

Universidad de Santiago de Compostela

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0230 – Languages

A. Information about higher education institutions

Name of the institution (and department, where relevant)	Erasmus code	Contact details ¹ (email, phone)	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
Universidad de Santiago de Compostela	E SANTIAGO1	Institutional Coord.: E. López Veloso International Relations Office – Pazo Fonseca. Rúa Franco, s/n 15782- Santiago de Compostela Tel. 0034 881 812 854 – Fax 0034 881 812 843 – e-mail: erasmus@usc.es Departmental Coord: Santiago Fernández Mosquera Santiago.fernandez.mosquera Faculty: Facultad de Filología;	www.usc.es

C. Recommended language skills

The sending institution, following agreement with the receiving institution, is responsible for providing support to its nominated candidates so that they can have the recommended language skills at the start of the study or teaching period:

Receiving institution	Optional: Subject area	Language of instruction 1	Language of instruction 2	Recommended language of instruction level
				Student Mobility for Studies
E SANTIAGO1	0230	Spanish	Galician	B1 Spanish DELE certificate

D. Additional requirements Student Mobility for Studies

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Minimum Number of Credits to be included in the study plan	Available Courses or Modules in the Faculty or Department(s)	Access to other Faculties or Departments (yes / no)	Support and infrastructure to welcome students/staff with disabilities (yes / no)
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- Incoming Erasmus students must take at least 50% of their workload from the USC Faculty that coordinates the bilateral agreement. The rest of their workload can be made up of courses from different faculties.
- Incoming Erasmus students are not allowed to register for courses/modules of study levels that differ from the one/s agreed in the present document.
- Incoming teaching staff must be individually accepted by the USC Faculty that coordinates the bilateral agreement. The acceptance will be based on the candidate's working plan and its adequacy to the teaching programme of the Faculty.
- Incoming non-teaching staff must be individually accepted by the department, service or unit concerned, based on the proposed working plan and the availability of the department, service or unit to host visitors.
- The University of Santiago de Compostela welcomes students and staff with disabilities, providing information and assistance through its University Integrations Service. Further information is available at: <http://www.usc.es/en/servizos/sepiu/integracion.html>

E. Calendar

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

Receiving institution [Erasmus code]	Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
E SANTIAGO1	Nomination: 30 June Application: 15 July	Nomination: 31 October Application: 30 November

2. **E SANTIAGO1:** Nominated students receive by e-mail their login details to our online application form that they have to complete within the deadline above. Once completed, they receive an acceptance letter by e-mail within a max. of 6 weeks
3. A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than 6 weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI.
4. Termination of the agreement
A notice of at least one academic year should be given. This means that a unilateral decision to discontinue the exchanges notified to the other party by 1 September 20XX will only take effect as of 1 September 20XX+1. Neither the European Commission nor the National Agencies can be held responsible in case of a conflict.

F. Information

1. Grading systems of the institutions

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Local Grade		ECTS Grade	Definition
Matrícula de Honor	10	A+	EXCELENT – Outstanding performance with only minor errors. Just in very exceptional cases
Sobresaliente	9-9.9	A	VERY GOOD – Above the average standard but with some errors
Notable	7-8.9	B	GOOD – Generally sound work with a number of notable errors
Aprobado	5-6.9	C/D/E	SATISFACTORY/SUFFICIENT – Performance meets the minimum criteria. Average performance
Suspensó	0-4.9	F/FX	FAIL - Failed
Apto	-	-	PASS - Passed

2. Visa

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details	Website for information
E SANTIAGO1	international@usc.es	http://www.exteriores.gob.es/Portal/en/ServiciosAlCiudadano/InformacionParaExtranjeros/Paginas/Inicio.aspx

3. Insurance

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details	Website for information
E SANTIAGO1	international@usc.es	http://ec.europa.eu/social/main.jsp?langId=en&catId=559 All incoming Erasmus students are charged a small fee for a compulsory insurance for international students

4. Housing

Institution [Erasmus code]	Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
E SANTIAGO1	erasmus@usc.es ; mobilidade.sur@usc.es	http://www.usc.es/en/servizos/sur/index.html A yearly call for applications is published in May. Incoming students who wish to be placed in one of the dormitories must take part in that call.