

## Erasmus Policy Statement 2021-2027

ART & DESIGN INSTITUTE aims to be a full and respected partner at the international level. We create an environment that is equal for all, regardless of the country and culture from which the participants come. We connect Erasmus participants together with local students and to create an international atmosphere where everyone will be able to pass on very valuable experience and advice to each other. To internationalization of higher education institutions contribute the presentation of Erasmus participants. The participants (outgoing and incoming) have the opportunity to showcase their experiences, including the teaching methods in partner higher education institutions. We are prepared to collect and share these results on the web platforms in order to provide our experiences and approaches to other HEIs. We believe the reflecting on the outcomes will improve the overall sustainability of international cooperation and lead to future stronger strategies of HEI institutions.

Not only the experience and results of mobility have a positive effect on the internationalization of the institution. Also Non-mobile staff and students beneficial international experience from other participants in the Erasmus+ programme, for example in lectures, workshops, or a practical joint work of incoming students with local students in studios. Our students are fully encouraged and supported to participate in these activities. ADI consider a very useful and beneficial option for virtual and blended mobility, which could give an opportunity to reach more students and employees to participate in the Erasmus+ programme.

We are starting to implement digital tools (Erasmus+ Dashboard, European Student Card Initiative) that will facilitate the administrative process and also contribute easier organization and documentation of mobility.

Participation in the Erasmus+ programme is very beneficial and enriching for ART & DESIGN INSTITUTE. We managed to build a network of HEI partner institutions within which we strengthen our relationships and develop cooperation with existing partners. At the same time, we are looking for new HEI partners with the aim of other fine arts universities and thus contribute to the development of skills and experience across fine arts disciplines. We want to more focus in particular on the outcomes and benefits of student and staff mobility and all document it. We would like to develop specific projects leading to relevant results and evaluation of the overall mutual cooperation. Examples of activities: artistic outputs in the form of exhibitions realization, sharing of experience within workshops, or lectures. We inform well about all matters related to the Erasmus+ programme within a regular meeting with all the staff of ADI.

As part of the Erasmus+ programme, our institution managed to establish and establish full-fledged relationships with major higher education institutions operating in the field of fine arts. Our goal is to continue to maintain and develop these relationships thanks to the implemented student and employee mobility. The possibility of Staff Training mobility, which facilitates coordinators to establish better and more distinctive relationships and thus also develop further cooperation. We do not want the cooperation to end with the mobility of the student or staff. We pursue to develop cooperation, such as participation in workshops, lectures, exhibitions, etc. We want to constantly improve and meet the requirements of students and staff, so we always ask for feedback on our institutions in questionnaires for incoming students (always on the start of mobility and its end).