

EXCHANGE OPPORTUNITIES FOR BIO-IR & IND IR

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PROGRAM

1. Info session outgoing mobility
2. Testimonial Humasol
3. “Pitch” French partners
4. Student fair: French partners

BEFORE WE START

STAY UPDATED

Ufora: Welcome abroad

Important announcements:

Deadlines

Infosessions

Interesting projects

Funding options

...

**Facebookgroup:
Uitwisselingsstudenten**

FBW

Community of fellow students to
ask questions, share experiences,
find Erasmus companions...

**Webpage:
Studying abroad**

Timelines for all exchange
procedures, detailed information
for each step

Link to Welcome Abroad

Link to the facebookgroup

Link to Studying Abroad

HOW TO CONTACT US?

- Through e-mail
- Make an appointment!
- Who can help you?

out.fbw@ugent.be

[Online appointment tool](#)

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Campus Coupure

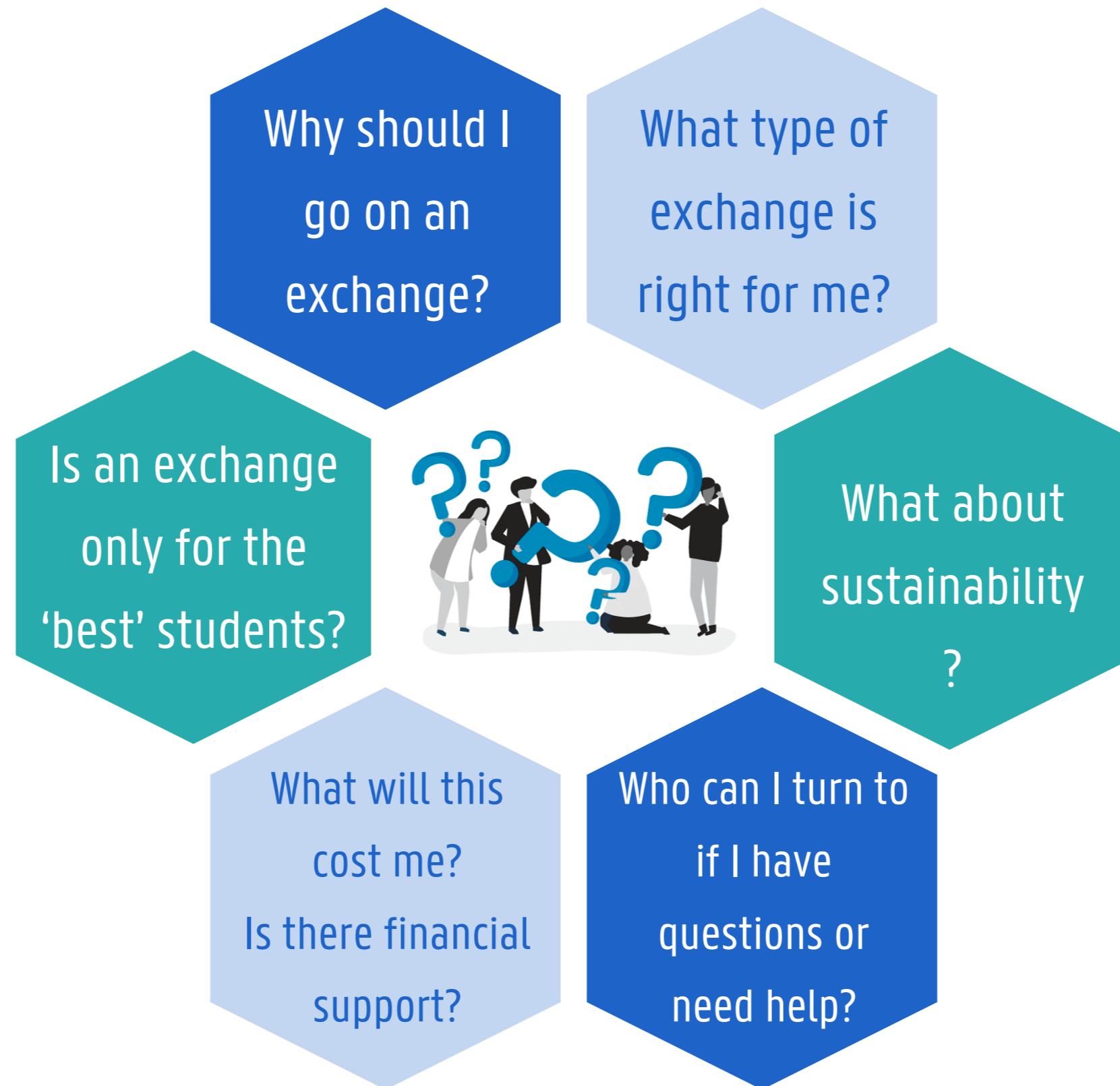
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INTRODUCTION

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- Goal of this session: answering these questions:



INTERNATIONALISATION AT GHENT UNIVERSITY

Why should I
go on an
exchange?

Internationalisation as a strategic educational goal at Ghent University

Mission

Providing all students maximal opportunities
to develop their international/intercultural
competences



WHY GO ON AN EXCHANGE?

Won't an exchange have a negative impact on my studies at Ghent University?

I'm worried about the 'level' and 'quality' of institutions abroad...

Isn't an exchange way too expensive?

Complete acknowledgement of earned credits abroad on your Ghent university diploma

Selective partner management with focus on level and quality

No extra tuition, financial support available

WHY GO ON AN EXCHANGE?

Isn't it a lot of preparational (paper) work beforehand?

Won't living/working in another language/culture be too difficult?

I don't know if I can miss my family, friends, lover,... for that long!

Clear guidelines, deadlines and available support throughout (infosessions, out.fbw@ugent.be)

Think of the extra language skills and intercultural attitudes and skills you will develop (looks good on your resume!)

You'll develop your personal skills and... you'll make friends for life!

WHY GO ON AN EXCHANGE?

≈ 100% of all students at FBE who went on an exchange in 2023-2024 would recommend it to future students!

Filters



TYPES OF MOBILITY

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Courses

Go abroad for one semester and follow courses at one of our partner institutions.

Internship

Combine your first work experience with an intercultural experience during an internship abroad.

Master Dissertation

Go abroad for data collection or experimental research as a part of your master dissertation.

Summer/Winter school or BIP

Take a short, intensive course abroad during the lesson-free period.



COURSE EXCHANGES

TIMELINE

- All info on the procedure can be found on the [website](#)
- Applicable for SEM1 and SEM2 exchanges

TIMELINE COURSE EXCHANGE

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our website.



2. DESTINATION

Check the International Partners website to
find a list of partner institutions for your study
program.



3. FINANCIAL SUPPORT

Check the different financial support
options, depending on your destination.



DEADLINE 31/01

ONLY NEEDED FOR EXCHANGE OUTSIDE EUROPE

5. GRANT APPLICATION

Follow the website guidelines to collect and
submit a grant portfolio.



DEADLINE beginning of March

DEADLINE PROGRAM OVERVIEW 01/04

DEADLINE EXCHANGE CURRICULUM 01/06



6. EXCHANGE CURRICULUM

Use the templates to make a program
overview. After approval, upload it on Oasis
and add your exchange curriculum.

7. LEARNING AGREEMENT

Print out a Learning Agreement from Oasis, get it
signed (by student, UGent, partner institution)
and upload it on Oasis.



Ideally before 01/07

Follow deadline of partner institution



8. APPLICATION PARTNER INSTITUTION
Register at the partner institution by
following their application procedure.

DURING EXCHANGE

9. CONFIRMATION STUDY PERIOD

Print out this document from Oasis and get it
signed by the partner institution on your
arrival and departure.



10. CHANGING LEARNING AGREEMENT
If after arrival you need to change your
exchange curriculum, adjust your program
overview, get it approved and send it to
out.fbw@ugent.be.



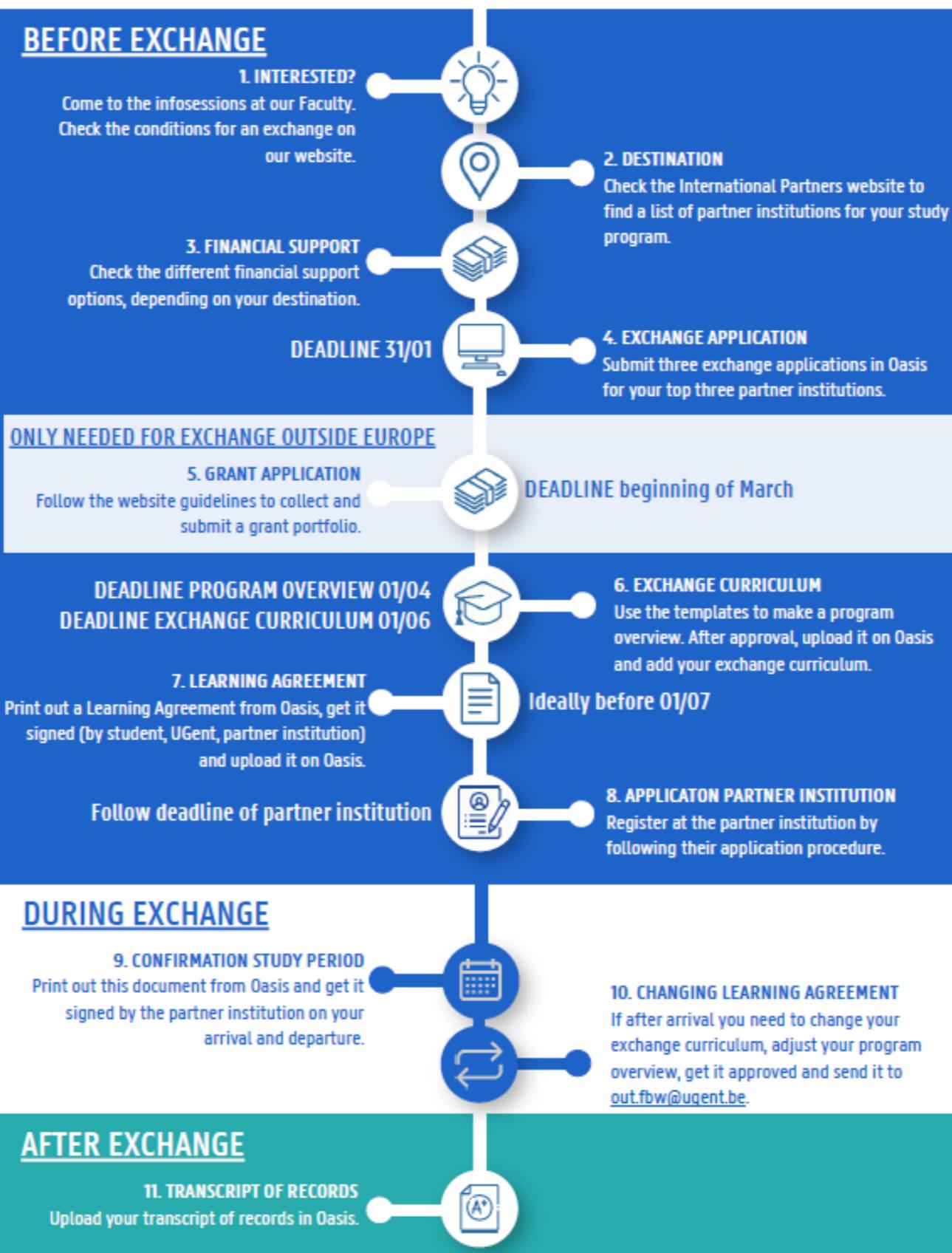
AFTER EXCHANGE

11. TRANSCRIPT OF RECORDS

Upload your transcript of records in Oasis.



