



**Report on International
Relations at the Faculty of Arts of
UPJŠ in Košice
in 2020**

Scientific Board of Faculty of Arts of UPJŠ in Košice, 5 March 2021



Report Structure

- Memberships of units and staff of the Faculty of Arts of UPJŠ in international organizations and associations
- International scientific and research activities
- International activities in education
- Further international activities
 - Internationalisation of the Faculty of Arts of UPJŠ in Slovakia
 - Promotion of the Faculty of Arts of UPJŠ abroad



Memberships in International Organizations



Memberships in International Organizations

112 individual memberships

in **55** international organizations
and associations

14 new memberships



International Contractual Cooperation



Memorandums of Understanding and Cooperation Agreements

31 framework agreements

15 countries

Czech Republic

France

Greece

The Netherlands

Israel

Hungary

Norway

Poland

Russia

Serbia

Spain

Italy

Ukraine

Uzbekistan

Vietnam



International Cooperation in Projects



International Cooperation in Projects

Department	Project
Department of British and American Studies	VEGA 1/0447/20 – <i>Global and local in postmillennial Anglophone literatures, cultures and media</i>
	APVV-19-0003 – <i>Onomatopoeia – what's in a name?</i>
	APVV 16-0035 – <i>Research into extralinguistic factors of word-formation and word-interpretation</i>
	APVV 15-0307 – <i>Anticipatory Phonetic Strategies for Simultaneous and Consecutive Interpretation</i>
	Small Grant Program of the US Embassy in Slovakia 2019-1-CZ01-KA203-061393 – <i>Assessment of Quality of Erasmus Traineeship</i>
Department of Applied Ethics	APVV 15-0234 – <i>Sex Education in the Context of Ethics of Care</i>
Department of Philosophy and History of Philosophy	APVV-17-0529 – <i>Postmetaphysical thinking in the context of current socio-political problems</i>
	KEGA 004 UPJŠ-4/2018 – <i>G. G. W: Leibniz: early and mature period of his philosophy</i>



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Department	Project
Department of History	H2020-MSCA-ITN project urbanHIST <i>APVV-16-0383 – Comprehensive memory portal and historic towns atlas of Slovakia</i> <i>APVV-15-0475 – Tendencies of development of ethnic relations in Slovakia comparative research of ethnic issues in the years 2004-2020)</i> <i>VEGA 1/0254/17 – Strategies of Surviving the Holocaust and Urban Elites</i> <i>VEGA 1/0316/19 – Population Exchange between Czechoslovakia and Hungary - Facts and Historical Connections in the Slovak and European Politics (2018 – 2022)</i> MNiSW DIALOG 0245/2018 – Semiologiczny, historyczny i kulturowy aspekt tożsamości narodowej na przykładzie krajów Grupy Wyszehradzkiej Small Grant Program of the US Embassy in Slovakia – <i>Story telling in the classroom to combat hate and extremism</i> EAA GrantsFBRTG01-11: Modernisation in Urban Space (2020)



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Department	Project
Department of Educational Psychology and Psychology of Health	APVV-15-0662 – <i>Psychological Mechanism of Risk Behavior Change of Schoolchildren and University Students. Risk Behavior and Migration/Emigration Intentions</i> COVID-19 Multi-Country Student Well-being Study JUST-2019-AG-DRUGS – <i>Implementing Methamphetamine Prevention Strategies into Action (IMPRESA)</i>
Department of Psychology	H2020-MSCA-RISE-2015 project ALT – <i>Adaptation, learning and training for spatial hearing in complex environments</i> APVV – Danubie in cooperation with the Charles University in Prague VEGA 1/0748/19 – <i>Decision-making characteristics and action crisis in goal attainment</i>
Department of Social Work	VEGA 1/0285/18 – <i>Risk behaviors of adolescents as clients of social work due to their loneliness</i> KEGA 008UPJŠ-4/2019 – <i>Prevention of oncological diseases through the optics of social work</i>
KSSFaK	APVV-15-0307 – <i>Anticipatory phonetic strategies for simultaneous and consecutive interpretation</i>



