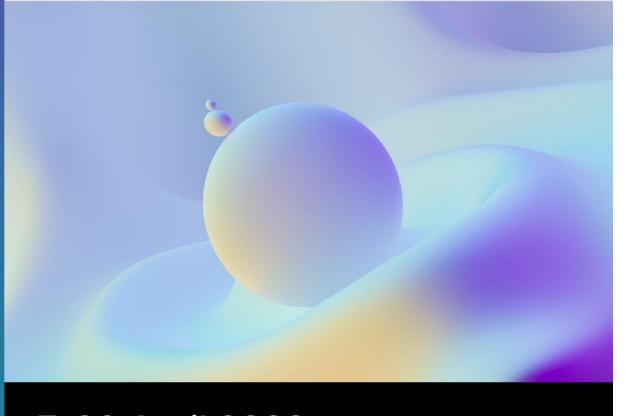




### A-Z TRAINEESHIP WEBINARS



7-20 April 2022



#### **HOW TO FIND TRAINEESHIP PLACE ABROAD**



7 April 2022

5 – 6 p.m.

#### THINKING ABOUT TRAINEESHIP...







Visiting new places?

Language?

**Practical Skills?** 

Recognition?





Money?



**International Network?** 



# **Erasmus+**



- **☒** Practical skills
- **☒** International Network
- **☑** Visiting many countries
- **E** Recognition
- **E** Language
- **Money**



#### Erasmus+ is...



#### **Studies** + **Traineeship** =12 months/study cycle

#### Physical/ Blended (min. 2 months)

- Voluntary (only when you do not have lectures at KTU, e.g., during summer/ thesis semester)
- Mandatory
- Recent graduate (12 months after graduation from KTU)

## Students have to find a traineeship place by themselves!

#### 4 Selections:

- December
- March
- June
- September

# SUMMER TRAINEESHIP WITH EXASMUS+





### **Apply before June 1st**

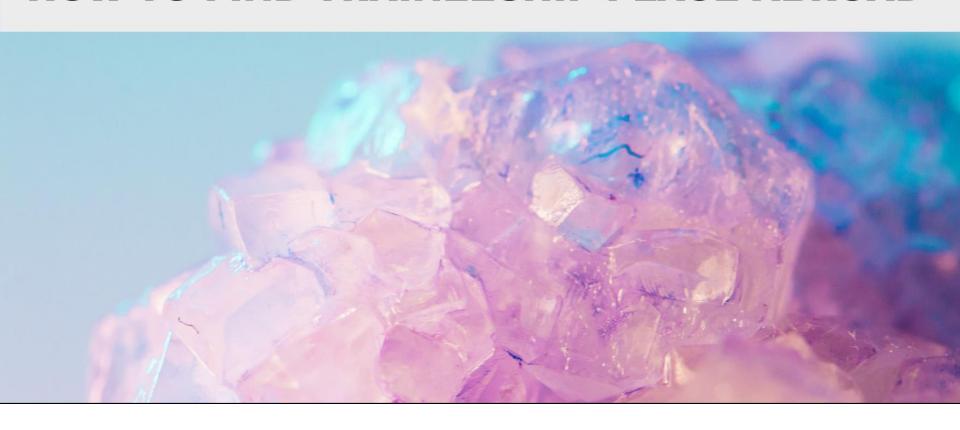
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### **How to Organize the Process?**



#### **HOW TO FIND TRAINEESHIP PLACE ABROAD**





- STEP 1. Decide when do you wish to go for a traineeship
- **STEP 2. Search for traineeship offers**
- STEP 3. Make a wish list of traineeship places (companies/ universities/ organisations)
- STEP 4. Prepare your CV (e.g. follow *Europass CV* guidelines) & Motivation letter/ cover letter (check it twice!)
- STEP 5. Send out your CV and Motivation letter the selected companies/ universities/ organisations from your wish list
- STEP 6. Wait for the possitive response or invitation to the interview
- STEP 7. Possitive reply? Apply for ERASMUS+ grant!

# STEP 1. Decide When to Go for a Traineeship



- Voluntary (only when you do not have lectures at KTU, e.g., during summer/ thesis semester)
- Mandatory
- Recent graduate (12 months after graduation from KTU)

### **STEP 2. Search for Traineeship Offers**



- Teachers/ Friends/ Family
- KTU Erasmus partner institutions
- KTU Office 365
- KTU WANTED
- Traineeship portals/ intermediate companies
- Websites of the companies
- LinkedIN/ Facebook
- Google/ Google Map
- International exchange programmes (e.g., Erasmus+, AIESEC, BAFF, Erasmus for Young Entrepreneurs, IAESTE, Vulcanus in Japan, etc.)

## STEP 3. Make a Wish List of Traineeship Places



- Search for the best/ most suitable traineeship place...
- Show yourself from the best side...