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CONDITIONS FOR COURSE EXCHANGE

BIO IR

- Only for **master** students
- For maximum of **1 semester**
- You can choose which semester
 - Environmental Technology: preference SEM2



CONDITIONS FOR COURSE EXCHANGE

BIO IR

- Finished bachelor program?



- In a GIT-trajectory (Bachelor-Master)? [conditions](#)

➤ On the moment of exchange application (january 2025)

all bachelor courses need to included in your curriculum



CONDITIONS FOR COURSE EXCHANGE

- Not finished with bachelor program on moment of exchange?

➤ Conditions!

1. Passed all courses BA1 and BA2?
2. Max. 2 courses to retake from BA3? (max. 12 ECTS)
3. Max. 1 course to retake during exchange sem?



IMPORTANT: teacher of course needs to give permission (not obligated)



CONDITIONS FOR COURSE EXCHANGE - GENERAL

IND-IR

- 3^e Bachelor OR Master!
- For maximum of 1 semester
- Preference SEM1
(defence bachelor-/masterdissertation SEM2!)



CONDITIONS EXCHANGE IN BACHELOR?

IND-IR

- Passed all courses BA1 and BA2?



- In a GIT-trajectory ?

conditions

➤ On the moment of exchange application (january 2025)

all BA1 & BA2 courses need to included in your curriculum



CONDITIONS EXCHANGE IN BACHELOR?



- Not finished with bachelor program on moment of exchange?

➤ Conditions!

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3. Max. 1 course to retake during exchange sem?



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CONDITIONS EXCHANGE IN MASTER?

IND-IR

- Bachelor program finished?
- GIT-traject bachelor - master?



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CONDITIONS EXCHANGE IN MASTER?

IND-IR

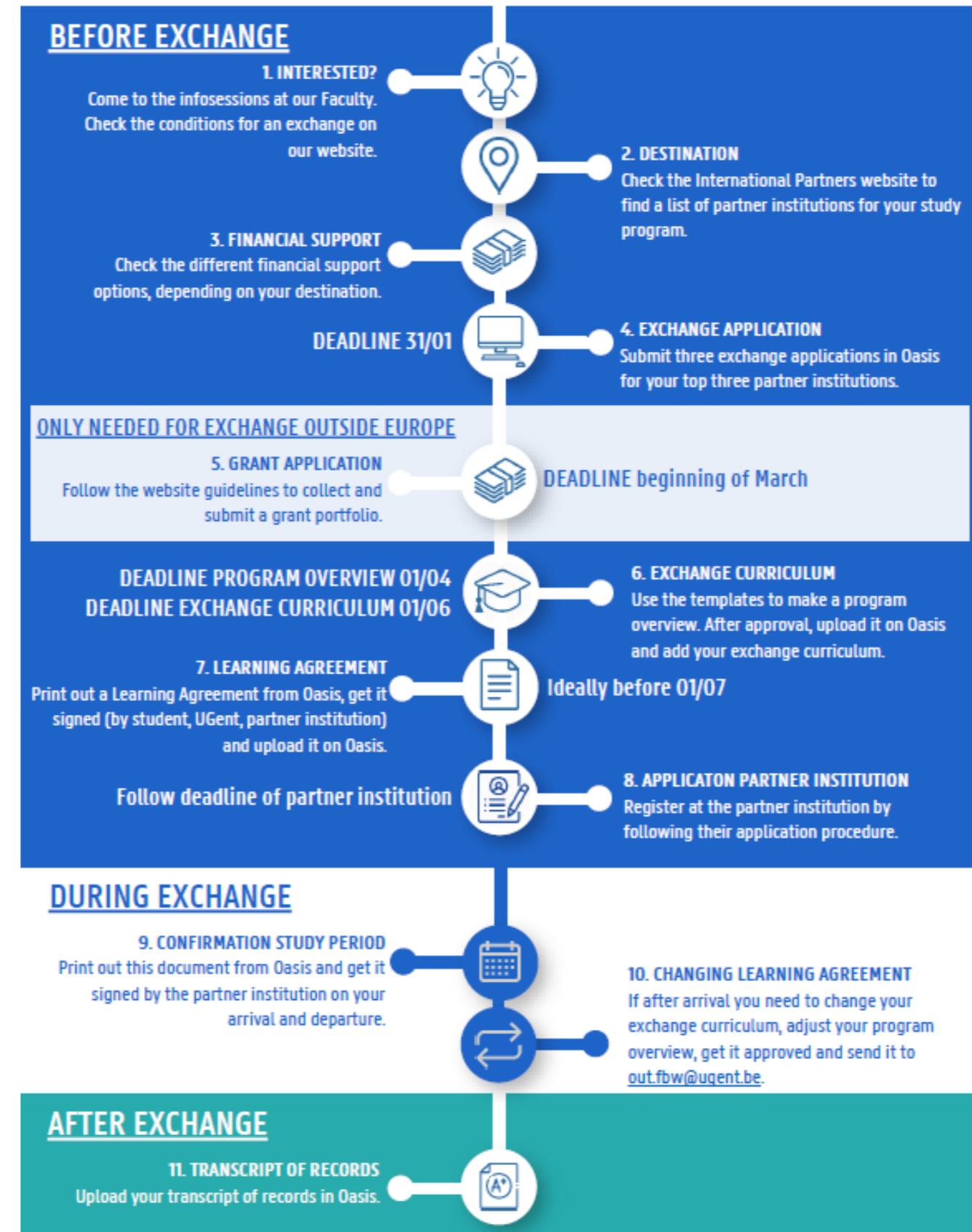
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CHOOSING YOUR DESTINATION

- Look at the Sharepoint site '[International Office partners](#)'
- Choose your study program: list of destinations

 Start EDIT LINKS Search this site ▾

International Office Partners

Home Welcome to the partnerdatabase of the Faculty of Bioscience Engineering!

Partners Public Info Choose your study programme in which you would like to make an exchange and find out where you will be studying next year.

Admin **This information will be updated based on the information we receive from our partner universities.** However if you would find information out of date or broken links, please [send us an email](#).

Partners - Public Info

Partners - Internal Info Campus Coupre:

- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: Agricultural Sciences
- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: Cell and Gene Biotechnology
- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: Chemistry and Bioprocess Technology
- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: Environmental Technology
- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: Food Science and Nutrition
- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: Forest and Nature Management
- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering: Land and Water Management

Partners Overview

FCI (contact list)

Research

 EDIT LINKS

Campus Schoonmeersen:

- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering Technology: Agriculture and Horticulture
- Master of Science in Bioscience Engineering Technology: Food Industry
- Master of Science in Biochemical Engineering Technology



CHOOSING YOUR DESTINATION

- Things to keep in mind:
 1. Choose the correct **study program**
 - See list on Sharepoint site
 2. Look at the instruction **language** of the partner institution
 - Learn local language through the UTC (UTC@ugent.be)

Discount available for exchange students

CHOOSING YOUR DESTINATION

3. Look at the **course offering** of the partner institution

- Compare to study guide Ghent University
- Look at example courses when available

4. Look at the **academic calendar** of the partner institution

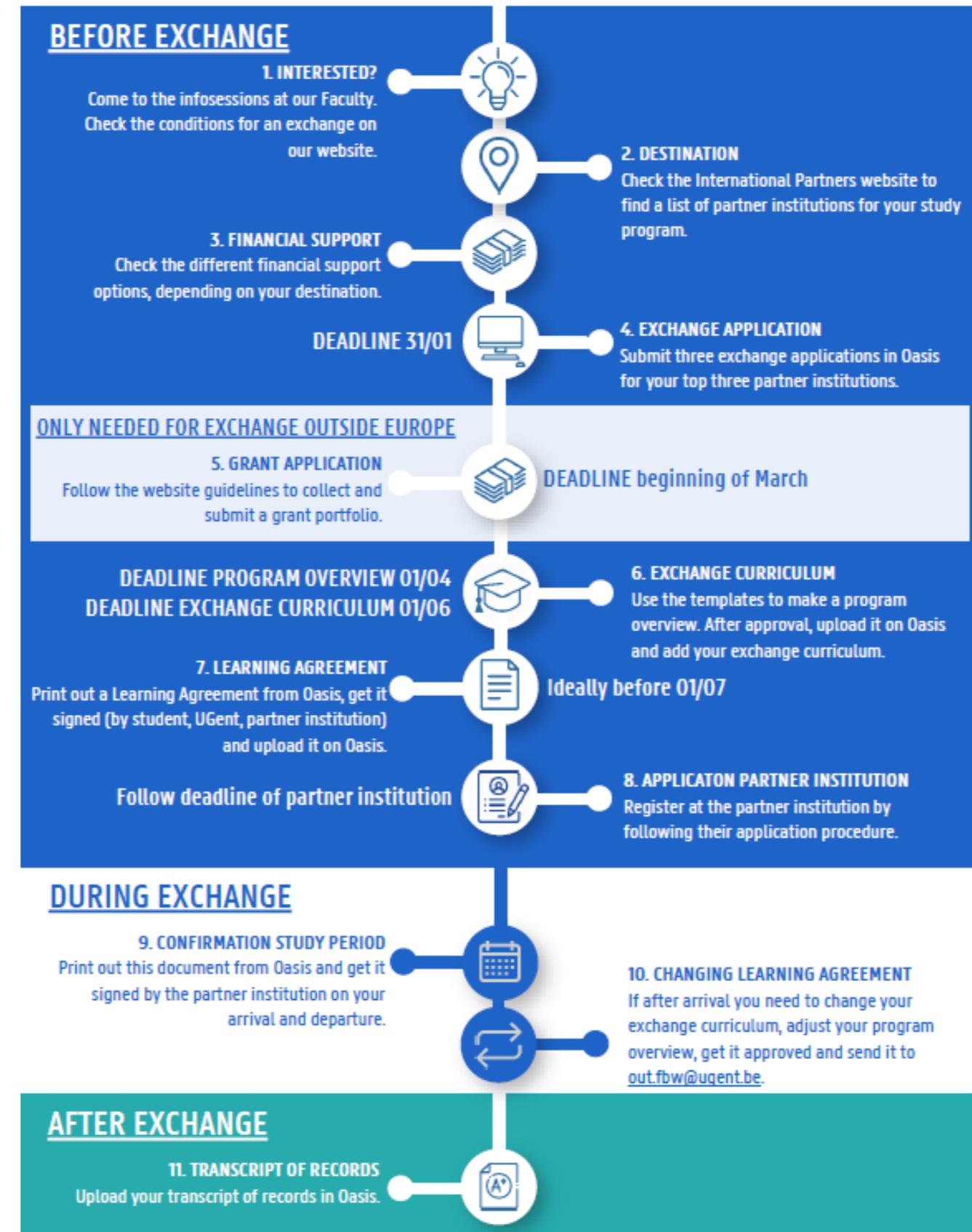
- Start semester can overlap with exams Ghent university
 - In this case: contact teacher for permission! (+FSA and out.fbw@ugent.be)

You will need to make a top 3 of exchange destinations.