Projects Submitted in International Schemes

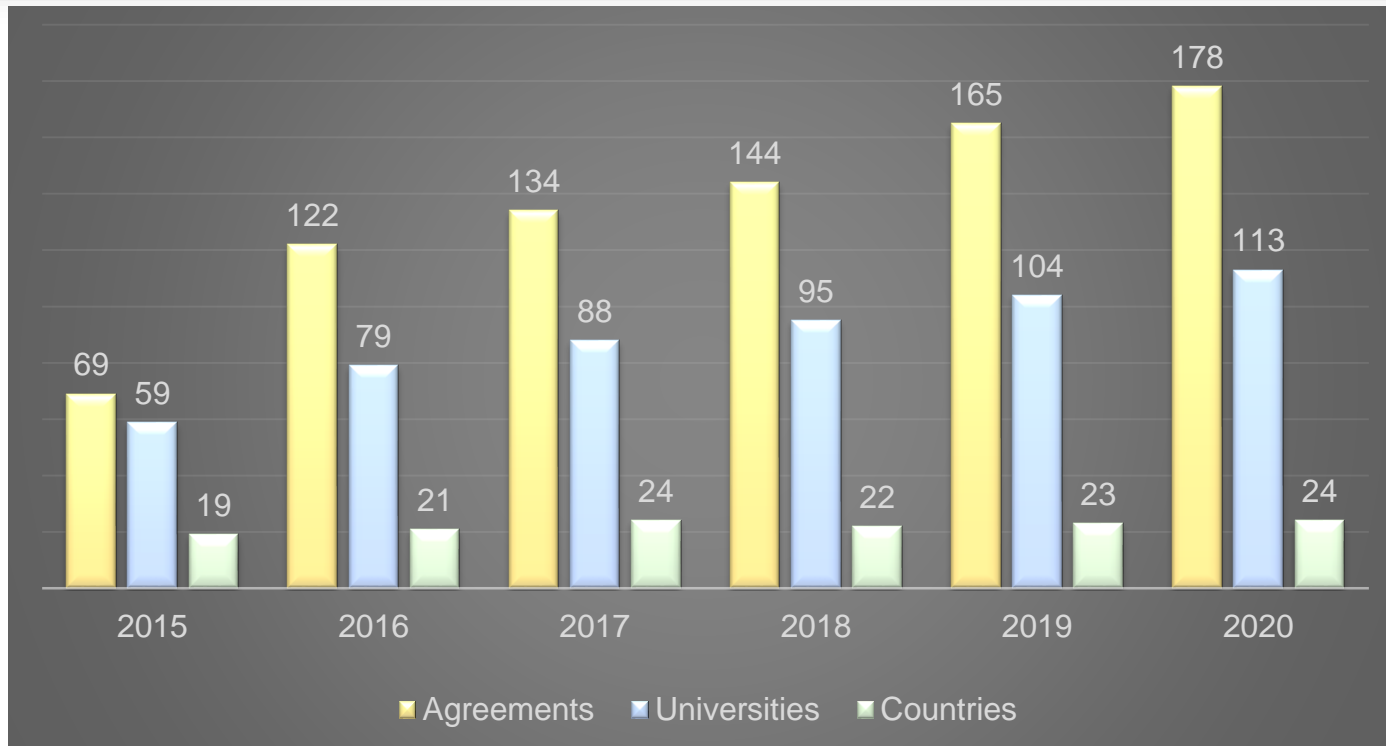
Grant scheme	Projects submitted in 2020
Erasmus+	2
H2020	3
COST (supported by H2020)	2
Justice Programme	1
National bilateral fund	3
EEA and Norway grants	1
IDEX 2021	1
TOTAL	12



