CALL FOR STUDENTS MOBILITY
within the Erasmus+ Projects

**ARTEST - Enhancing Education Programs in Arts and Humanities
via EU STEM Methods and Technologies**

enabling 4 students from the University of Cologne to travel to Mongolia

Deadline: May 25, 2024

This call is for the mobility of students implemented in the framework of the project ARTEST - Enhancing Education Programs in Arts and Humanities via EU STEM Methods and Technologies (618802-EPP-1-2020-1-DE-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP).

The project involves universities from Europe and Mongolia in developing Digital Humanities study programmes with a focus on Cultural Heritage, based on the increasing demand for truly qualified professionals in Arts and Culture to deal with the Digital Age challenges.

Mobility within this framework presents a unique opportunity for fostering connections among students from the EU universities (University of Cologne, Cyprus University of Technology, University of Catania, University of the Peloponnese, International Hellenic University) and the Mongolian universities (Mongolian University of Science & Technology, National University of Mongolia, Mongolian National University of Arts and Culture, The University of Humanities, Otgonteger University). This initiative facilitates a study and research experience in diverse social and cultural settings, allowing students to acquire theoretical and practical knowledge and skills in the field of Digital Humanities as well as an understanding on some aspects of global humanities and cultural heritage.

The project funds the mobility of **4 students** from the **University of Cologne** for **14 days (+ 2 days of travelling)** in the **autumn of 2024** (preferably September-October) for study and research in the following universities, with a focus on the topics given:

- National University of Mongolia (UlaanBaataar, Mongolia): **1 student**
  Activities to be undertaken: modeling and documentation of 3D objects

- The University of Humanities (UlaanBaataar, Mongolia): **1 student**
  Activities to be undertaken: computational linguistics (sprachliche Informationsverarbeitung)

- Otgonteger University (UlaanBaataar, Mongolia): **2 students**
  Activities to be undertaken: computational linguistics (sprachliche Informationsverarbeitung)

The activities are structured within the teaching and research framework established by the ARTEST project. These endeavors will be executed with the collaborative assistance of professors, postdoctoral researchers, and Ph.D. students from partner universities.

Target Students:

4 students of the University of Cologne enrolled in one of the following programs:

- Bachelor Medieninformatik/Informationsverarbeitung (advanced semester)
- Master Medieninformatik/Informationsverarbeitung
- Master Computerlinguistik
- Master Digital and Computational Archaeology

Application procedure:

The application of the student must contain:

1) Application Form (Annex 1) – correctly filled in, signed and scanned;
2) Copy of a personal identification document;
3) Transcript of records of the study program. In case the relevant program of study is not clear from the transcript, a proof of enrollment will be necessary.
4) Motivation letter in the English language, indicating the motivation to carry out the mobility period (no template provided) – this PDF does not need to be signed and stamped;
5) (English) language certification (if any);

All documentation must be sent into a single PDF document by email to **oeide@uni-koeln.de** before May 25, 2024.

Selection procedure and notification about decision:

Only applications received by the deadline and complying with the above eligibility criteria will be considered. The applicants will be informed about the results **by June 10.**

 Selection criteria

- Students' academic record
- Motivation letters where students explain their internal rationale for participation in the mobility programme
- English language abilities
- Study program

Costs

Selected students will receive a refund of the expenses incurred, by presenting related receipts; the refund amount is 820 euros for flight expenses and 770 euros for the stay. The practical aspects of the travel will be supported by the Artest project staff in Cologne and Ulaanbaatar.

The Students Mobility Projects' Coordinator for Artest

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