How to make your exchange application will be explained in a

PRACTICAL INFOSESSION on 2 December 2024

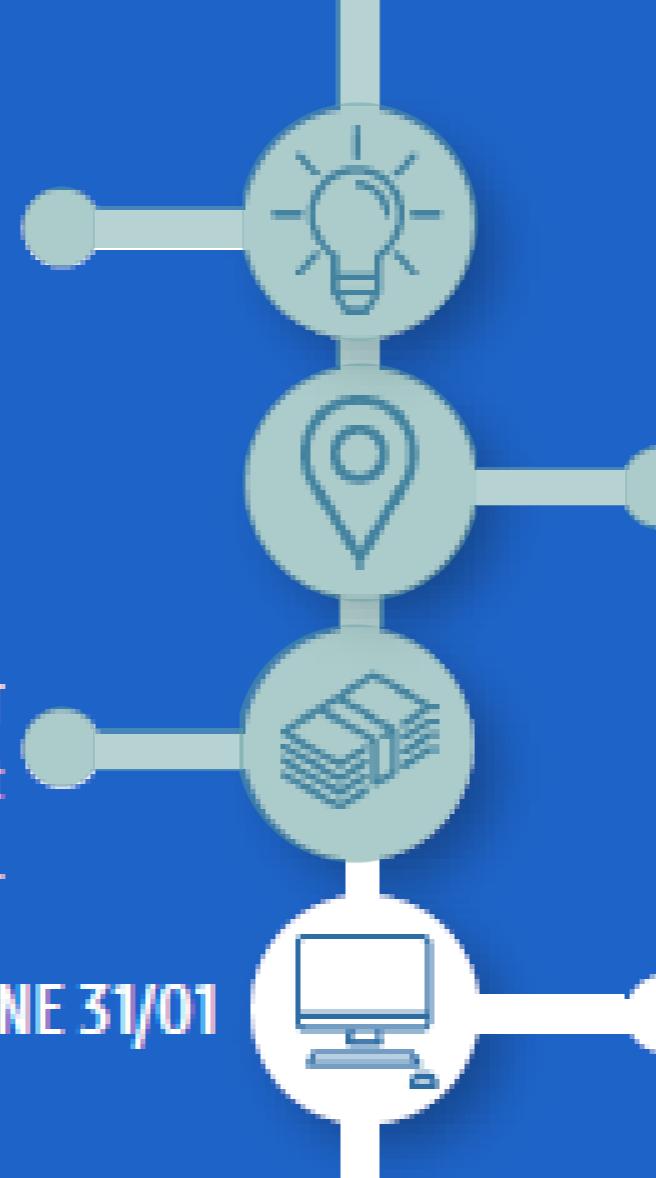
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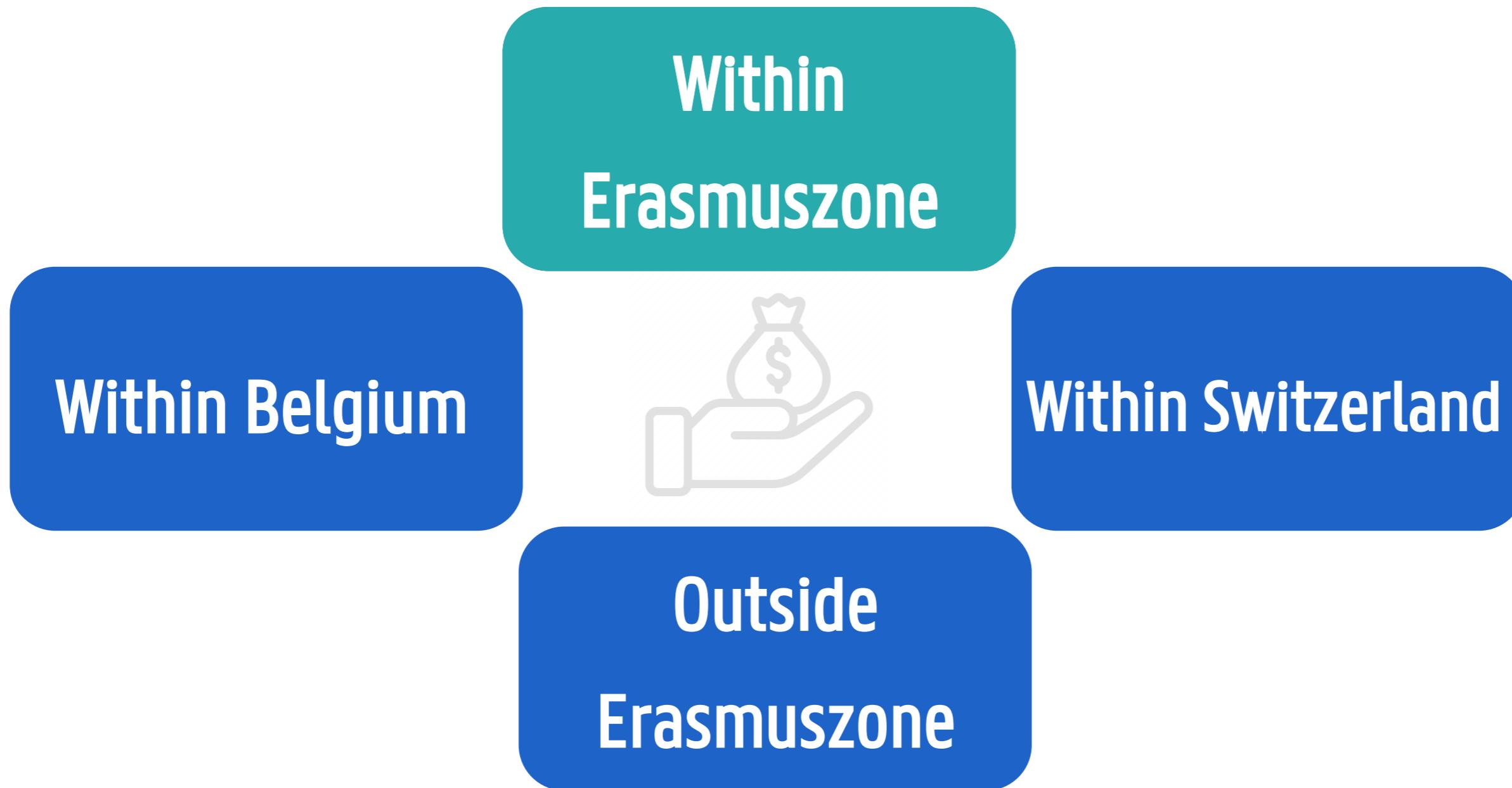
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FINANCIAL SUPPORT

- You keep your study grant (if applicable)
- Extra financial support through UGent possible ([list of grants](#))
- Questions on UGent grants => international@ugent.be !



FINANCIAL SUPPORT



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Erasmus zone

26 EU member states (not Belgium) + Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Turkey,
North Macedonia and Serbia

Erasmus + grant

≠ amounts ≈ country and personal socio-economic situation

Monthly fee + travel allowance (km)

ERASMUS + STUDIES MONTHLY FEE



GROUP 1

Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Austria, Sweden

- €419/month for all other students
- €669/month for students with a Flemish scholarship

GROUP 2

Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Greece, Latvia, Malta, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia and Spain.

- €369/month for all other students
- €619/month for students with a Flemish scholarship

GROUP 3

Bulgaria, Hungary, Croatia, Lithuania, North Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Serbia and Turkey.

- €369/month for all other students
- €619/month for students with a Flemish scholarship

ERASMUS + STUDIES TRAVEL ALLOWANCE

You will receive a travel allowance depending on the distance to your destination. If you choose a "**green travel**" means of transport (bus, carpool, bicycle, train), the travel allowance is higher.

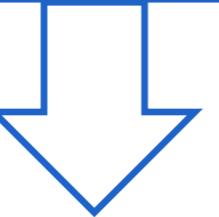
ERASMUS + STUDIES TRAVEL ALLOWANCE

range	Amount per participant	Green travel
range 10 to 99 km	€ 28,00	€ 56,00
range 100 to 499 km	€ 211,00	€ 285,00
range 500 to 1999 km	€ 309,00	€ 417,00
range 2000 to 2999 km	€ 395,00	€ 535,00
range 3000 en 3999 km	€ 580,00	€ 785,00
range 4000 to 7999 km	€ 1.188,00	€ 1.188,00

GRANT APPLICATION



How can I travel a sustainable way?



Check this UGhent site!

FLiXBUS

 railcc

 trainline

 ComparaBUS

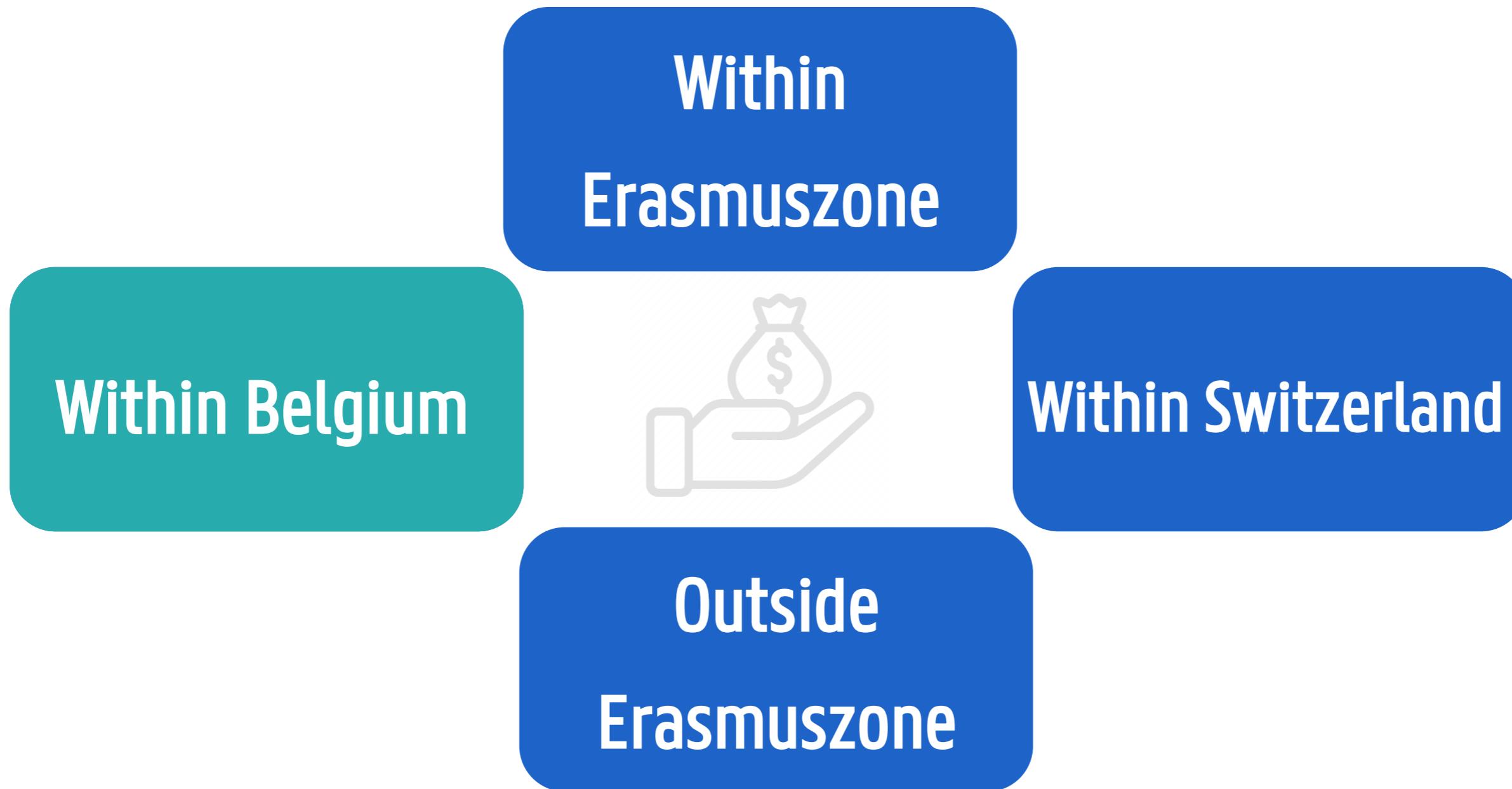

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The Man in Seat 61
www.seat61.com

erasmusbytrain

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT



FINANCIAL SUPPORT (2)



- **Within Belgium (min. 2 months)**

- **Erasmus Belgica (UGent)**

- Forfait: €100
 - Monthly allowance: €100 (accommodation cost)

FINANCIAL SUPPORT



FINANCIAL SUPPORT (3)



- Switzerland (min. 1 month)
 - SEMP (UGent)
 - Swiss-European Mobility Programme
 - €300/month

FINANCIAL SUPPORT



FINANCIAL SUPPORT (3) - GRANT OUTSIDE ERASMUS+ ZONE

≠ amounts ≈ country and personal socio-economic situation

Various scholarships available for exchange outside the Erasmus zone.

