



CALL FOR STUDENT MOBILITY

**within the Erasmus+ Capacity-Building in the Field of Higher Education Project
“Climate Change Management through Mitigation and Adaptation” (AdapTM)
No. 2017 – 2965 / 001 – 001**

This call is for student mobility, which is funded by **Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union** under the Capacity-Building in the field of Higher Education and will be implemented in the framework of the **AdapTM project – Climate Change Management through Mitigation and Adaptation**. The AdapTM project aims to modernize, internationalize and increase access to higher education, address the challenges facing Egyptian higher education institutions and systems, increase cooperation with the EU and promote people to people contacts, intercultural awareness, and understanding.

The project enables students **up to 7 mobilities for study for 4 weeks** in the **Partner Country, Egypt (Alexandria University)**. To be selected students will join one specific study programme, the **“Smart Environment and Climate Change Management (SECCM)”** run at four Egyptian Higher Education Institutions (Arab Academy of Science, Technology and Maritime Transport, Alexandria University, Suez Canal University and South Valley University). The mobility will create opportunities for connection between students from the EU and Egypt, it will enable students a study experience in a different social and cultural environment, including the acquisition of theoretical and practical knowledge and skills in the fields covered by the SECCM study programme in English language.

Candidates will go on mobility in the first semester of the SECCM and will have the possibility to attend the following SECCM courses:

- 1) Climate Change (9 ECTS)
- 2) Environment Risk Assessment and Management (6 ECTS),

Target Group:

7 students from UNICT, registered at the fourth or fifth year of “Building Construction Engineering” Course

Mobility Period, Duration:

- 1) The mobility shall be carried out within the academic year 2019, specifically from 2 November to 30 November 2019.
- 2) Duration of mobility (excluding travel days): 28 days.
- 3) Travel days per mobility: 2 days.

Application procedure:

The application must contain:

- 1) the Application Form (Annex 1) – correctly filled in, signed and scanned,
- 2) a motivation letter in English language (no template provided) – filled in, signed and scanned
- 3) a transcript of records at undergraduate studies with average grade
- 4) evidence of previous mobilities
- 5) (English) language certification (if possessed)



All document shall be sent by email to **info@adaptm.eu** before the deadline. A commission including the Project Coordinator and Project staff from the University of Catania will select the application.

If selected, the applicant will sign "Learning Agreement" (Annex 2), which shall be correctly filled in, signed by the applicant and confirmed by the sending and receiving institutions.

Applicants who will not be selected will be put on a waiting list in case of a drop out or release of funds or places.

Application deadline: 25 October 2019, 17:00 CET

Selection procedure and notification about decision:

Only application received by the deadline and complying with the above eligibility criteria will be considered. The selection results will be noticed **by 26 October 2019**.

Aspects to be considered when evaluating applications:

- motivation letter
- average grade at the undergraduate studies and (English) language certification and
- preference will be given to students not having benefitted from mobility yet.

Cost cover

Selected students will receive a refund of the expenses incurred, by presenting the receipts; the refund cannot exceed the unit costs determined by the European Commission according to the Erasmus+ Programme Capacity-Building in the field of Higher Education (CBHE) Guidelines for the Use of the Grant approved (under CalleAC/A03/2016)

Total Budget /participant = Travel Costs: 360 euro; Costs of stay: 47 euro per day

**The Project Coordinator
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