Erasmus+ scholarships for staff mobility for teaching or training in Israel (Erasmus+ international dimension)

Within the international dimension of the Erasmus+ Program, the European Union offers grants for staff members for teaching or training purposes in Israel.

**Background and goals**
- Fostering institutional engagement with both universities, through exchange of best practice, development of new formats of cooperation (both on departmental and central level) and strengthening (research or teaching) collaboration between faculty members and researchers.
- Enhancing existing student mobility, in particular through exchange of administrative and teaching staff on departmental level.

**Fundable duration of stay**
- Staff Mobility for Training (STT): **at least 5 days** (not including travel days!)*
- Staff Mobility for Teaching (STA): **at least 5 days** (not including travel days)! *(At least eight hours of lectures must be held at the partner university per week or part of a week.)*
- Stay abroad within the timeframe between **April 2017 and June 2018**

**Partner Institutions involved**
- Tel Aviv University
- Hebrew University of Jerusalem

**Eligibility**
Administrative and scientific staff members of TUM who are in a position of getting an official authorization of business travel

**Support**
- **160 € per day** (from the 15th day **112 € per day**)
- **360 € travel expenses**

The TUM coordinator will specify the exact amount and provide more detailed information to the accepted staff member in an Erasmus+ Grant Agreement.

Please be aware that the Erasmus+ Program provides no insurance. It is under the staff member’s responsibility to insure herself/himself for the whole duration of the stay (medical and liability insurance).

**Application and selection process**
Please submit your application in English and **via e-mail** to Valérie Lechevallier (lechevallier@zv.tum.de) **by January 31st, 2017**.

* The duration of stay should not exceed 12 days but it can be discussed individually, depending on the available budget.
Please submit the following documents:

- application form including project description and time schedule signed by supervisor/director of institute at TUM;
- letter of invitation by the cooperation partner.

Applications will be assessed by TUM International Center in consultation with the Board of Management and on the basis of the following criteria:

- Alignment with the goals of this call (see above);
- Quality of the project description/preparation and integration of TUM structures into the project;
- Sustainability of the project and added value for TUM.

Applicants will be informed, at the latest, by mid-March 2017 about the success of their application.

For questions related to the specific goals associated with this goal:

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