Two types:

- 1 - monthly allowance (max 4 months) & travel allowance;
- 2 - Travel allowance.

Distribution of grants according to the principle: the higher the socio-economic need, the higher the chance of receiving a type 1 grant (monthly allowance & travel allowance).

FINANCIAL SUPPORT (3) - GRANT OUTSIDE ERASMUS+ ZONE

Do you want to be considered for a scholarship? In your exchange application, please indicate 'financieringskanaal' '**beurs voor uitwisseling buiten Erasmuszone**'. Most of the information for allocating the grants will be obtained from **OASIS**.

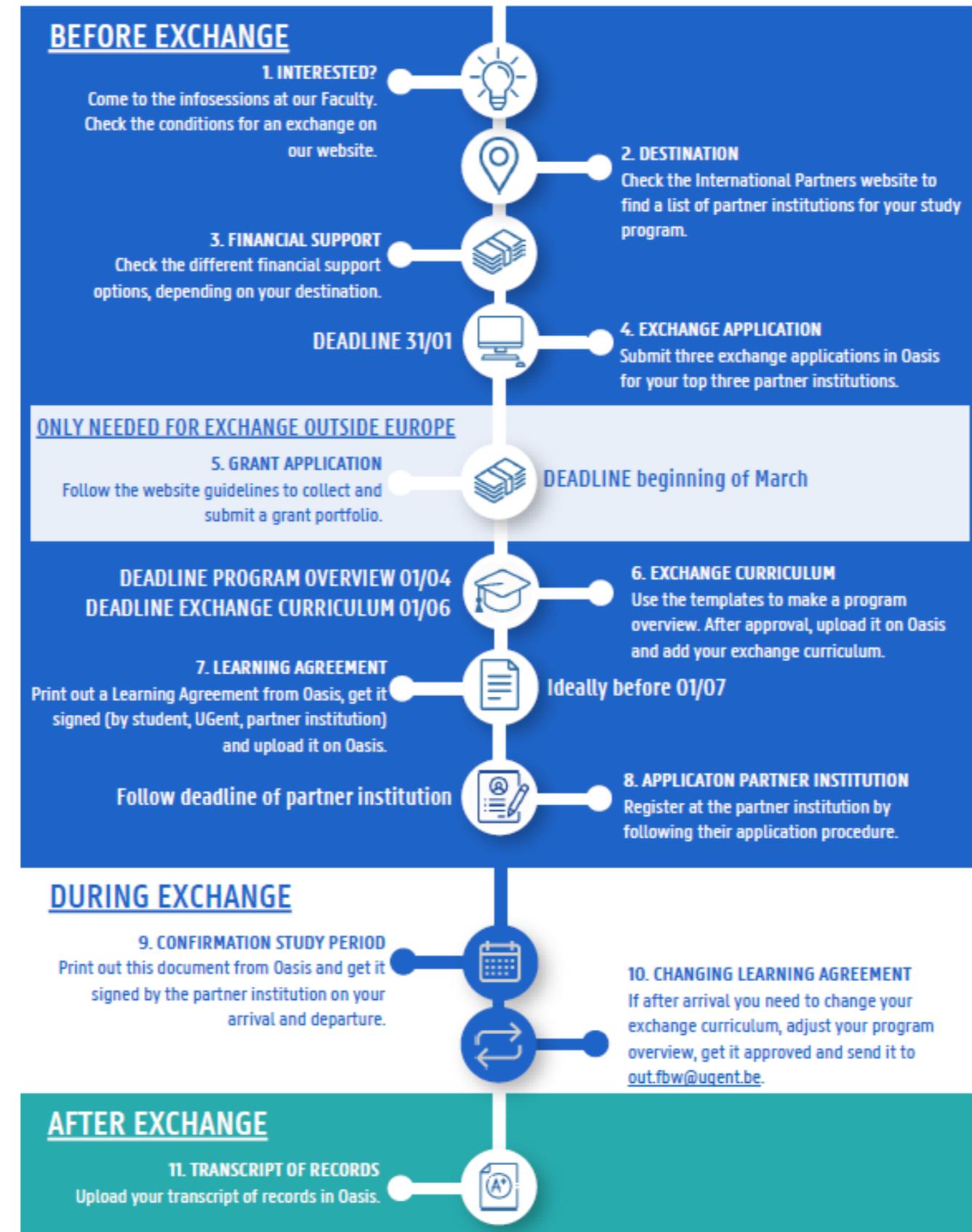
! Important! Online info session, intended for outgoing students interested in a destination outside the Erasmus zone, on 5/12/2024 (6.30 pm):

explanation of the distribution of grants;

explanation of personal preparation (administration/health/safety);

explanation of the financial aspect of exchange.

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EXCHANGE APPLICATION (UWA)

- You select your 'top 3' destinations
- You create an exchange application for each destination (Oasis)
 - **Separate motivation per destination - IMPORTANT!**
- FCI selects you for one destination from your top 3
 - Sometimes limited number of places for a destination: **SELECTION:**
 1. Average score at time of application
 2. Motivation (Oasis)

EXCHANGE APPLICATION (UWA)

Every exchange needs to be registered in an exchange application
(for insurance, diploma supplement,...)

How?

Via Oasis

From when?

15/11/2024

Deadline exchange
application

31/01/2025

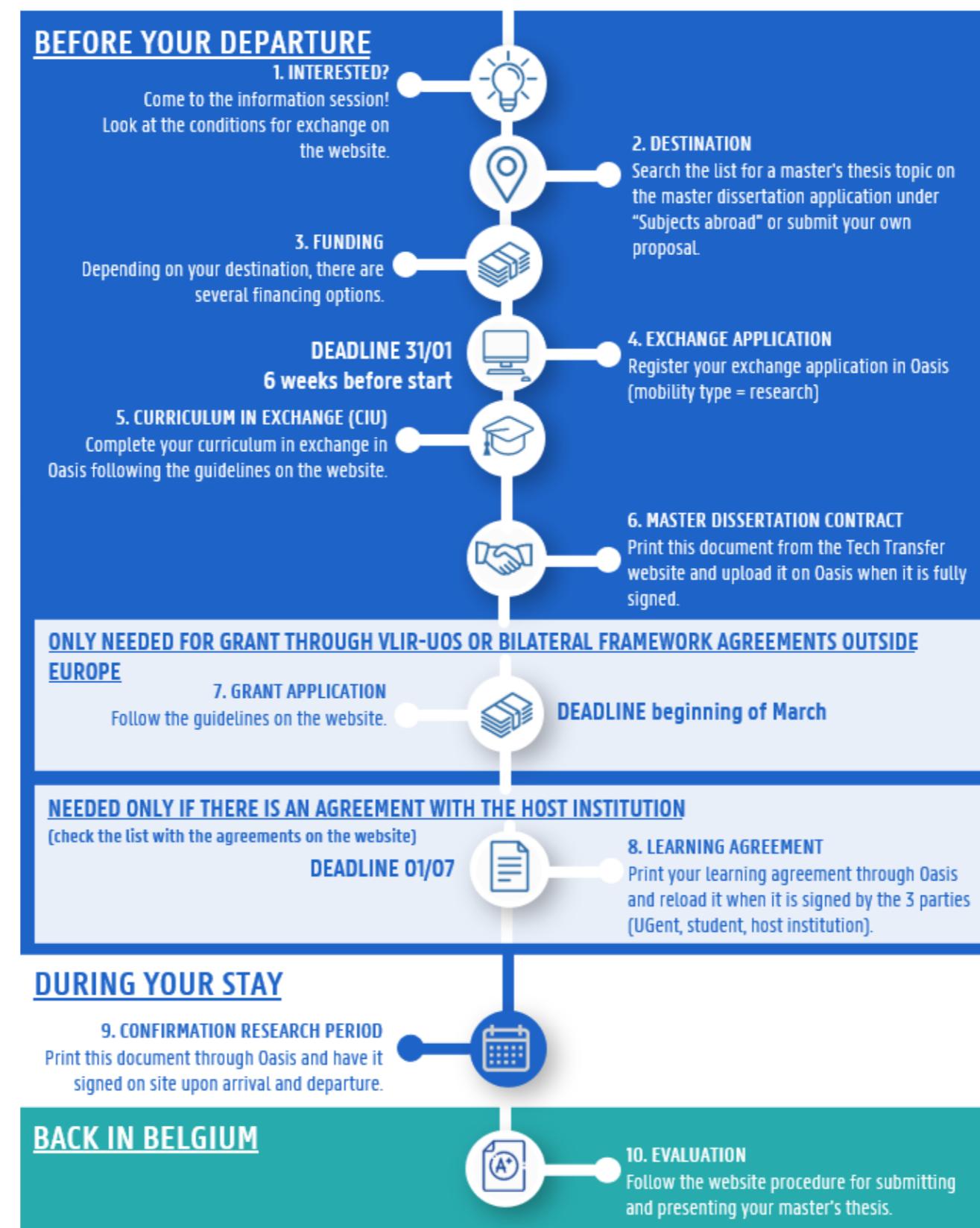
Practical information session on making exchange
application: 2 December 2024!

Announcement Uforasite 'Welcome abroad'

EXCHANGE MASTER DISSERTATION



TIMELINE EXCHANGE FOR MASTER DISSERTATION PARTIALLY ABROAD



BEFORE YOUR DEPARTURE

1. INTERESTED?

Come to the information session!

Look at the conditions for exchange on the website.



2. DESTINATION

Search the list for a master's thesis topic on the master dissertation application under "Subjects abroad" or submit your own proposal.

3. FUNDING

Depending on your destination, there are several financing options.

DEADLINE 31/01
6 weeks before start

5. CURRICULUM IN EXCHANGE (CIU)

Complete your curriculum in exchange in Oasis following the guidelines on the website.

4. EXCHANGE APPLICATION

Register your exchange application in Oasis (mobility type = research)

6. MASTER DISSERTATION CONTRACT

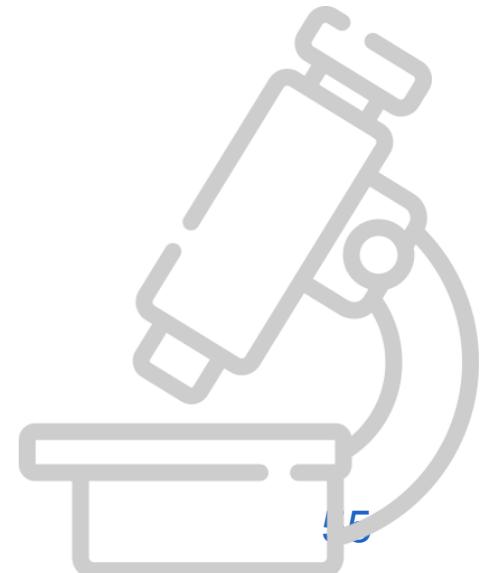
Print this document from the Tech Transfer website and upload it on Oasis when it is fully signed.

