

## Erasmus Mundus

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<b>Purpose</b>	ERASMUS serves as a framework for EU higher education initiatives. Erasmus Mundus (EM) <i>is a worldwide cooperation and mobility programme</i> under the ERASMUS umbrella. Specifically . . . EM seeks to partner with and promote European higher education on the world stage, and the provision of graduate awards to attract students from non-EU countries is one part of that effort.
<b>Award</b>	
<i>Tenable</i>	Funds specific graduate degrees offered in EU countries. Most have collaborative elements and will involve study at more than one university/in more than one country.
<i>Number &amp; Amount</i>	EM awards are granted by the individual degree programs, but there are typically about 8-10 awards per program, and there are <u>many</u> programs (see link below) so the total number is significant. Funding may vary between sites but will cover tuition/fees, living stipend, insurance, and travel costs.
<i>Duration</i>	Two years for most.
<b>Eligibility</b>	
<i>Who</i>	Members of non-EU countries. Degrees are offered in a wide variety of academic disciplines.
<i>When</i>	College seniors and graduates who will begin a graduate program in the next academic year.
<i>Selection Criteria</i>	Not spelled out but factors (beyond academic ability) are likely to include a strong rationale for the intended program, requisite language skills, demonstrated ability to conduct graduate research, maturity and cultural awareness.
<b>Campus Deadline</b>	None.
<b>Deadline</b>	Seems to be determined by the participant institutions. Identify target program by August/September of final undergraduate year if possible.
<b>Application</b>	Apply to the specific degree program you hope to pursue. That school or consortium will then consider you for the Erasmus Mundus funding that they control.
<b>Contact</b>	Jim Hohenbary can talk with students about the EM program. He can be reached at 204 Leadership Studies or (785) 532-3422.
<b>Other</b>	Here is the website where the program options are listed. While the Erasmus Mundus site is much larger, this is the most relevant source of information since you apply directly to the program of interest:  <b><a href="https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/library/emjmd-catalogue_en">https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/erasmus-plus/library/emjmd-catalogue_en</a></b>

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