



CALL FOR MASTER AND PhD STUDENTS FOR TRAINEESHIPS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF VALLADOLID

A new call has been announced within the framework of the ERASMUS+ for the Master and PhD students of Ilia State University to carry out one-semester traineeship/research mobility (either in autumn or spring) during the 2026-2027 academic year at the **University of Valladolid (Spain)**.

Study Level: Master and PhD for traineeships (SMP)

- **PhD students** can undertake academic-practical mobility at the University of Valladolid that will help them to complete their doctoral Thesis work at the home institution.
- **Last term Master's students** can undertake academic-practical mobility at the University of Valladolid that contributes to the development of their advanced training and the acquisition of competencies associated with their master's program at the home institution.

Mobility Duration: 5 months

Mobility Period:

Autumn Semester of the 2026-2027 academic year (from September 2026 till February 2027) or
Spring Semester of the 2026-2027 academic year (from February 2027 till July 2027)

Language Requirement: English B2 or Spanish B2

Traineeship/research field at Host University: All subject areas listed in course catalogue

Course Catalogue: <https://uvamobplus2.uva.es/publico/courses>

Scholarship:

- Monthly scholarship - 850 EUR
- Travel allowance - 1188 EUR

Academic Calendar: 

Application platform (exclusive submission channel): <https://uvamobplus2.uva.es/publico/apply>

Application Deadline: **April 28, 2026 (23:59 CET)**

Eligibility Criteria:

- The student must be enrolled in Ilia State University at a relevant study level and have an active student status both during the call for applications and mobility period;
- At Master's level traineeship/research mobility is only possible in the last semester of the studies;
- Master students must not have previously received an Erasmus Mundus or Erasmus+ exchange grant at the same study level;
- For PhD students, the total duration of Erasmus+ mobility (completed and planned) must not exceed 12 months.
- PhD students must not have completed and submitted their dissertation at the time of application or mobility.
- PhD students must have already defended prospectus. An exemption will be granted to doctoral students who, during the call for applications, provide written consent from the dean of the relevant faculty enabling mobility before the prospectus defense.
- PhD students can not undertake mobility if they have already completed and submitted their dissertation.
- The area of traineeship chosen by the candidate for their mobility must be relevant to their studies at their home institution;
- The students should prepare a Learning Agreement for Traineeship for a number of hours equivalent to a full semester (30 ECTS = 750 hours);
- Additionally, please check and follow other eligibility criteria of Ilia State University and University of Valladolid.

The application will only be considered complete if all mandatory documents are uploaded; All documents should be presented in English. Documents issued in Georgian should be translated into English and certified by a notary.

Required Documents:

Copy of valid Passport or ID Card
CV (preferably in EUROPASS format)
Letter of Recommendation
Transcript of Records issued by the university is required for all applicants <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Additionally, Master's and PhD students must also provide a Transcript of Records or Diploma Supplement from their previous degree studies.
Proof of Enrollment issued by the university during the call period <ul style="list-style-type: none">• If the student is failing to complete the degree within the defined terms and has to undergo additional semesters, this must be stated in the Proof of Enrollment
Proof of relevant language proficiency of minimum B2 level <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Candidates must provide either an official certificate or a certificate issued by their home institutions which certifies the B2 level while submitting the application form.

Learning Agreement for Traineeships / Mobility Proposal (work plan to be carried out) signed by the academic and administrative responsible of the home institution

- The Learning Agreement (LA) template can be downloaded from the UVAMOBPLUS platform.
- For doctoral students, a Learning Agreement for Traineeships for a number of hours work on the doctoral thesis that is similar to a full semester (30 ECTS = 750 hours) should be prepared. Activities undertaken at the University of Valladolid must have academic recognition at the home institution.
- For Master's students, a Learning Agreement for Traineeships for a number of traineeship hours equivalent to a full semester (30 ECTS = 750 hours) should be prepared. The activities carried out at the University of Valladolid must obligatorily receive academic recognition from the home institution.
- The student must fill out the LA and send it to their respective curriculum expert at home university who will confirm the content by the signature of the Dean. The process of approving Learning Agreement might take several days. After Dean's signature, document should be sent to International Relations Office for administrative representative's signature.
- **List of Curriculum Experts**

Letter of Motivation

If relevant, proof of disability, social or economic vulnerability

- In the case of applicants applying for additional support for students with fewer opportunities, applicants must upload the necessary documents to certify this situation in their country of origin.

Declaration of compliance with tax and national insurance obligations in the matter of grants

- This declaration must be signed by the applicant. A template of this document is available on step 6 of the online application in UVAMOBPLUS.

Once all of the information has been provided and the documents uploaded, a receipt will be generated which must be signed and uploaded onto the UVAMOBPLUS platform in order to conclude the application. The whole process should be carried out online through the webpage <https://uvamobplus2.uva.es/>. Applications may not be sent by email or fax.

Please refer to the following web links for more details:

- General information: <https://uvamobplus2.uva.es/>
- Call for applications: https://uvamobplus2.uva.es/publico/download/187/en/1st_CALL_PHD_MA_EN.pdf

Should you require any further information, please contact ka171.erasmusplus@uva.es.