

Erasmus Policy Statement (EPS) 2021-2027

The necessity of comparing with other European countries is a priority for our Institution because it promotes innovation, social and intellectual mobility, circulation of learning and skills, creation of working expectations and of first employment. To continue the participation in the Erasmus program has fundamental importance to promote growth in terms of modernization and internationalization. Therefore, the *Conservatorio di Musica* di Perugia aims to concentrate its attention and its energy on students and staff mobility to reach some objectives, such:

- to continue modernization and internationalization process;
- the Easy Platform is already active in our institute and we are increasing the use of suitable IT tools, to complete digitalization of administrative work to achieve the EWP, Erasmus student Card initiative.
- The Conservatory of Perugia, will provide high visibility and diffusion for Erasmus activities through its new website, both in Italian and English language, with particular attention to the course catalogue to have clearer visibility and appropriate "international communication" and It will fulfil proper announcements and student's guides.
- increase year after year the number of mobility;
- to increase, the number of international projects by maintaining and developing established collaborations as well as generating new ones, especially aimed at targeting institutions offering educational with similar curricula. Make new connections with universities of our region like l' "Università per Stranieri" (*Perugia Foreigners' University*),
- increasing Italian and English languages support for Erasmus students
- improve the quality of mobility with clearer description of the offer and the course of study
- Will be increased orienteering-meet between the students, teachers and the administrative staff
 with coordinator for outgoing students and it provides tutoring to support bents and integration
 of visiting students.
- to strengthen the Italian and English language teachings for incoming foreign students and outgoing ones respectively.
- Will be particular care and attention for credit recognition. The institution Morlacchi, uses the ECTS system, but when necessary will have a special commission the CTC (Credit Transfer Commission) Composed of 3 members: the Director of Conservatory, Erasmus Coordinator, Course Referent.
- To measure the quantity and the quality about mobility activity with the commission CCQE (Commissione Verifica Qualità Erasmus) (The director of Istitution, Erasmus coordinator, International office manager)
- to foster the development of a European awareness aimed at reciprocal acquaintance. Solidarity and cooperation with special attention to the ambit of music cultures and jobs
- to generate new enthusiasm and trust in the pursuit of training and work experience opportunities for students and staff.

As provided by its Statute the Conservatory



- acknowledges and respects the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and promotes actions to overcome every kind of discrimination, racism and xenophobia; it does to remove each obstacle to activities execution and to academic services enjoyment.
- it promotes equal opportunities for women and men, social and economic cohesion
- it promotes strategies for a "green educations"
- The principles contained in the ECHE will be published on the Conservatory's website and it will be attached to the mobility contract and they must respect the rules contained in the Charter.
- EPS will be published on the Conservatory's website and communicated to teachers via mail, placed on the main Academy bulletin boards.

Ka1 is the activity in which our institution wants to participate. The incoming and outgoing mobility of students, teachers and administrative staff will be encouraged through constant information and propaganda work within the Conservatory. The Meeting between the students, teachers, administrative staff with the Erasmus coordinator will be increased. This is to make known the mobility opportunities and the modalities of carrying out the mobility. Meeting days will also be organized with students and teachers who have experienced mobility, this is to let everyone know what it means to have an international mobility experience with Erasmus in professional and human terms, to promotes type of cooperation capable of supporting the reciprocal acquaintance and enriching among the cultures. In the year 2020/21 the website will be restructured, and it will be added English language with the special care of the course catalogue and pages that illustrate top quality of our courses. In our Institution, active member of AEC, the Easy Platform is already used and the target Erasmus Without Paper (EWP) is a real incentive for us. We are providing for a better IT organization of the secretariats. These activities should make a significant contribution to the institution's declared internationalization goal. As AEC member we participate to the AEC events and thematic platform as important early appointments to meet our international partners update your staff on new trends in the sector, share good practise and network with our partners in formal and informal settings.

During the 2021 the Conservatory will establish a commission named CCQE (Commissione Controllo Qualità Erasmus) composed by Director, Erasmus Coordinator, Responsible of International Relations Office to measure the impact of Erasmus on the declared objective of modernization and Internationalization. We will measure every year the quantity and above all the quality of the mobility made by incoming and outgoing students and teachers, these measurements will be object of study to apply any improvement measures. We believe that improving the quality of mobility is the means of promoting the numerical growth of mobility. We believe that with this commission there will be improvements in three years. Before 2022/23 we will start English and Italian languages courses for Erasmus students, thanks to a convention between the Conservatorio and CLA (Centro Linguistic Ateneo) a Certificate Institution for foreign language teaching in University and the Università per Stranieri (*Perugia Foreigners' University*) In addition, we will increase for the Erasmus student's scholarships using supplementary funds from National co-financing. We are also going to give other supplementary funds to incentive environmental choices (e.g. eco-sustainable choices alternative to airplane). Now we are using the Easy Platform as AEC member but in the near future we will apply to EWP to be fully compliant with the timeline proposed by the ESC.