CONDITIONS FOR EXCHANGE MASTER DISSERTATION

Only applicable for **year of graduation**

BIO IR

- At the time of your exchange application, you must have passed all bachelor's courses or included all remaining bachelor's courses in your curriculum.
- At the time of your departure, you must have **completed your entire bachelor's program**.



CHOOSING A TOPIC – HOW?

1. Faculty web application

Overview master's dissertation topics



Through the tabs above, you can browse for topics approved for your programme by

- Promotor
- Department
- Keywords

Under the 'all topics' tab, you will find all available topics for your programme.

Make a shortlist of the subjects you prefer (see the [info session presentation](#) for the procedure). These will then be listed under the 'my preferences' tab.

Guidelines and regulations regarding the selection process can be found on the faculty website: ['How to choose your master's dissertation subject?'](#)

Questions? Send an e-mail to masterdissertation.fbw@ugent.be.

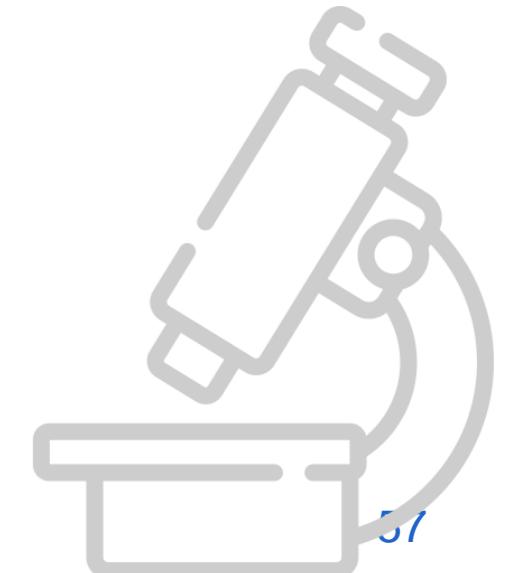


CHOOSING A TOPIC – HOW?

1. Choosing through faculty web application

- Two kinds of topics:
 - **FBE-offer** (with a FBE promotor)
 - List GUGC topics
 - List VLIR-UOS topics
 - List bilateral topics
 - **Proposals from abroad** (no FBE promotor yet)

The topics will be available for you
from 25 November 2024



CHOOSING A TOPIC – HOW?

1. Choosing through faculty web application

- How to apply for a topic → **FBE offer**
 - Contact promoters (UGent and partner) for approval (mail)
 - Once approval: e-mail fsa.fbw@ugent.be + out.fbw@ugent.be + masterdissertation.fbw@ugent.be + promoters in CC with the following info:
 - All info on master dissertation topic (title, from where, promoters, destination,...)
 - Request for official registration

Important deadline when you want to apply for a UGent grant: **31 January 2025**

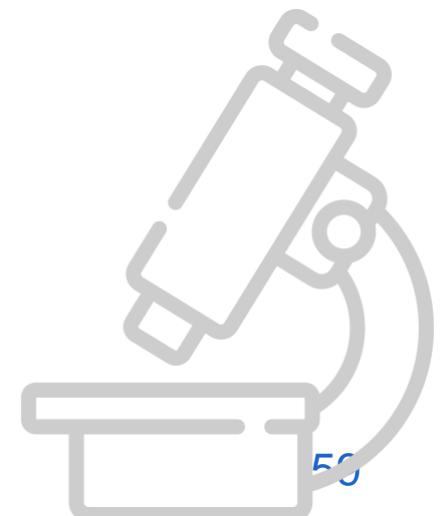


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- How to apply for a topic → **Proposal from abroad** (no FBW promotor)
 - Send your desired topic to masterdissertation.fbw@ugent.be for approval by your programme
 - When approved by the programme: the programme will help you find a promotor
 - If you have already a promotor in mind, be sure to let masterdissertation.fbw@ugent.be know

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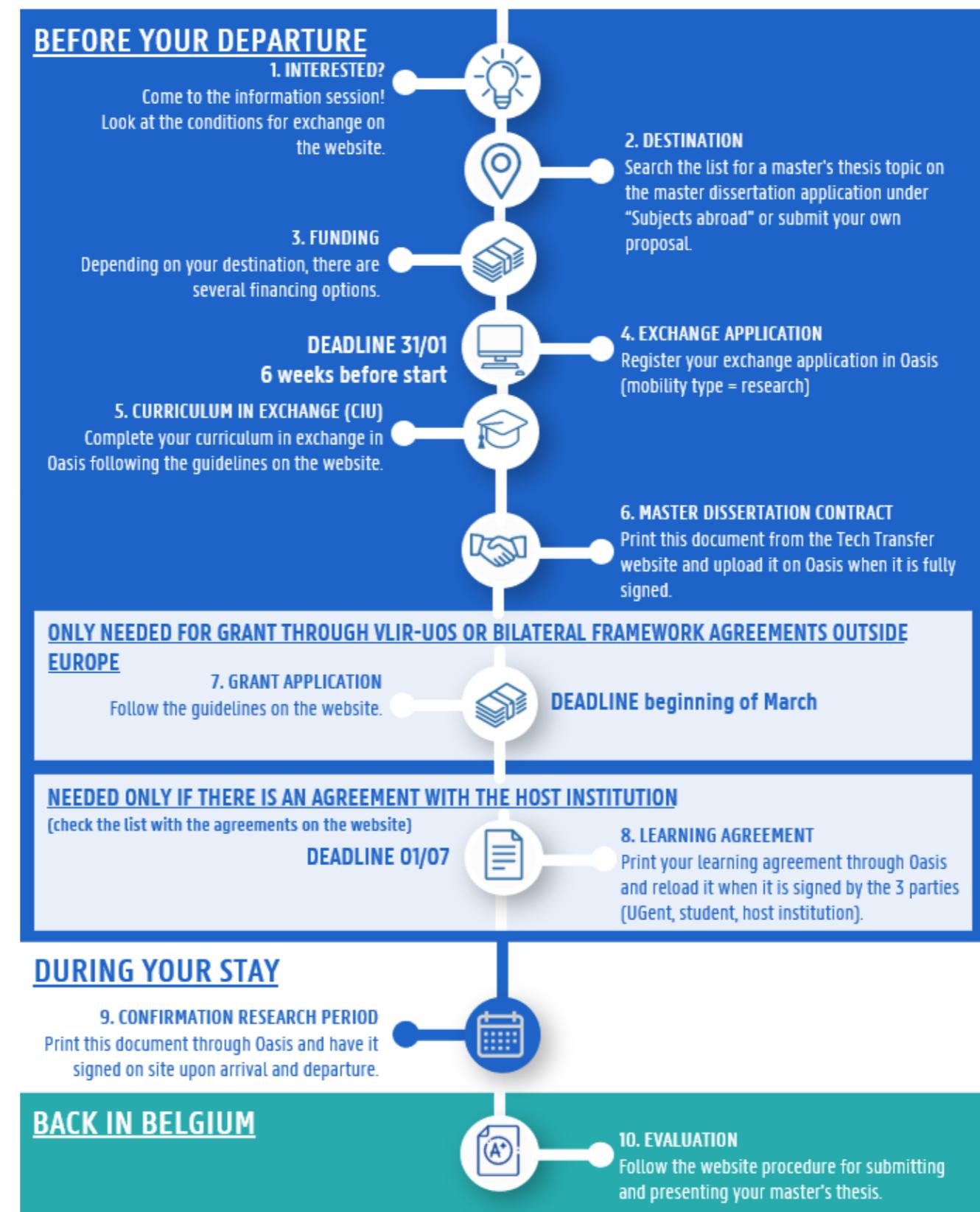
CHOOSING A TOPIC – HOW?

2. Choose a topic yourself

- You need to look for a destination, partner, topic and promotors by yourself!
- Once approval by partner + promotors AND programme
→ e-mail for registration to fsa.fbw@ugent.be + out.fbw@ugent.be +
masterdissertation.fbw@ugent.be + promotors in CC

