

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR LONG-TERM ERASMUS+ STUDENT MOBILITY FOR TRAINEESHIP 2027/2028 – 1st ROUND

Department for International Relations at the Faculty of Medicine, UPJŠ hereby announces a call for applications for long-term student mobility for traineeship within the Erasmus+ programme.

1. BASIC INFORMATION

Students of the FM of UPJŠ in Košice have the opportunity to undertake a traineeship abroad for a period of **2 to 12 months** (the minimum duration of the mobility is **60 calendar days**).

The traineeship may be voluntary, or students may use this opportunity to complete their compulsory summer clerkships or 6th-year clinical rotations. Final-year students who are interested in undertaking a traineeship after completing their studies may also apply for this call.

Any regularly enrolled student of the FM who meets the requirements applicable to the relevant type of study and mobility may participate in the selection procedure.

The eligibility requirements can be found [HERE](#) and in [the Directive on the Implementation of Erasmus+ Student Mobility at FM](#).

Within this call, the traineeship may take place during the period: **1. 6. 2027 – 30. 6. 2028**.

2. WHERE CAN THE TRAINEESHIP TAKE PLACE?

The traineeship may be undertaken:

- at a partner university;
- at another suitable institution in an Erasmus+ programme country, arranged individually by the student.

For student mobility for traineeship, **an inter-institutional agreement between the FM and the receiving institution is not required**.

The list of partner universities can be found [HERE](#).

Some partner universities with which the FM does not have an agreement specifically covering traineeships may also accept students for traineeship mobility. Students may contact the Erasmus Office of the respective foreign university and inquire about the possibility of undertaking a traineeship.

Each foreign university may have its own application deadlines and admission requirements for trainees. Some universities accept trainees throughout the year, while others accept them only during the summer months or during the academic year. Not all institutions accept students for graduate traineeships.

3. FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Information on the amount of Erasmus+ financial support can be found **HERE**.

For students, the entire duration of the traineeship is funded. In the case of graduate trainees, only the first 2 months are funded.

4. APPLICATION

Students interested in undertaking a long-term traineeship abroad must submit the required documents in person or send them by e-mail to nela.farkasova@upjs.sk. Please use **Long-Term Traineeship 2027/2028** as the subject of the e-mail. Only documents completed electronically and submitted as **one single PDF file** will be accepted.

Application deadlines:

	Deadline for submission of applications at FM	Earliest possible start date:
1st round	20.10.2026	01.06.2027
2nd round	10.02.2027	01.06.2027

Students planning to undertake a traineeship in summer 2027 are advised to apply in the 1st round to allow sufficient time for arranging the traineeship, submitting nominations to partner universities, and completing the necessary administrative procedures.

5. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

A) MANDATORY DOCUMENTS

- **Application Form – HERE**
- **CV**

The application form must indicate the intended place of the traineeship; however, this does not have to be final at this stage. In the case of an individually arranged traineeship, it is not necessary to provide an acceptance letter from the receiving institution at the time of application. If necessary, the place of the traineeship may also be changed after the selection procedure.

B) OPTIONAL DOCUMENTS

- certificate of proficiency in the foreign language required by the receiving university or institution (or school-leaving certificate, if applicable);
- participation in the SSW;
- confirmation of active membership in SMMK/SSŠZL/SleK;
- certificates confirming extracurricular activities related to the student's field of study.

6. SELECTION PROCEDURE

The selection procedure will take into consideration the student's academic results, foreign language proficiency, extracurricular activities related to their studies, and the information provided in the application.

The results of the selection procedure will be published in AIS after the selection procedure has taken place in November 2026.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: Students who are nominated for a partner university as part of the selection procedure should not consider the nomination as final confirmation of their traineeship. Their acceptance depends on the availability of specific departments at the partner university during the requested period. The traineeship will only be confirmed once the partner university has accepted the student's nomination.

7. CONTACT

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