Erasmus+

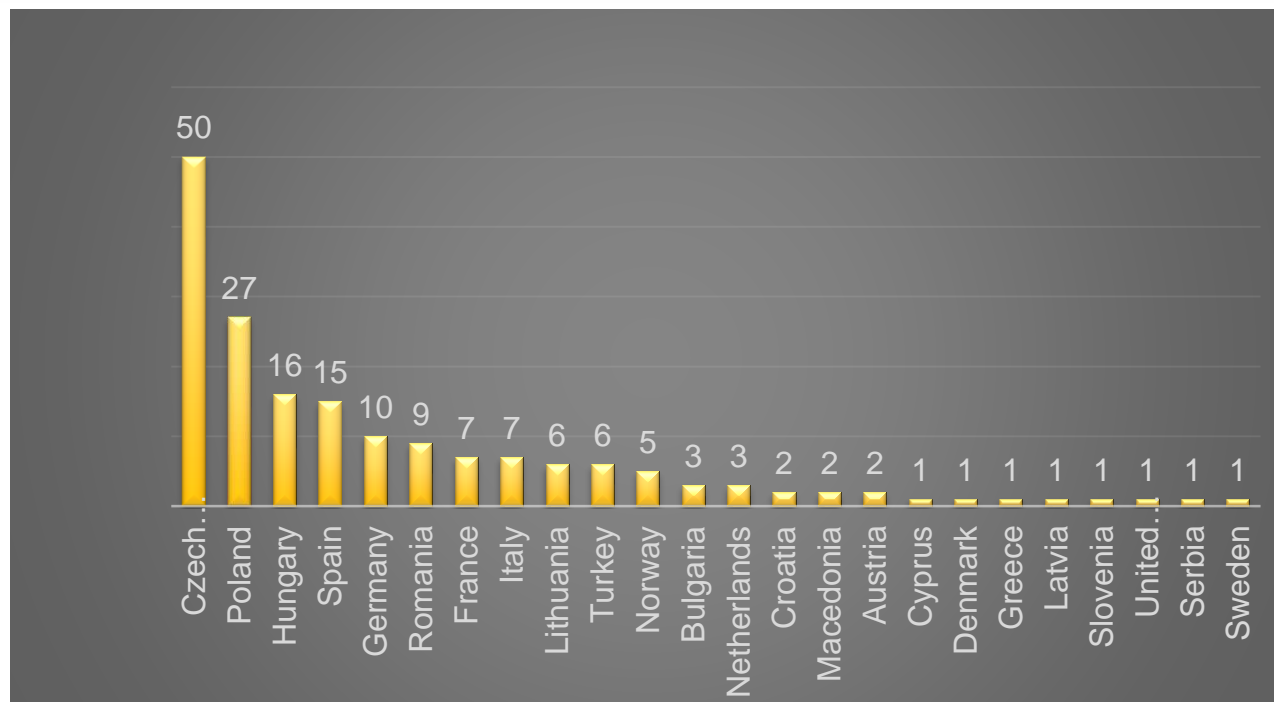


Erasmus+ KA 103 Agreements





Erasmus+ KA 103 Agreements by Countries





Erasmus+ KA 107 Agreements



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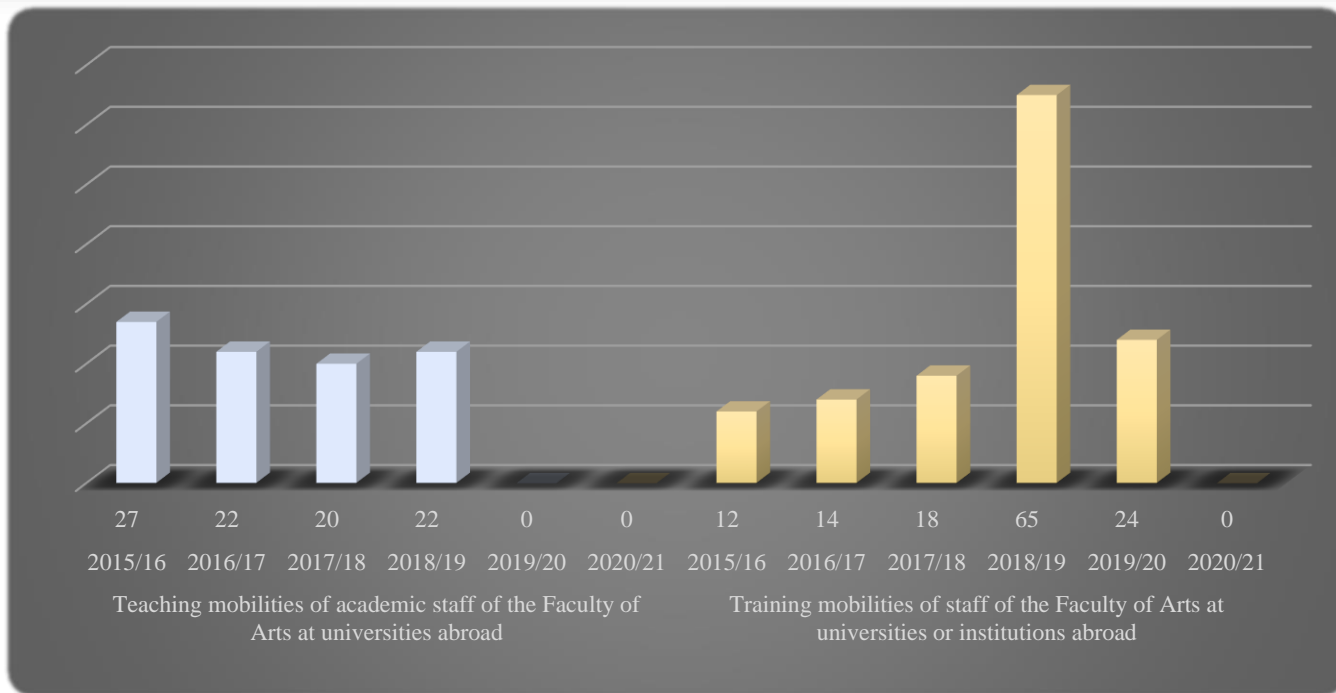
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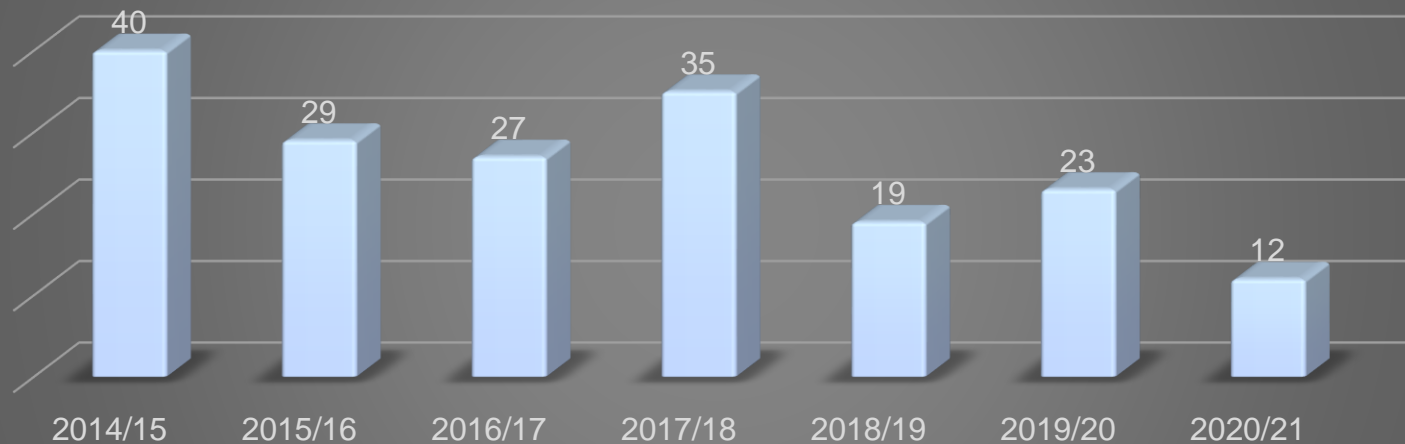