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TIMELINE EXCHANGE FOR MASTER DISSERTATION PARTIALLY ABROAD



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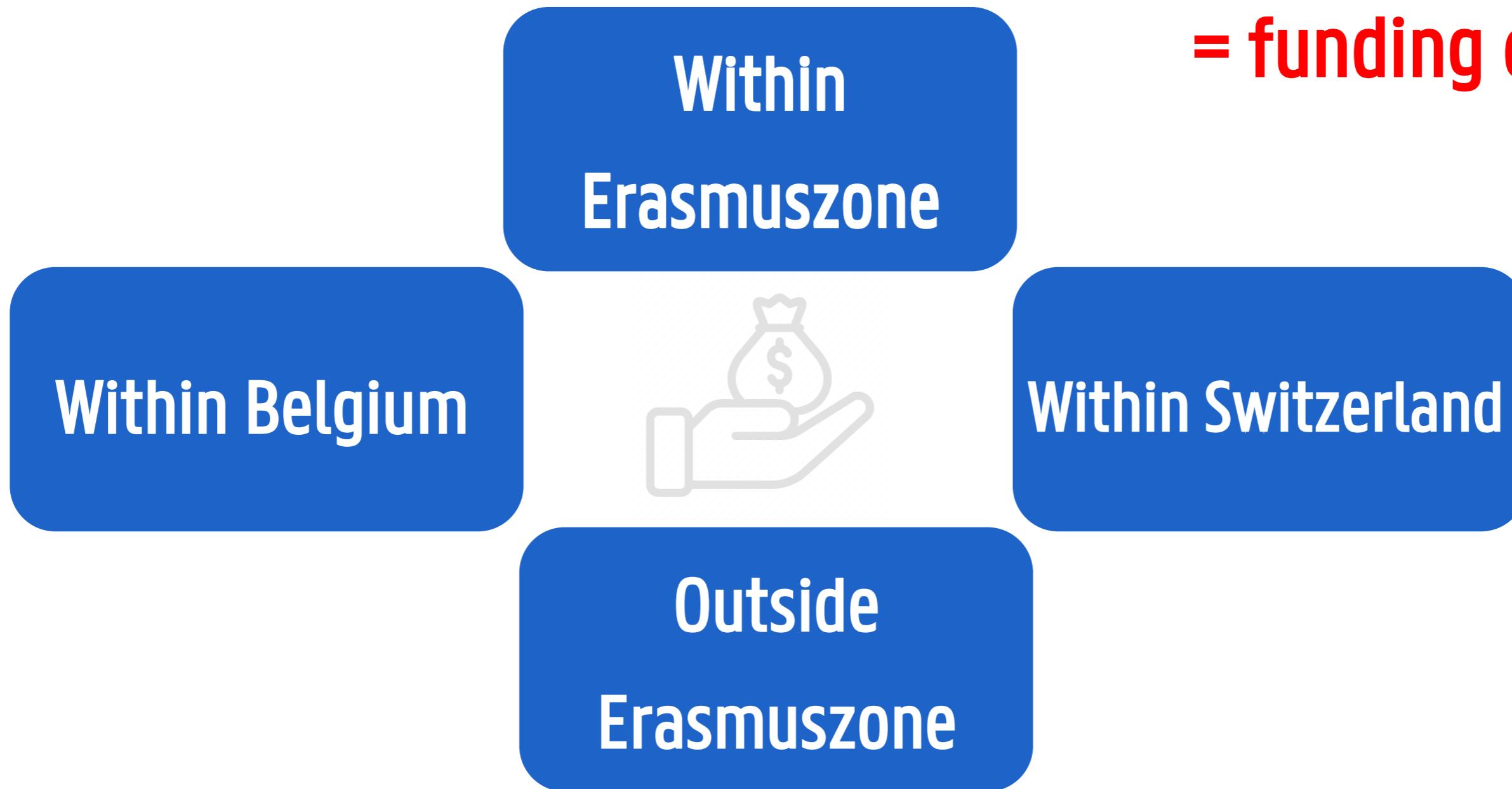
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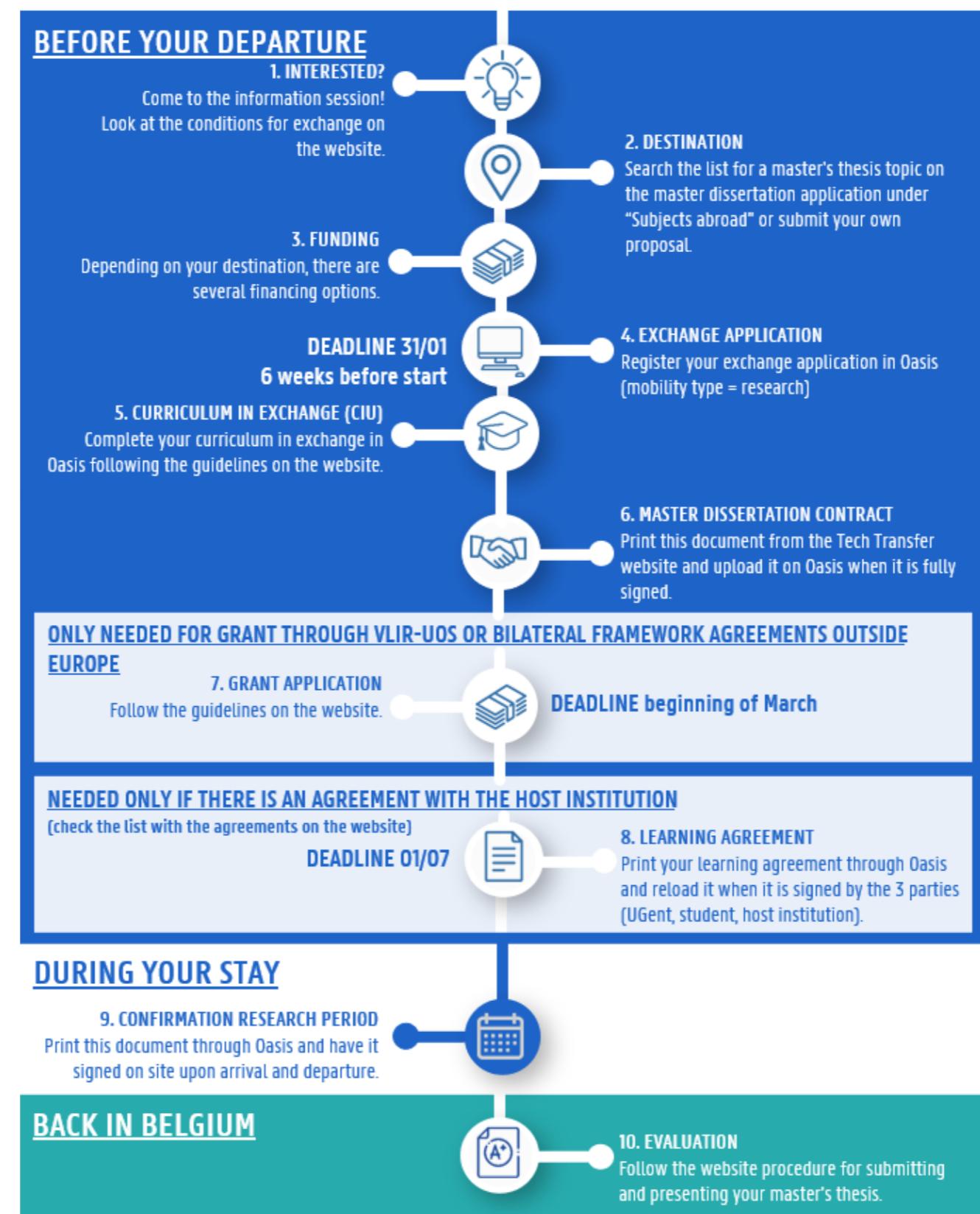
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From when?

25/11/2024

Deadline exchange
application

31/01/2025 (UGent grant)

Min. 6 weeks before departure

Practical information session on making exchange
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EXCHANGE CURRICULUM (CIU)



- Can you take up courses during your master dissertation exchange?

- Normally NO
- Exceptions:
 - You haven't been on a course exchange before
 - There is an agreement with the partner institution
 - There is room available in the agreement for that AY
 - Approval needed from contact person internationalisation ([see list](#)) and partner

!! ALWAYS contact out.fbw@ugent.be

first in this case (on time) !!



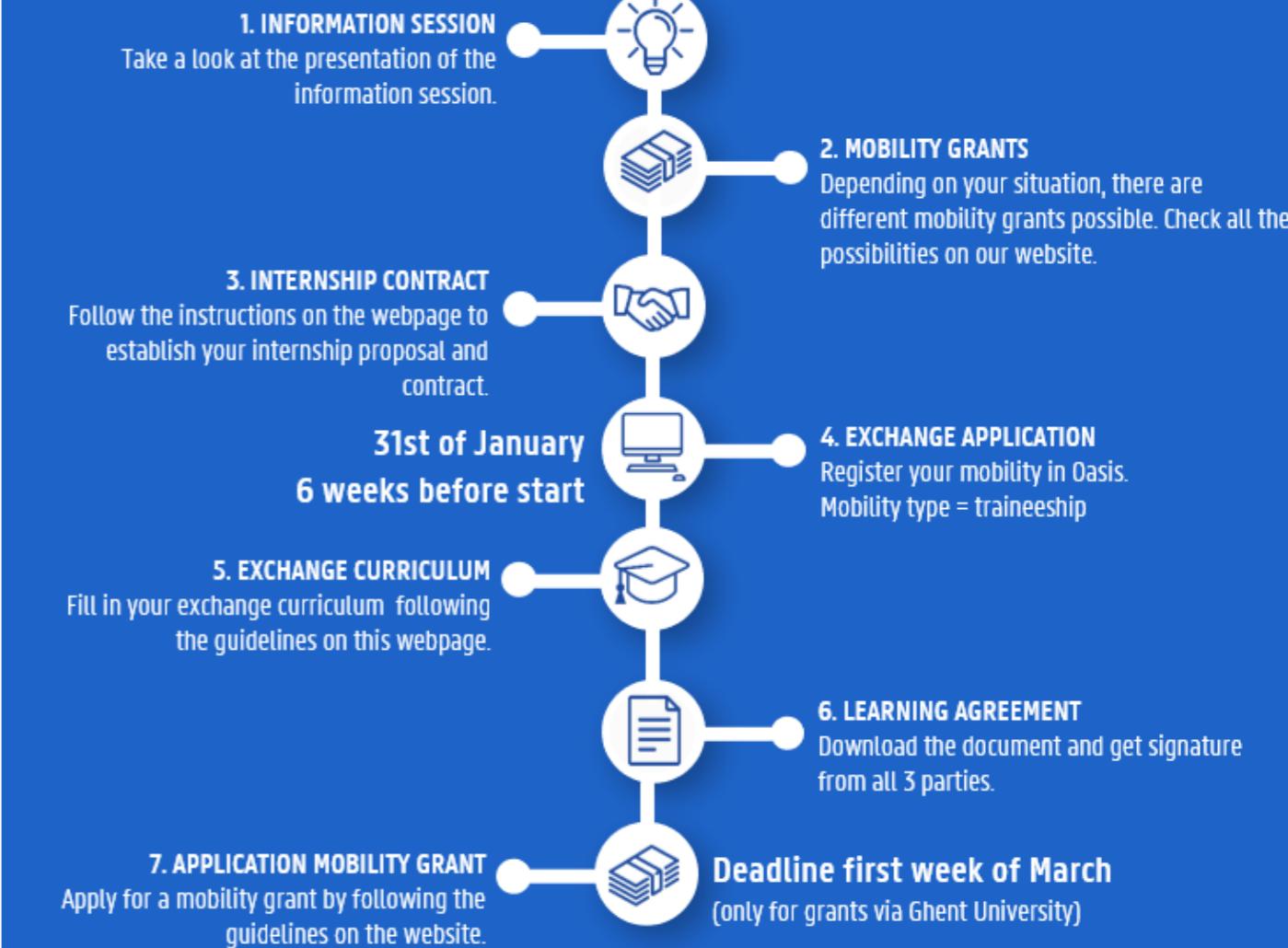
EXCHANGES INTERNSHIP

TIMELINE

- All info on the procedure can be found on the [website](#)
- Procedure only for internship that will be part of **your curriculum**
- Internships abroad only in **lesson-free periods**
- **FIRST:** internship registration and contract - FSA
(more info on [website](#))

TIMELINE EXCHANGE INTERNSHIP

BEFORE DEPARTURE



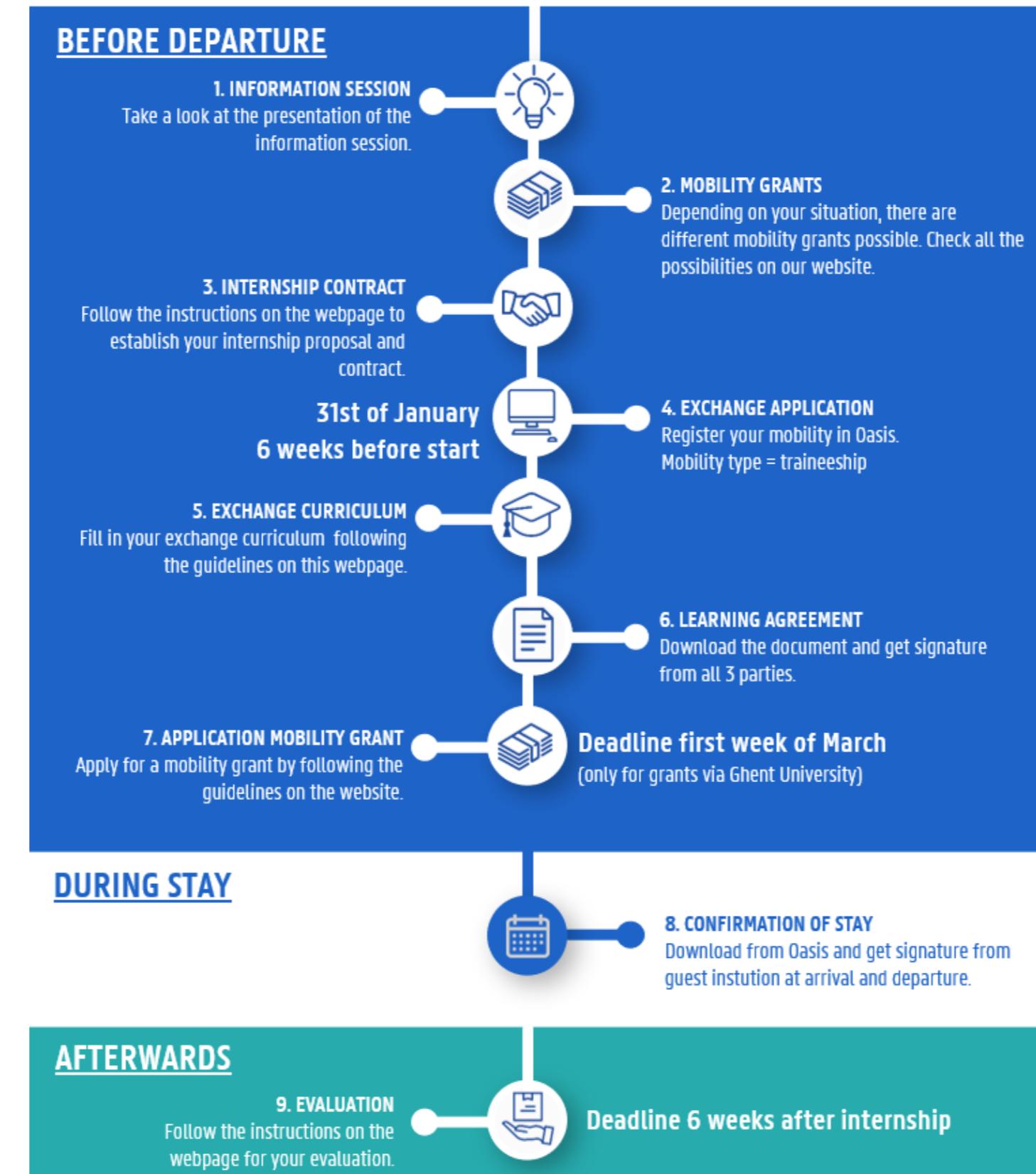
DURING STAY



AFTERWARDS



TIMELINE EXCHANGE INTERNSHIP



BEFORE DEPARTURE

1. INFORMATION SESSION

Take a look at the presentation of the information session.



