

# International work placement

The Erasmus Plus - Programme at the  
“Berufskolleg Werther Brücke“



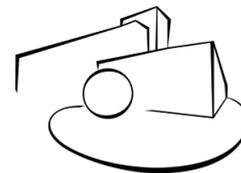
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## What is the Erasmus Plus programme?

Erasmus Plus is a programme by the European Union to enhance apprenticeships and advanced trainings. It supports the transnational collaboration between corporative actors which work in divisions that deal with the trainee's apprenticeship. The programme funds the stay abroad. The most important instrument of this programme is the funding of mobility. It is the biggest programme that supports work placements abroad during a job-related education. Aid money that is paid is used to pay the journey and accommodation in the chosen country.

More information can be found here:

<http://www.erasmusplus.de/>.

## Who can participate in this programme?

Students who absolve an apprenticeship as an assistant in either construction design or business computer sciences and absolve the general qualification for university entrance, are entitled to participate.



The students often take part after they have completed their 'A Levels'. The duration of the foreign work placements can range from 3 to 9 weeks.



## What are the goals of this stay?

The following personal and professional competences should be learnt:

- Cross-cultural competence, working in international teams
- Self-reliance and conflict resolution
- Enhancement of communication and ability to present
- Planning and organisation of professional duties
- Practical implementing of learned contents



## What are the students' functions?

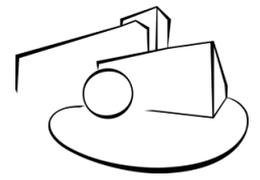
The exact functions during the work placement will be discussed with the company. They have the knowledge that the trainees are during or at the end of their apprenticeships and can handle challenging assignments.

For the students this means that their good work gives them the chance to absolve qualified assignments and also the active communication between the advisors on-site.

## How do the accommodations look like?



The company usually helps us to find a suitable accommodation. We like to suggest hostels with young people e.g. staying in halls. To let the trainee live in a flat is also a possibility. The accommodation is well chosen so that the student can walk to the company or take public transport. Most of the accommodations have the usual standards and will be looked after by our teachers regularly.



## Who are our partners?

Our partners are medium-sized businesses and large companies with headquarters in Europe. We have maintained a collaboration with the following businesses since a long time:



Edscha Automotive Kamenice s. r. o.  
Kamenice nad Lipou  
Czech Republic  
Main focus:  
Construction design and manufacturing



RWE IT Czech s.r.o.  
Brno, Czech Republic  
Main focus:  
Computer sciences



RWE IT Slovakia s.r.o.  
Košice, Slovakia  
Main focus:  
Computer sciences



Delphi Thermal Hungary Kft.  
Balassagyarmat, Hungary  
Main focus:  
Construction design and manufacturing



VSE-IT  
Košice, Slovakia  
Main focus:  
Computer sciences

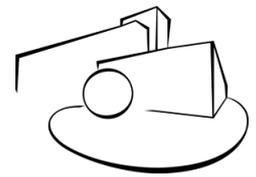


FAG Magyarország Ipari Kft.  
Debrecen, Hungary  
Main focus:  
Construction design and manufacturing



FAG Schaeffler Romania, Brasov, Romania  
Main focus: Construction design and manufacturing





## How do the businesses benefit?

The associate companies benefit from motivated trainees with an almost fully absolved apprenticeship with the following educational background:

### Assistants for construction design and manufacturing

- Mechanical engineering, e.g.
  - QM
  - Control engineering
  - CNC
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Construction- and manufacturing engineering
- Computer sciences and CAD
- Business studies
- English

### Assistants for business computer sciences

- Computer sciences
  - C#
  - SQL
- Business economics and accountancy
- Mathematics
- Macroeconomics
- Mechanical engineering
- Physics
- English

Our trainees are able to work out smaller projects by themselves. Furthermore they can be used in assignments which are given in line organisations.

## The circuit of the work placement:

