

Erasmus+ Programme

Scheda informativa della sede partner

B KORTRIJ01
Katholieke Hogeschool
Vives Zuid

Coordinatore: Riccardo Stacchezzini

A. Information about higher education institutions

| Name of the institution (Institutional Coordinator and Departmental Coordinator) | Erasmus code | Contact details (email, phone ...) | Website (Home page and course catalogue) |
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| VIVES University College Kortrijk-Roeselare-Tielt-Torhout Katholieke Hogeschool VIVES Zuid | B KORTRIJ01 | Tine Ternest Head International Office Doorniksesteenweg 145 B-8500 Kortrijk Belgium Tel: +32 56 26 40 89 international@vives.be Marleen Vanneste Project management and Inter-Institutional Agreements B-8500 Kortrijk Belgium Tel: +32 56 26 40 81 marleen.vanneste@vives.be International Coordinators: Johan Cottyn Commercial Sciences and Business Management joan.cottyn@vives.be Els Callens Education els.callens@vives.be Nele Vandeputte Health Care –Nursing and Midwifery nele.vandeputte@vives.be Kristof Dewaele Health Care –Paramedical Studies Biotechnology kristof.dewaele@vives.be Gwendolyn Rogge Applied Engineering and Technology | http://www.vives.be/international |

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| | | Zeedijk 101 B-8400 Oostende Belgium gwendolyn.rogge@vives.be | |
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C. Recommended language skills

| Receiving institution [Erasmus code] | Subject area | Language of instruction 1 | Language of instruction 2 | Recommended language of instruction level |
|---|--------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| | | | | Student Mobility for Studies |
| B KORTRIJ01 | | Dutch | English | B2 (Dutch) – B1(English) |

D. Additional requirements

Additional requirements at VIVES University College (B KORTRIJ01)

Students' application for an international mobility at VIVES University College (Kortrijk-Roeselare-Tielt-Torhout) is only possible by use of the online application form available on our website. The following documents must be enclosed and sent by airmail to International Office, together with the printed and signed online application form:

- Learning Agreement containing planned course units in our institution. The Learning Agreement may be modified after arrival and discussion with the academic coordinator. For all questions relating to Learning Agreement, please contact the faculty coordinator,
- Certificate of registration, together with 3 official passport photos, as mentioned on our website.

E. Calendar

1. Applications/information on nominated students must reach the receiving institution by:

| Receiving institution [Erasmus code] | Autumn term APPLICATION DEADLINE | Spring term APPLICATION DEADLINE |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| B KORTRIJ01 | May 31st | November 20 th |

F. Information

1. Grading systems of the institutions

| Description B KORTRIJ01 grading system | BE NL - Flanders – Dutch speaking Belgium | |
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| Grading system | System is imposed by law (Flemish Decree) | |
| Legal framework | | |
| Student Target group | Bachelor | Grade range 0 to 20 |
| Pass grade | 10 | |
| Other pass grade levels | 10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18- 19-20 | |
| Description of the grading system | We have a system of 0-20 with an interval of 1 point. No half points are given. 10 is the pass mark. No overall average is necessary. Grades lower than 8 or higher than 18 are in practice seldom or never given. The median is often around 13-14. During deliberation in many faculties failure points (below 10) can be condoned e.g. during deliberation, e.g. a 9 or even an 8. For such course units no credit certificate is given. The marks may also be weighted in terms of the ECTS weight. | |

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| Specific features | In principle the grading culture is the same everywhere, but there tend to be sometimes serious differences between professors. From the statistics, it seems that the pass mark is sometimes used as a 'grace' mark i.e. a professor does not want a student to fail only because of his course unit so he/she gives a 10. |
| Grade conversion | VIVES University College is member of the Egracons (European Grade Conversion System) project. Egracons is a Lifelong Learning project (2012-2015) co-funded by the European commission aiming to facilitate exchange mobility by working out a conversion system based on ECTS grade conversion tables as recommended in the EU's 2015 ECTS Users' guide. VIVES uses the EGRACONS Conversion Tool to convert marks / grades from one system to another. |

2. Visa

| Institution [Erasmus code] | Contact details (email, phone) | Website for information |
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| B KORTRIJ01 | Evvy Vansieleghem Tel: +32 56 26 41 64 Email: incoming.exchanges@vives.be | http://www.vives.be/international |

3. Insurance

| Institution [Erasmus code] | Contact details (email, phone) | Website for information |
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| B KORTRIJ01 | Tine Ternest Tel: +32 56 26 40 89 international@vives.be | http://www.vives.be/international |

4. Housing

| Institution [Erasmus code] | Contact details (email, phone) | Website for information |
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| B KORTRIJ01 | Steve Vangroenweghe (students) Tel: +32 56 27 05 41 Email: housing.officer@vives.be | http://www.vives.be/international |

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