# STEP 4. Prepare your CV& Motivation Letter (cover letter)





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#### $\mathsf{CV}$

#### CV has to:

- be written for a particular internship.
- match the requirements of the company.
- be short and specific (1-2 pages).
- attract attention in a few seconds.

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#### CV

- Contact information
- Education (date, program/field of studies, educational institution)
- Work experience (date, position, company/ organisation, work, responsibilities, greatest achievements)
- Skills, languages, strengths/ other competences
- Other information (projects, organizations, honour and awards, certificates, achievements)

#### **CV**: Contact information

Name Surname

+370 888 88887

Studentų g. 50, Kaunas, LITHUANIA

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### **CV**: PHOTO













#### **Motivation Letter**

Name E-mailSurname Telephone

Dear Mr/Ms .... (if possible)

Part 1 - Introduction: Introduce yourself, study program.

The main prases to start:

I'm writing about... I'm interested in this position...

I'm particularly interested in internship...

#### Part 2 – Explanation:

Your qualifications (competences, experience, communication skills and other personal competences). Provide examples!

What benefits can you bring to the organization?

Stand out from others!

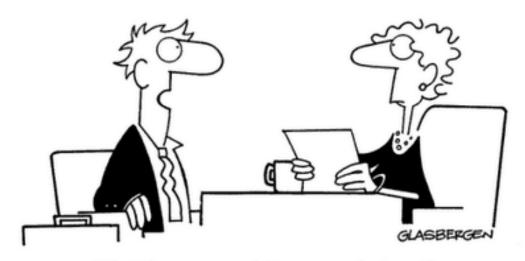
How this position relates to your future plans? Motivation!

Part 3 - End: Emphasize that you are ready and want to meet for an interview.

I'm looking forward to meeting with you and discussing my qualifications in more detail.

## Be yourself! Be creAtiVE!

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"What do you mean, it's not a good résumé? It's the most expensive one they had on eBay!"

**Highlight**, that you **CAN** and **WANT** to work on this specific internship possition. **Hihglight** your **STRONGEST** features and **DIFFERENCES** from other candidates.

**STEP 5. Send out your CV** and **Motivation letter** to the selected companies/ universities/ organisations from your wish list!

## STEP 6. Wait for the Response or Interview



#### No answer?

Review your CV and a motivation letter!

#### Need some help?

Register for career consultation (connect through your personal profile at KTU AIS)

Do not WAIT too long FOR the ANSWER!



#### Interview



#### If you receive an invitation for the interview:

- Make a research about the company
- Gather samples of your previous work (if any)
- Think questions to the company
- Dress appropriately
- Check your internet connection
- Be organised and on time!



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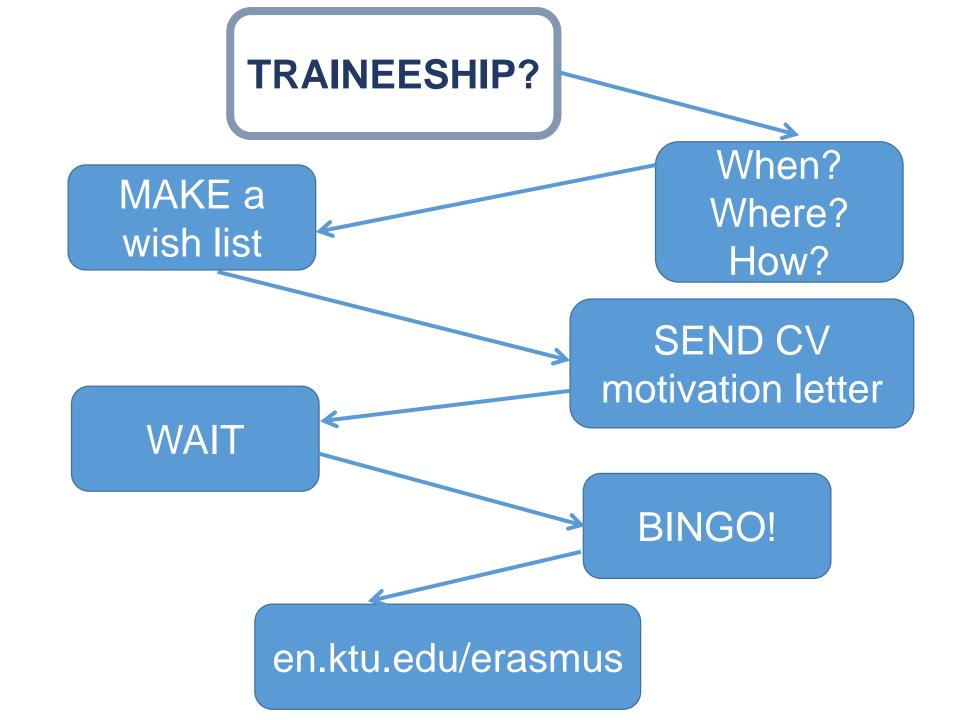
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