2023 Erasmus+ and other international activities

January 2023

ICHTHYS project midterm meeting in Modena Italy (26 January). Two staff members (Houhoula D and Kanellou A) participated and presented their scientific activities so far.



image 1 The ICHTHYS project key partners

January - April 2023

A PhD students from the University of Trinidad & Tobago -UTT (Mervin Jack) spent three months to explore part of his thesis, in the context of the ICM Erasmus+ student mobility program.





image 2 Mervin Jack PhD candidate from the University of Trinidad & Tobago -UTT

February 2023

In person meetings -on the 10th of February- with representatives of French Universities, upon the kind invitation of the French Institute in Athens (V. Lambert, K. Spyropoulou) and since requested to contact our department. Namely discussion with ESIAB and IUT-Lyon on Erasmus collaborations took place. In addition, two Universities (CESI, ENIB) expressed their interest in the faculty of engineering, which was forwarded.



image 3 French Institute in Athens

April - May 2023

In the context of the ICHTHYS project 3 department members (Kanellou A, Pyrovolou K, Stavropoulou N) spent a month (duration of each secondment) at the city FARO in Portugal to collaborate with the project's partners CCMAR and Atlantic fish.





image 4 ICHTYS project (Kanellou A, Pyrovolou K, Stavropoulou N) Faro, Portugal

April - June 3023

Two PhD candidates from the Bahir Dar University -BDU (Helen Endalew and Tadesse Yehuala) Ethiopia, spent three months exploring part of their doctoral thesis, in the context of the ICM Erasmus+ student mobility program.





image 5 PhD candidates from the Bahir Dar University -BDU (Helen Endalew and Tadesse Yehuala) Ethiopia

May 2023

Prof B. Kabak from Hitit University, Turkey gave lectures on "Chemical hazards in foods" in the context of his Erasmus staff mobility (8-10/5/23)





image 6 Prof B. Kabak from Hitit University, Turkey

May 2023

Egypt visit to the Cairo University for teaching mobility (7-12 of May) is completed. Sustainable dietary guidelines are taught and Erasmus exchange issues have been discussed.



image 7 A. Kanellou Egypt teaching mobility to the Cairo University

May (and September) 2023



image 8 Dr eng Joanna Patsinka from the Crocow University, Poland

Dr eng Joanna Patsinka from the Crocow University, Poland is spending 2*2 weeks in the context of the POWER programme, for joint research and didactic activities at FST Dept, UniWA (May and September 2023)

June 2023

Assoc Prof F. Papadimas (Cyprus University of technology - CUT) gave his lecture on the traditional "halloumi" cheese (at the diary course) in the context of his Erasmus staff teaching mobility on June the 6th





image 9 Prof F. Papadimas from Cyprus University of technology - CUT

The international relations correspondent for the IUT of Université de Lille, Prof. Mustapha Hached, PhD from IUT A, Department Chimie, Université de Lille, visited the department on June the 6th, to meet the supervisors and the incoming Erasmus students from Lille.



image 10: Prof. Mustapha Hached, from IUT A, Department Chimie, Université de Lille visited the incoming Erasmus students and departmental staff members

Ethiopia staff mobility to Bahir Dar University, in the context of the ICM Erasmus+ program, was rescheduled (in November 2022 it was cancelled due to visa issues) for June 12-18/2023. Two PhD students are already exploring part of their PhD thesis at UniWA from April to June 2023, and two staff members have already visited UniWA in February 2022 under the same collaboration frame.





image 11: Kanellou A, at BIT, Bahir Dar University - Ethiopia

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July 2023

Staff mobility to the University of Trinidad and Tobago (UTT) took place during July 10-14 of July 2023, in the context of ICM Erasmus+, by the Faculty Erasmus Coordinator A. Kanellou. Besides meeting staff in the same field of expertise (Prof Knights team), local companies/markets visits took also place in relation to training issues https://m.facebook.com/story.php?story [bid=744188777710961&id=100063595359268







image 12: Agricultural cooporation visit in Trinidad and Tobago - Caribic

 $image\ 13: Entrance\ of\ UTT\ ECIAF\ campus,\ Trinidad$

One colleague (Asmaa Ahmed) from the Cairo University would be spending one week at UniWA, 3-7 July 2023 in the context of the ICM Erasmus program (cancelled due to visa issues, which is often an administrative obstacle)

Two Colleagues from the partner University Trinidad & Tobago, namely the academic staff Mrs Carla Marcelle Boyce (Chemist) and Mrs Neela Sumessar (Biochemist) of the Food Science Department of UTT (ECIAF) spent one-week 17-21 July at UNIWA (ICM Erasmus+ programme).



image 14: Staff members of the University of Trinidad and Tobago – UTT at UniWA- ICM Erasmus+ programme

September 2023

Prof Steven Meus and his Erasmus team, from the partner Odisee university met Colleagues and students (who are spending the ws2324 in Belgium). 11-15/9/23

October 2023

Prof Ramona Cristea from the partner Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu, Romania, gave lectures on microbiology in the context of her Erasmus staff training mobility (23-27/11/2023). The UniWA students did welcome her interactive teaching approach (video, gaming included).



image 15 Prof Ramona Cristea from the partner Lucian Blaga University of Sibiu, Romania

November 2023

Prof Kanellou (faculty academic erasmus ordination, departmental consultant for students with disabilities) attended the Inclusion ACAdemy training series for IKY, 2-3 November 2023, Delphi, Greece https://www.iky.gr/el/iky-rss/item/4265-2-3-11-2023-epimorfotiko-seminario-me-thema-inclusion-academy-sto-evropaiko-politistiko-kentro-delfon-sto-plaisio-tou-erasmus



image 16 Inclusion ACAdemy training

The departmental Erasmus coordinator took part at the international week, organized by the partner university IUT Lyon 1, France 14-17/11, met colleagues and discussed potential new Erasmus partnerships (with Spain, Serbia and Bulgaria), as well as possible labs (BIODYMA, LAGEP, Granini) for students Erasmus placement.



image 17 Colleagues from Food Science dept – International Erasmus week – IUT Lyon1

22 Outgoing Erasmus students of the department took part at a BIP Erasmus Programm, organized by the partner university KUV and visited Klaipeda, Lithuania for one week 20-24/11/23. Prior to that they attended for a full week, the offered online course (3ECTS).



image 18 BIP Erasmsu Lithuania - UniWA outgoing students' mobility