Erasmus+ Staff Mobilities



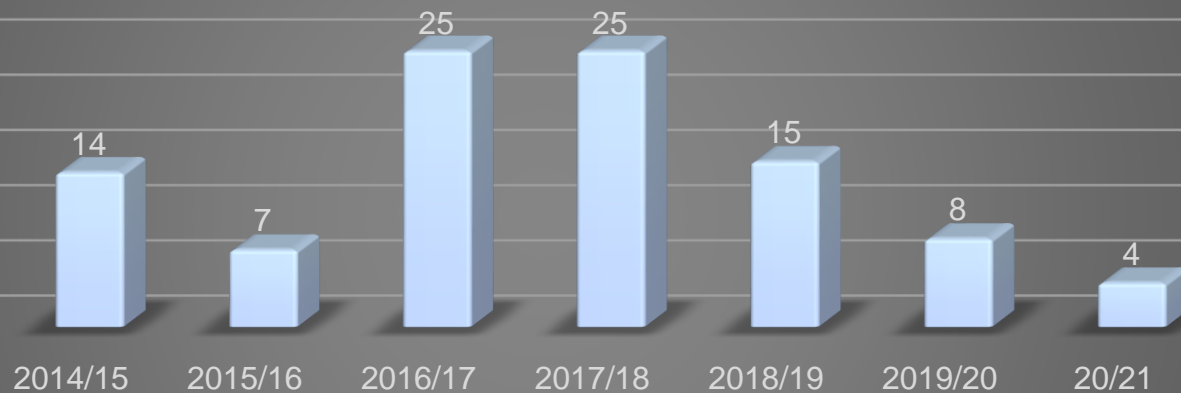


Erasmus+ Student Mobilities - STUDY





Erasmus+ Student Mobilities - TRAINEESHIP





Erasmus+ Student Mobilities

– Summer Semester of 2019/20

Study mobilities had three scenarios:

- early termination: **2**
- returning home and continuation in online mobility: **3**
- staying abroad and continuation in online mobility: **2**

Traineeship mobilities had two scenarios:

- cancelled: **3**
- implemented: **5**



Erasmus+ Student Mobilities - STUDY

Summer Semester of 2019/20

	Name and surname	Department	University	Mobility scenario
1	<i>Andel Erik</i>	Department of British and American Studies	West University of Timisoara, RO	➤ Staying abroad and continuation in online mobility
2	<i>Cseh Attila</i>	Department of Political Science	Corvinus University Budapest, HU	➤ Staying abroad and continuation in online mobility
3	<i>Čečková Simona</i>	Department of Social Work	Charles University in Prague – Faculty of Arts, CZ	➤ Early termination
4	<i>Pribula Dávid</i>	Department of Social Work	Charles University in Prague – Faculty of Arts, CZ	➤ Returning home and continuation in online mobility
5	<i>Sabo Marek</i>	Department of British and American Studies	University of Salerno, IT	➤ Returning home and continuation in online mobility
6	<i>Servanská Beáta</i>	Department of British and American Studies	University of Valencia, ES	➤ Early termination
7	<i>Trávníčková Anna Mária</i>	Department of British and American Studies	Uniwersytet Jagiellonski Krakow, PL	➤ Returning home and continuation in online mobility



Erasmus+ Student Mobilities - TRAINEESHIP

Summer Semester of 2019/20

	Name and surname	Department	Partner university	Mobility scenario
1	<i>Bočková Katarína</i>	Department of Slovak Studies, Slavonic Philologies, and Communication	Nelson Barde, Sports and Tourism Tours, Austros G. 42A, Kaunas, LV	➤ Implemented
2	<i>Dvorský Tomáš</i>	Department of Political Science	Université libre de Bruxelles, BE	➤ Not implemented
3	<i>Furiková Diana</i>	Department of Psychology	Amnesty International, CZ	➤ Implemented
4	<i>Havrillová Katarína</i>	Department of Psychology	Psychiatric hospital Bohnice, Ústavní 91,181 02 Praha, CZ	➤ Implemented
5	<i>Jansová Martina</i>	Department of Psychology	Educa Languages, CZ	➤ Not implemented
6	<i>Kušnířová Dana</i>	Department of History	Blekinge Tekniska Högskola, SE	➤ Implemented
7	<i>Pavlíková Zuzana</i>	Department of Slovak Studies, Slavonic Philologies, and Communication	Centrum Latinitatis Europae, IT	➤ Implemented
8	<i>Plichtová Bernadeta</i>	Department of Psychology	not specified	➤ Not implemented



Erasmus+ Student Mobilities

Winter Semester of 2020/21

Study mobilities had three scenarios:

