description: We would like to inform you that there are information videos about the University of Granada available on youtube.com Furthermore, you can find the UGR on the social networks Facebook, Twitter and Tuenti.

More information:

Videos:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jiYIYj9hWIY> (in Spanish)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XatNIUY9n2I> (in English)

Social Networks:

<http://estudiaengranada.ugr.es/>

Contact Details for signing and renewing agreements

Short description: If you are interested in signing an agreement with the University of Granada or if you would like to renew an agreement, please do so via the following contact details:

For Agreements within the LLP/Erasmus Programme:

You have to contact the Faculty or School directly:

<http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/movilidad/estudiantes/contactoscentros>

For Bilateral Agreements, please contact our International Relations Office at:

intlagreements@ugr.es

University of Granada closed for vacation from 24th December to 6th January

Short description: We would like to inform you that the University of Granada's main services (including the Vice-Rector's Office for International Relations) will be closed from 24th December to 6th January. Therefore, we will be unable to attend any petitions during that period. Our office will be fully functional again as from 7th January.

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