

2019 ICM meeting - Eastern Partnership, Russian Federation and Central Asia

Bragança, 13-17 May 2019

The major aim of the International Credit Mobility (ICM) project is the consolidation of the ongoing cooperation between the Polytechnic Institute of Bragança (IPB) and the Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) outside EU, particularly to promote student mobility for double diploma and staff development on the European HE best-practices, and to improve the management and operation of partner HEIs in international relations capacities.

This 2019 ICM meeting will joint all of our ICM partners from the Eastern Partnership, Russian Federation and Central Asia. Also held in the same week, the IPB Erasmus Week will allow our ICM partners to establish new cooperation networks with European HEIs.

13 May

- 09:00 Welcome and administrative issues [City Center]
- 14:30 Welcome by the President of IPB [ESTiG Library]
- 15:00 The IPB Double Diploma platform. ICM and DD outputs and new challenges [ESTiG Library]
- 18:00 City Tour Guide (with Erasmus European partners)

14 May

- 10:00 Introducing the IPB (Erasmus Week opening session; with Erasmus European partners) [ESE Auditorium]
- 11:00 Visit to the International Fair prepared by Erasmus and International IPB students [ESE Atrium]
- 14:30 Research workshops* (according to the areas of interest; see below)
- 20:00 Official Welcome Dinner at the IPB canteen with the Traditional Students Musical Group "Tuna" (with Erasmus European partners)

15 May

- 09:00 Visit to "Alto Douro Wine Region" (with Erasmus European partners)

16 May

- 10:00 Talk on Portuguese Culture and Language (optional; with Erasmus European partners) or Individual research meetings or Meeting with students in IPB
- 10:00 Seminars ** (according to the areas of interest)
- 14:00 Seminars ** (according to the areas of interest)
- 18:00 Race IPB for All

17 May

- 10:00 Seminars ** (according to the areas of interest)
- Additional contacts (to be defined during the meeting)

NOTES:

Research workshops*: The success of the Double Diploma programme requires the promotion of a deep cooperation between the teachers and researchers of both institutions, through the co-supervision of master students, and the participation in their training. We invite our partners to prepare a PowerPoint presentation of the research interests of their colleagues (institution) in the area. One teacher of IPB will do the same on our side. The objective is to know better our research interests and to promote the matching of co-supervisors for future students in DD at IPB. Please prepare a PowerPoint presentation of 5-10 minutes (one for each institution/area).

Area: Management
Room: UNIAG, ESTiG
Coordination: Prof. Paula Odete

Area: Computer Science
Room: Library, ESTiG
Coordination: Prof. José Eduardo Fernandes

Area: Chemical and Biotechnological Engineering
Room: Correia Araújo, ESA
Coordination: Prof. Simão Pinho and Prof. Paula Rodrigues

Area: Agriculture Sciences and Forestry
Room: ESA
Coordination: Prof. António Castro Ribeiro and Prof. Paulo Cortez

Area: International Relations Offices
Room: Central Services, IRO
Coordination: Dr. Joana Aguiar

Seminars **: The teachers who will come with an Erasmus STA grant are invited to talk about a topic of his/her interest, to be included in the DD master students' timetables. The seminar will also be open to IPB researchers and teachers. The seminar should have a duration of a maximum of 45 minutes, followed by 15 minutes for questions.