3. INTERNSHIP CONTRACT

Follow the instructions on the webpage to establish your internship proposal and contract.



31st of January

6 weeks before start

5. EXCHANGE CURRICULUM

Fill in your exchange curriculum following the guidelines on this webpage.



7. APPLICATION MOBILITY GRANT

Apply for a mobility grant by following the guidelines on the website.



2. MOBILITY GRANTS

Depending on your situation, there are different mobility grants possible. Check all the possibilities on our website.



4. EXCHANGE APPLICATION

Register your mobility in Oasis.
Mobility type = traineeship

6. LEARNING AGREEMENT

Download the document and get signature from all 3 parties.



Deadline first week of March

(only for grants via Ghent University)

CHOOSING YOUR INTERNSHIP – HOW?

Through the
internship
coordinator

[Bio engineer](#)

[Industrial engineer](#)

Through an
internship
organisations

[Humasol – IAAS](#)

[IAESTE – AfD](#)

[AISEC](#)

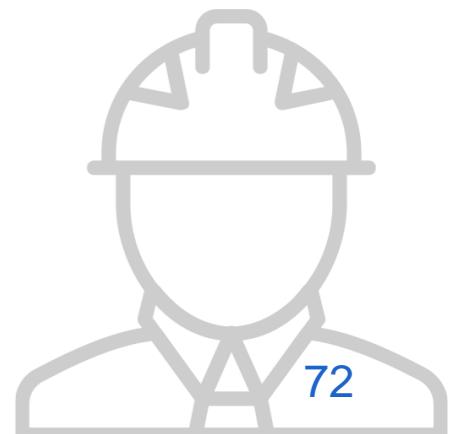
Searching for a
subject yourself

Through the list of
internships

[See list here](#)

International internships
are possible in academic
institutions

**Approval needed from
study program!**



CHOOSING INTERNSHIP – THINK ABOUT...



1. Language requirements in country

- Want to learn a new language? → UCT offers discounts! ([Check website](#))
 - Start in time!

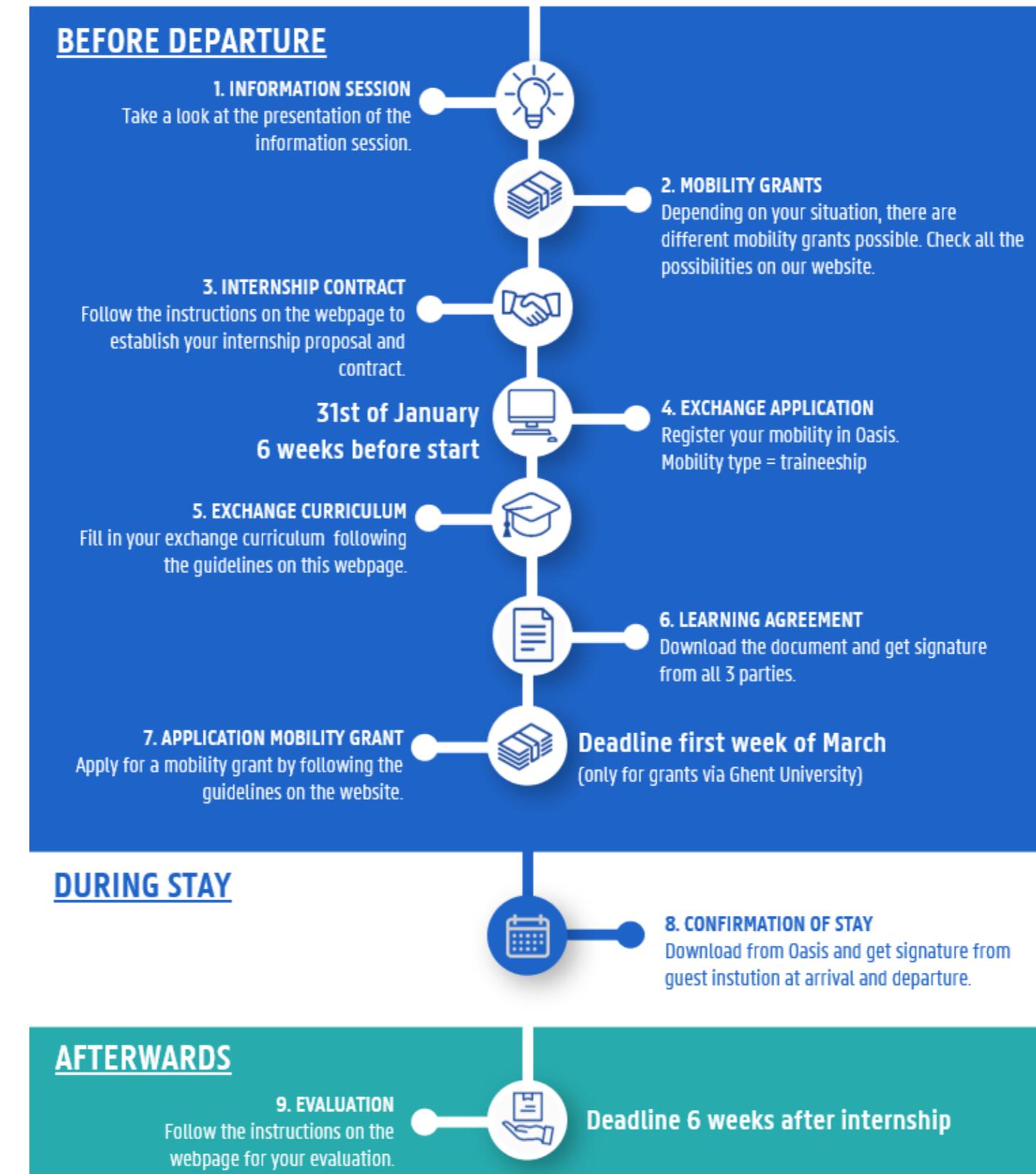
2. Period of internship

- Only possible during lesson-free periods (most chosen: summer period)

3. Timing of internship defense

- E.g.: internship in summer 2025 → defense in december 2025 → in curriculum for academic year 2025-2026!

TIMELINE EXCHANGE INTERNSHIP



BEFORE DEPARTURE

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Take a look at the presentation of the information session.



3. INTERNSHIP CONTRACT

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31st of January
6 weeks before start

5. EXCHANGE CURRICULUM

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2. MOBILITY GRANTS

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Mobility type = traineeship

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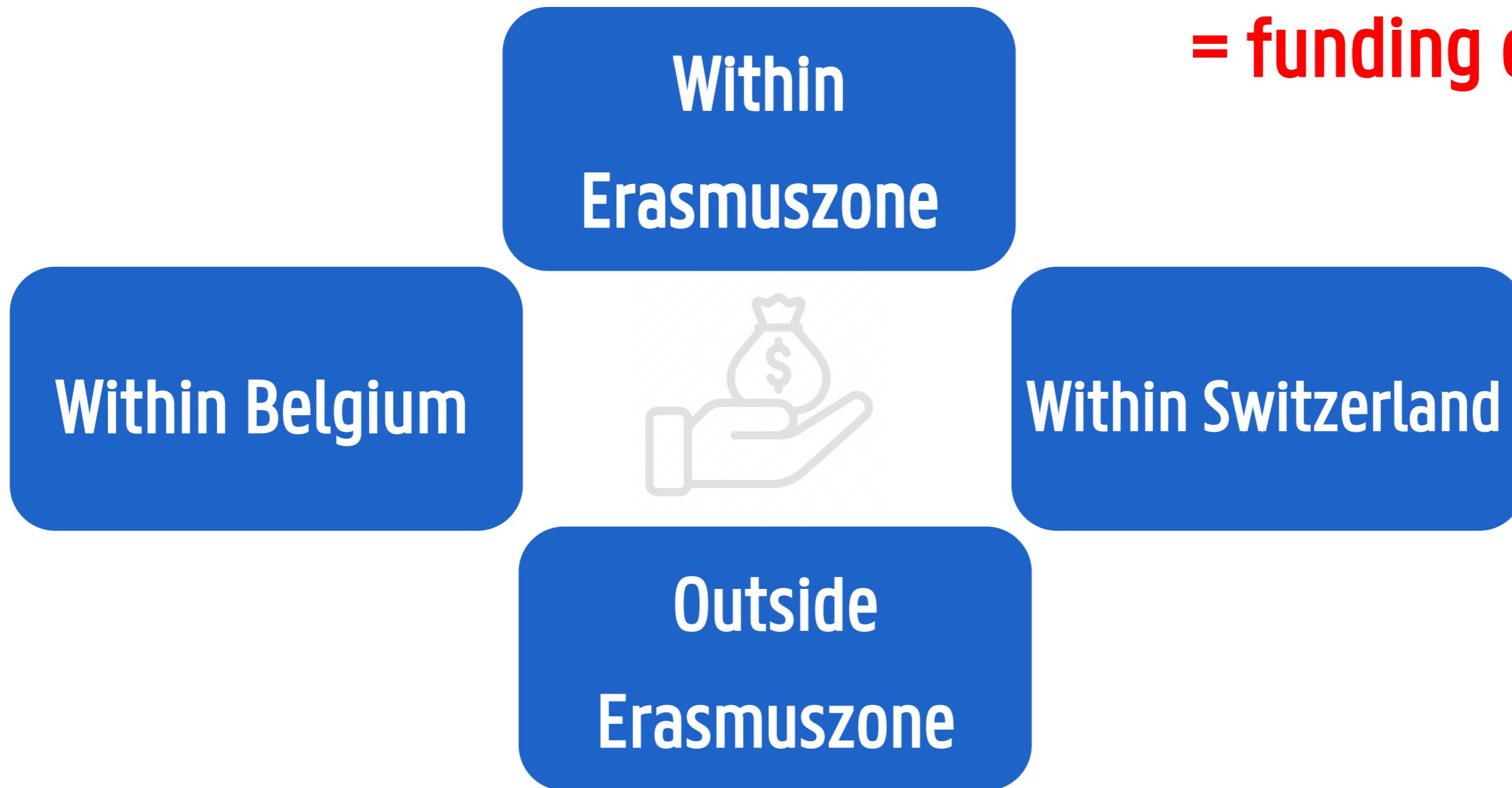
Deadline first week of March

(only for grants via Ghent University)

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

- You keep your study grant (if applicable)
- Extra financial support possible ([zie website AI](#))
 - Through UGent (agreement between partners)
 - External sources
- Questions on UGent grants => international@ugent.be !