- cancelled: **34**
- transferred to summer semester: **2**
- implemented: **7**

Traineeship mobilities had two scenarios:

- cancelled: **6**
- implemented: **4**



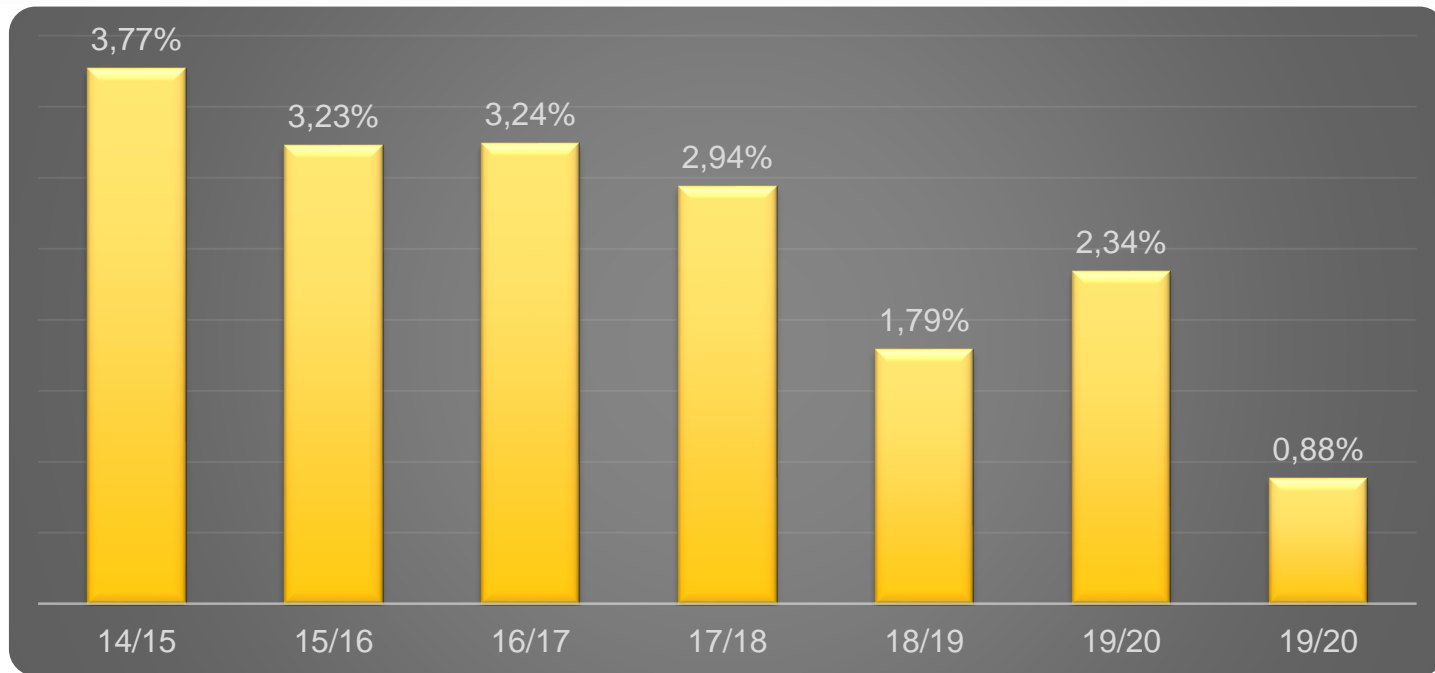
Erasmus+ STUDY, TRAINEESHIP – Summer Semester of 2020/21 – **implemented**

Study/ Traineeship	Surname and name	Department	University/Partner institution
Study	<i>Bednarčíková Sofia</i>	Department of Germanic Studies	Pädagogische Hochschule Schwäbisch Gmünd, DE
Study	<i>Brnová Lívia</i>	Department of Germanic Studies	Pädagogische Hochschule Schwäbisch Gmünd, DE
Study	<i>Knižková Zuzana</i>	Department of British and American Studies	University of Gdańsk, PL
Study	<i>Kubeková Patrícia</i>	Department of Germanic Studies	Pädagogische Hochschule Schwäbisch Gmünd, DE
Study	<i>Nížniková Kristína Gabriela</i>	Department of Psychology	Charles University in Prague, PL
Study	<i>Sárová Dorota Paulína</i>	Department of British and American Studies	Strasbourg University, FR
Study	<i>Stolár Tobias</i>	Department of Political Science	Neapolis University Pafos, FR
Traineeship	<i>Gavalcová Andrea</i>	KSSFaK - graduate	Cinema club Oslo, NO
Traineeship	<i>Janošová Natália</i>	Department of British and American Studies - graduate	Educa Languages, CZ
Traineeship	<i>Linhartová Barbora</i>	Department of Political Science	University of Ostrava, CZ



