BLENDED INTENSIVE PROGRAMME IN GERIATRICS

11th June – 19th July 2024

Online course from the 11th June - 3rd July 2024
Presential week: 15th July - 19th July. 2024
(at the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Porto, Portugal)

More information

Applications are made on the University of Porto’s digital platform for the presential week in Porto, 15th July - 19th July. 2024, to the Erasmus+ mobility, choosing “Mobility Programme: Erasmus+ Blended Intensive Programme (BIP).”

Candidates must upload a Declaration from the International Relations Office of their Home institution (faculty/university) stating that the candidate is available for Erasmus+ BIP funding. After the 30th of April 2024, candidates will be assessed and will receive notification of their acceptance, substitute condition, or refusal.

By applying to Porto, candidates will also ask for Erasmus+ short-term mobility BIP funding in their home institution for the week of the 15th to the 19th of July 2024 (Please remember to travel one day in advance and after)

Opening of the Call for Submission of the Applications: 2024-04-01
Deadline for submitting applications: 2024-04-30

Uploads at the application moment:
Please note that you must upload the following documents (all of them together in one single PDF):

- Photo
- Citizen Card
- Course (proof of the degree / Transcript of Records of the obtained degree) OR
- Current studies (Transcript of Records of the course’ academic years until 31st December 2023)
- DECLARATION from your International Office of your Home faculty/university certifying you are eligible for Erasmus+ BIP funding

Schedule/Program:
3.5 weeks of online seminars – after 17h CET
1.5 weeks of online mentoring (previously booked, arranged with the online supporting team and the seminar’s professors)
1 week face-to-face in the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Porto

There is no fixed number of seminars to attend, yet it is expected for the student participant to follow all the seminars.

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Placements: 25
**Funding:**
This is a *Blended Intensive Programme/BIP*, a new short intensive course funded by Erasmus+. Funding comes from the participant applying for the Erasmus+ BIP mobility grant at home institution: 70 Euros per day for the face-to-face five days in Porto (from the 15th to the 19th of July 2024) - 350 Euros. There will be four hours of seminars per day in the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Porto on those five presential days.

**Participation:**
**Free Course**
(The fee for a Certificate of completion is 5 Euros, according to the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Porto/FMUP fee table at 02.03.2024)
The course’s structure – *Program* – consists of 3.5 weeks of online seminars, 1.5 weeks of online mentoring, and one week of face-to-face seminars.
Evaluation with short written works prepared by the participants and presented at the face-to-face week.
4.5 ECTs
The certificate of completion’s cost will be by the participants.

**Flight tickets:**
The participants will pay their flight ticket costs.

**Accommodation:**
Aware of the high touristic prices in Porto by the time of the face-to-face week, the organization has provisionally arranged a hotel near the Faculty.
The course’s participants only have to take a bus (10 mins) or walk around 30-40 minutes.

From 14/07 – 20/07.2024 (Sunday to Saturday, six nights), we have managed:

- Price per person per night, accommodation only:
  - In a double room - 32€
  - In a single room - 64€

  Breakfast tax: 10€ per person/night
  Tourist tax: 2€ per person/night

  Example: per person, double room (two beds) = 32€ + 10€ + 2€ = 44€ per night
  Total: 44€ * 6 = 264€

  The room price includes a buffet breakfast, Wi-Fi in all the hotel areas, and legal fees within the accommodation.
  The accommodation cost will be by the participants.

  *Only after application and on enrollment are the participants allowed to book accommodation since this price and contract are guaranteed by the organization that negotiated it.*

  Participants may choose other accommodation solutions.

  Payment conditions:
  - Up to 90 days before arrival - 20% deposit of the total expected charge
  - Up to 30 days before arrival - Deposit 60% of the total amount due
  - Up to 7 days before arrival - Deposit Remaining Amount
  - In the event of group cancellation, the 1st deposit is non-refundable.

  **REDUCTION AND TOTAL CANCELLATION POLICY**

  Reduction policy
  - Up to 90 days before group arrival: no charge
  - Between 89 days and 31 days before arrival: 20%
  - Between 30 days and 8 days before arrival: 50%
  - Less than 7 days before arrival: 100%

**Eating:**
Lunch and dinner, possible, in the University of Porto canteens (there is one canteen in the FMUP)
Between 2.75 Euros + IVA (in the canteen) and 3.45 Euros (take-away) (IVA included) (according to the Social Action Services of the University of Porto fee table)
Several other (private) bars exist on the Faculty of Medicine premises.
The participants will bear lunch and dinner costs.
The organization will provide coffee breaks.