



**Erasmus Mundus Action 2 – Partnerships // Project IAMONET-RU (Lot 5) –
2nd call for applications for:**

Academic Staff for 1 month (Target Group 1)

open till May 16th 2011!

This is the 2nd call for Russian applicants for Academic Staff for 1 month mobility flows. The call is open from Friday, 01.04. until Monday, 16.05.2011. Application deadline is Monday, 16.05.2011 at 14:00 (German time).

General Information

IAMONET-RU is a project within the program Erasmus Mundus Action 2 Partnerships (EMA2-Partnerships). Erasmus Mundus aims to promote European higher education, to help to improve and enhance the career prospects of students and to promote intercultural understanding through cooperation with third countries, in accordance with EU external policy objectives in order to contribute to the sustainable development of third countries in the field of higher education.

The project IAMONET-RU aims to the implementation of a sustainable International Academic Mobility Network between 8 EU and 12 Russian higher education institutions in the fields of Life Sciences, Agriculture and Food Chain. The project offers scholarships for students, researchers and academic staff from 1 up to 34 months.

The following 20 Universities are involved in the project:

EU-Universities:

- University of Hohenheim, Germany
- University of Natural Resources and Applied Life Sciences Vienna, Austria
- Czech University of Life Sciences Prague, Czech Republic
- University of Tuebingen, Germany
- University of Udine, Italy
- Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences, Sweden
- Wageningen University, Netherlands
- Warsaw University of Life Sciences - SGGW, Poland

Russian Universities:

- St. Petersburg State Agrarian University
- Moscow State University

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- Russian State Agrarian University – Moscow Timiryazev Agricultural Academy
- Moscow State Agro-Engineering University
- Orel State Agrarian University
- Stavropol State Agrarian University
- Kuban State Agrarian University
- Samara State Agricultural Academy
- Omsk State Agrarian University
- Novosibirsk State Agrarian University
- Buryat State Academy of Agriculture
- Primorsky State Agricultural Academy

Objective of the Academic Staff Mobility for 1 month

To create links on administrative and academic level in order to enhance the participation in international educational and research projects and to attract host lectures for Russia. Academic Staff will have to perform training, teaching and/or research activities in host institutions members of the consortium.

Scholarships

Within this call Russian nationals can apply for a grant for one month Academic Staff mobility at one of the above mentioned 8 EU-Universities. Russian Applicants must be registered in one of the 12 Russian universities involved in the project.

The core fields of the project are Life Sciences, Agriculture and Food chain.

Applications for types of scholarships different from the ones above stated will not be considered.

The scholarships cover: Actual travel costs (one round-ticket), costs for health insurance up to 75 Euro and a monthly subsistence allowance of 2 500 Euro.

Requirements

Applicants must:

- be a national of the Russian Federation,
- be full time employee in one of the 12 Russian partner universities within the consortium,
- have not resided nor have carried out their main activity (studies, work, etc) for more than a total of 12 months over the last five years in one of the European countries,
- have sufficient knowledge of English language,
- follow with the application the objectives of this call.

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Start of the mobility flow

Due to the rules for this project Academic Staff mobility flows can start at any time within the project duration and must end within the project eligibility period (14.07.2014). In any case, it is highly advised that mobility flows will be started in the academic year 2011/2012.

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Application Documents

The “application package” must include the following documents

- Application form,
- Cover letter
- Curriculum Vitae
- Detailed academic proposal
- One letter of recommendation from the dean
- Copy of the international passport
- Letter of Acceptance from the supervisor from the hosting institution (can be submitted also at a later stage).

Detailed information about the application documents is available online www.iamonet.de/download (“List of Application documents”).

Please note that only the complete application document can be accepted.

How to apply

The application package must be submitted as hard paper copy as well as electronic version to the local coordinator of your home institution (List of the partnership: www.iamonet.de) within the application period from **Friday, 01.04. until Monday, 16.05.2011 at 14:00 (German time) at the latest.**

Application Language:

Your application must be submitted in English.

Further information:

- International office at one of the 12 Russian partner universities
- For specific questions concerning a programme or university, contact the EU partner university you are referring to

A detailed list of all partners and contact person is available at www.iamonet.de

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