Erasmus+ Student Mobilities - STUDY

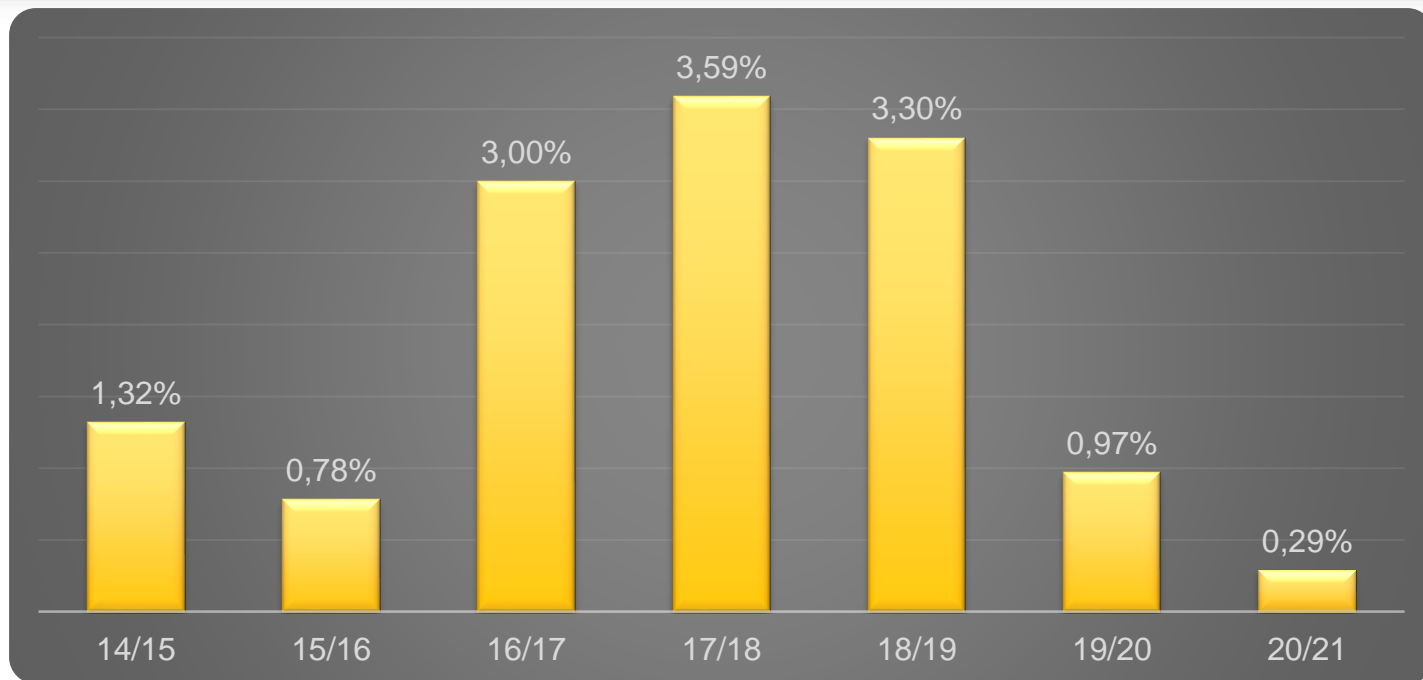
number of mobilities/number of students





Erasmus+ Student Mobilities - TRAINEESHIP

number of mobilities/number of students





Double-degree Diplomas

In total 19 graduates since 2014



Double-degree Diplomas – PhD Study

Country	University
Czech Republic	University of Ostrava
Greece	University of Patras
The Netherlands	University of Utrecht
France	University Paris Diderot
Spain	University of Balearic Islands, Palma de Mallorca University of Jaen

12 graduates



Double-degree Diplomas - PhD study

urbanHIST

PhD student	University 1	University 2
Adam Górka	UPJŠ	BTH Sweden
Agnés Dudych	UPJŠ	BUW Germany
Jovana Vukčević	UPJŠ	UVa Spain
Ondřej Jirásek	UPJŠ	UVa Spain
Susanna Weddige	BTH Sweden	UPJŠ
Azmah Arzmi	BUW Germany	UPJŠ
Aliaksandr Shuba	BUW Germany	UPJŠ
Elvira Khairulina	UVa Spain	UPJŠ

1 graduate



Double-degree Diplomas PhD Study

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Faculty of Arts of UPJŠ and Bauhaus-Universität Weimar, DE

Student:

Azmah Arzmi

Supervisors:

doc. Mgr. et Mgr. Matěj Spurný, Ph.D.

from the Faculty of Arts of UPJŠ

prof. Dr. phil. habil. Max Welch Guerra

from Bauhaus-Universität Weimar



Double-degree Diplomas Master Study

Country	University
France	University of Strasbourg
Spain	University of Balearic Island, Palma de Mallorca
Ukraine	Yuriy Fedkovych Chernivtsi National University

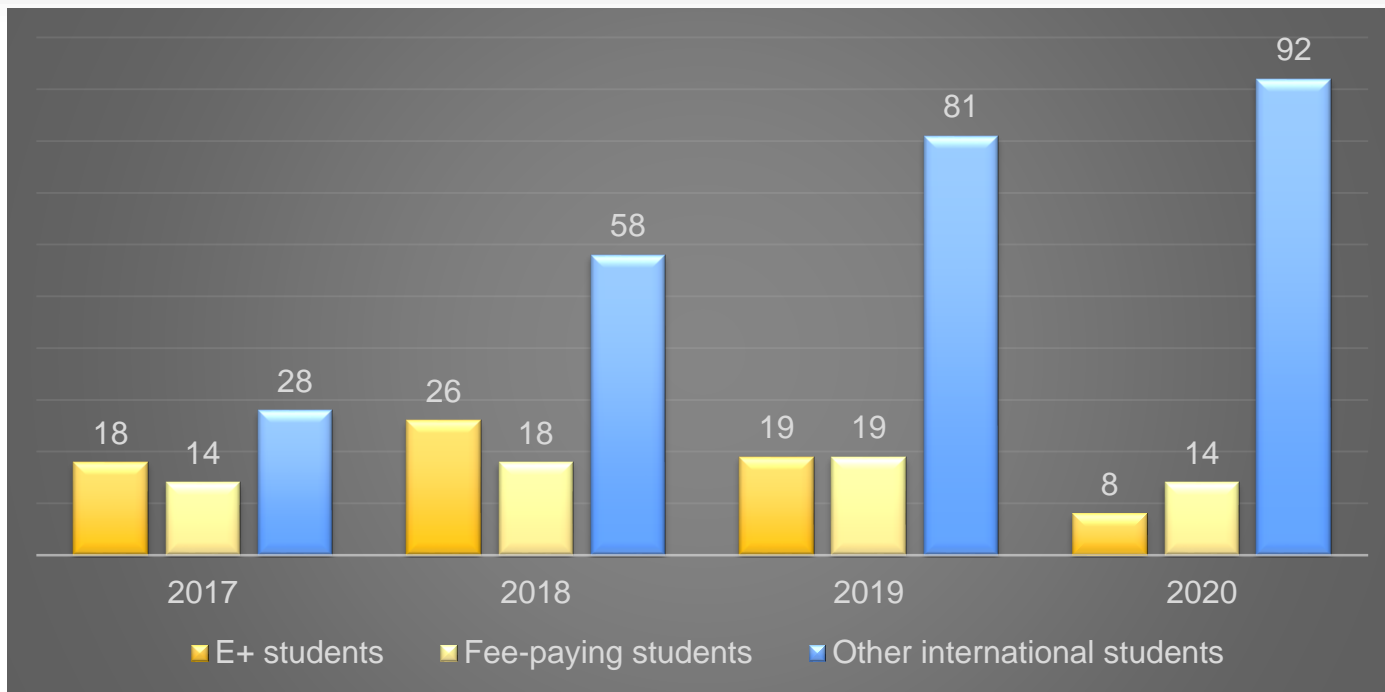
6 graduates



International Students

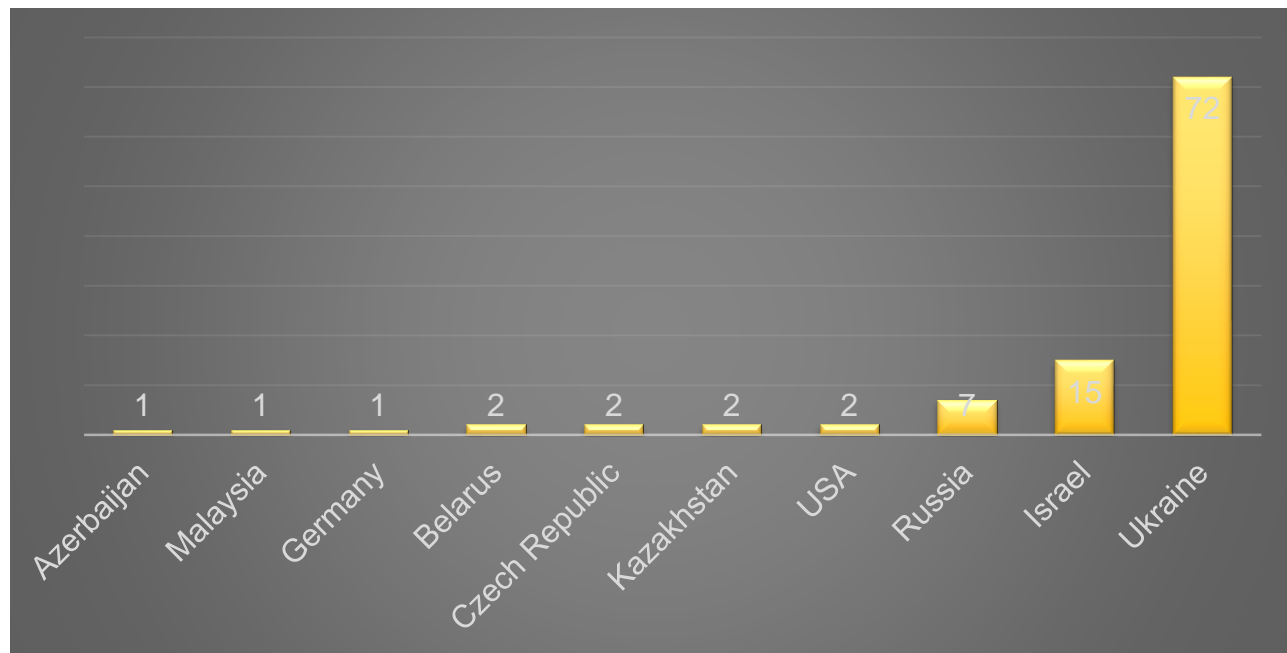


International Students





International Students by Countries





International Events



International Events Hosted by the Faculty of Arts **ONLINE**

Department of British and American Studies

1. **Lecture by Dr. Jonathan Herzoga : *American Values – What is it to be an American?***
Virtual Embassy Speaker – the new scheme within cooperation between the Department of British and American Studies of the Faculty of Arts and the US Embassy in Slovakia
2. **Lecture and online discussion with *prof. Jennifer Thomas***, the expert on political journalism, topic: US Elections 2020.
3. **Lecture by Dr. Bradley M. Gardnera : *The American Musical Renaissance and the Birth of Modern Music*** . Virtual Embassy Speaker – the new scheme within cooperation between the Department of British and American Studies of the Faculty of Arts and the US Embassy in Slovakia

Department of History

4. **PhD conference with international participation: *Border in Space and Time***
(10th meeting of young historians)

Department of Political Science

5. **International conference of students and young researchers: *Košice Political Dialogues 2020: The beginning of the decade of changes?***



International Events Hosted by the Faculty of Arts **IMPLEMENTED AND CANCELLED**

IMPLEMENTED

Department of History

1. A series of lectures by *prof. Matthew Rampley* (ERC Advanced Grant leader): *Continuity and Rupture in Central European Art: Adventures with the European Research Council; Myths of Modernism: Vienna before and after 1918.*

CANCELLED

Department of British and American Studies

1. Lecture by the journalist from Le Monde:
Jean-Baptiste Chastand: How has Slovakia changed after the murder of Jan and Martina?
2. *THE GLOBAL AND THE LOCAL IN POSTMILLENNIAL EUROPE - 9th International SELICUP Conference* (Spanish Society for the Study of Popular Culture)

Department of British and American Studies

3. International conference
Upbringing and Education 2020: Teacher of 21st century



Invited Lectures Abroad

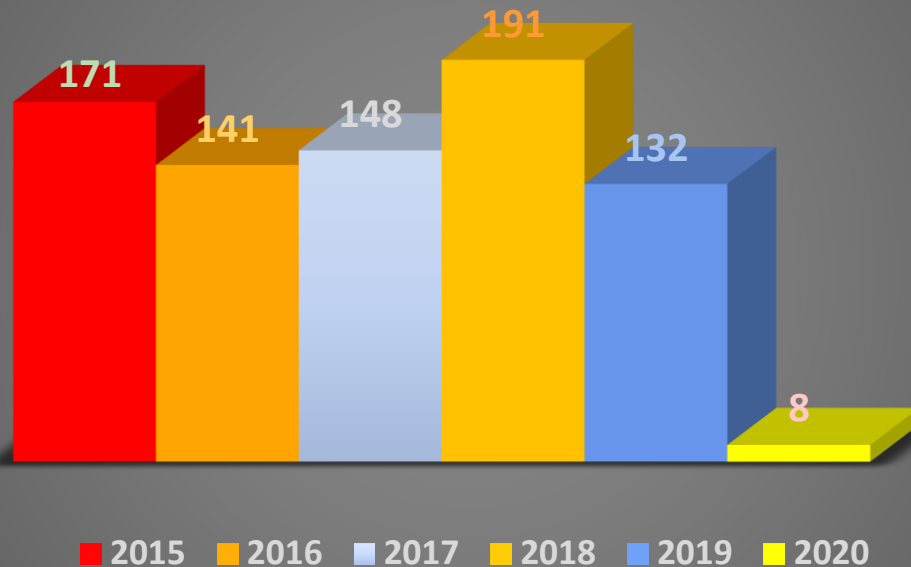
Department	Number	Country
Department of British and American Studies	3	Czech Republic (ONLINE) USA
Department of Educational Psychology and Psychology of Health	1	Rusko (ONLINE)



Business Trips Abroad



Business Trips Abroad in 2015 - 2020





Participation in International Conferences

TOTAL: 32 – of which 28 online

- Department of British and American Studies: 8
- Department of Applied Ethics: 3
- Department of Philosophy and History of Philosophy: 2
- Department of History: 8
- Department of Classical Philology: 1
- Department of Educational Psychology and Psychology of Health: 4
- Department of Psychology: 2
- Department of Slovak Studies, Slavonic Philologies, and Communication: 1
- Department of Social Work: 2
- Language Training Centre: 1



Priorities for Future



Priorities for Future

- to increase the number of study programmes and courses taught in English;
- to further develop the double-degree diploma programme;
- to continue to make study more attractive to international students;
- to continue to provide foreign lecturers;
- to encourage the academic staff mobilities at the Faculty of Arts;
- to maintain the trend of high number of students on mobilities within Erasmus+ projects and other international schemes;



Priorities for Future

- to increase the level of proficiency in English for specific (academic) purposes by offering language courses for both students and staff;
- to strengthen the Slovak language courses for foreign students;
- to promote the interest of PhD students in foreign study mobilities;
- encourage the entry of representatives of the Faculty of Arts to international evaluation committees in international grant schemes

Thank you for your attention



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