FINANCIAL SUPPORT



= funding courses!

ERASMUS + TRAINEESHIP MONTHLY FEE



GROUP 1

Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Netherlands, Norway, Austria, Sweden

- €569/month for all other students
- €819/month for students with a Flemish scholarship

GROUP 2

Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Greece, Latvia, Malta, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia and Spain.

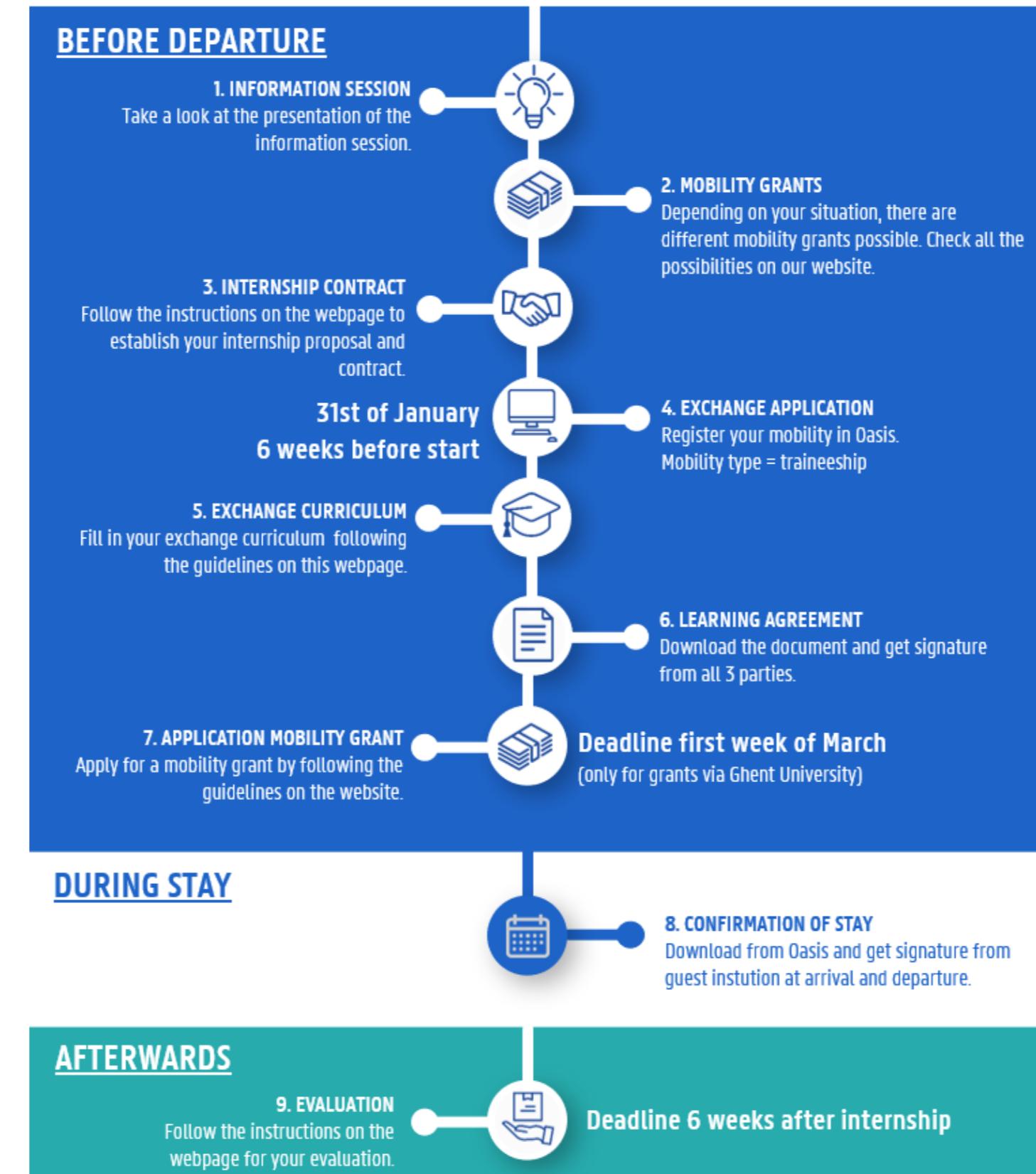
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GROUP 3

Bulgaria, Hungary, Croatia, Lithuania, North Macedonia, Poland, Romania, Serbia and Turkey.

- €519/month for all other students
- €769/month for students with a Flemish scholarship

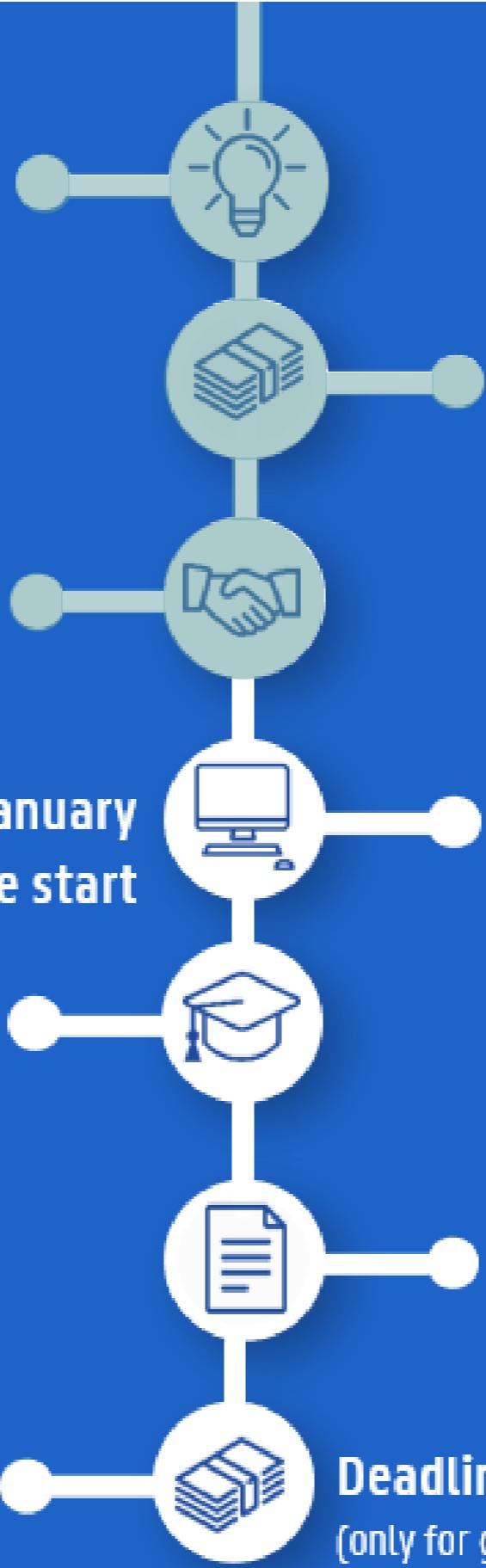
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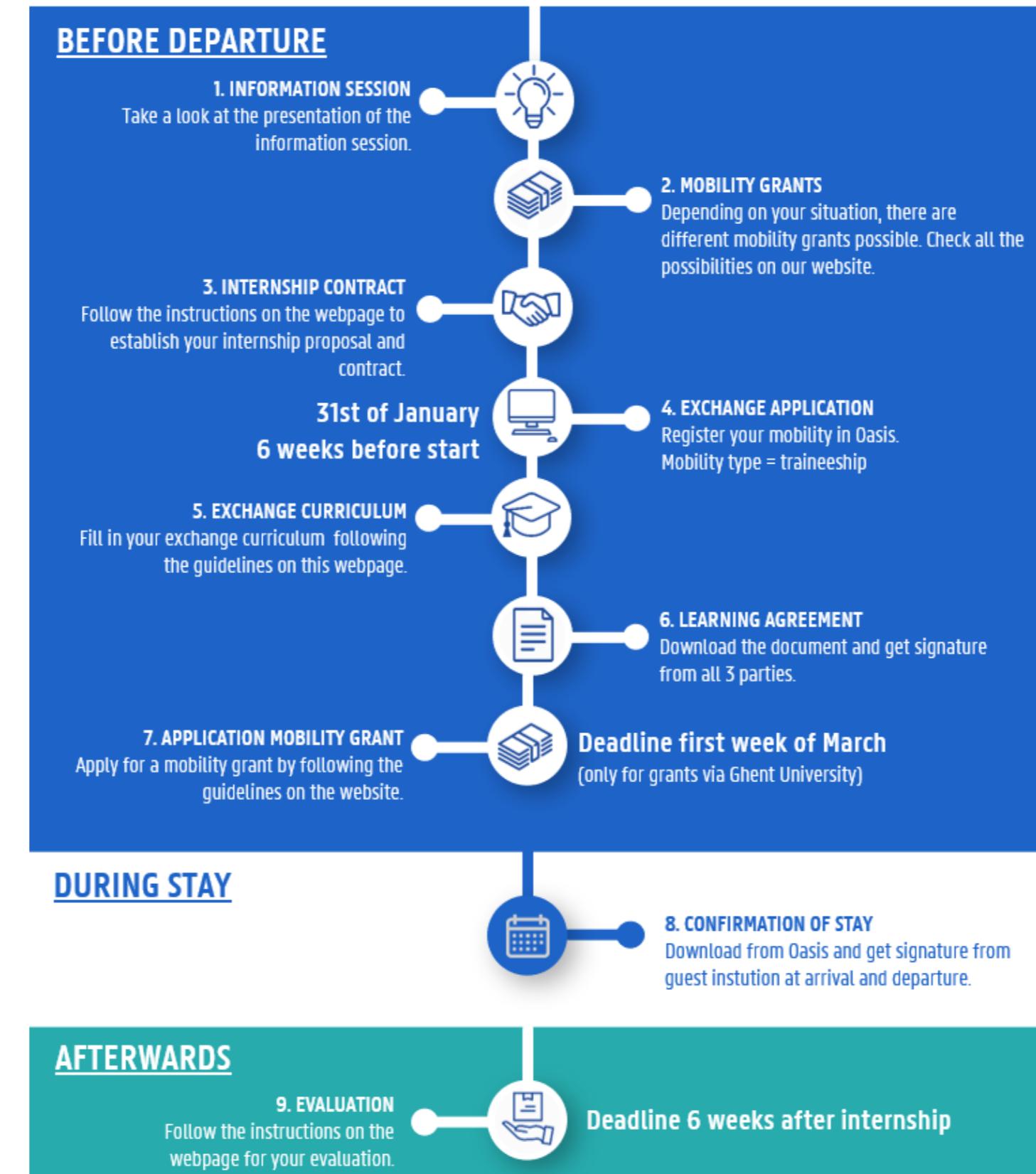
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INTERNSHIP CONTRACT

- Internship registration and contract
 - Get the internship approved by your programme
 - Send the approval to out.fbw@ugent.be
 - Complete the administration for the FSA
 - [Campus Coupure](#) (3-4-5)
 - [Campus Schoonmeersen](#) (3-4-5)



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How?

Via Oasis

From when?

15/11/2024

Deadline exchange
application

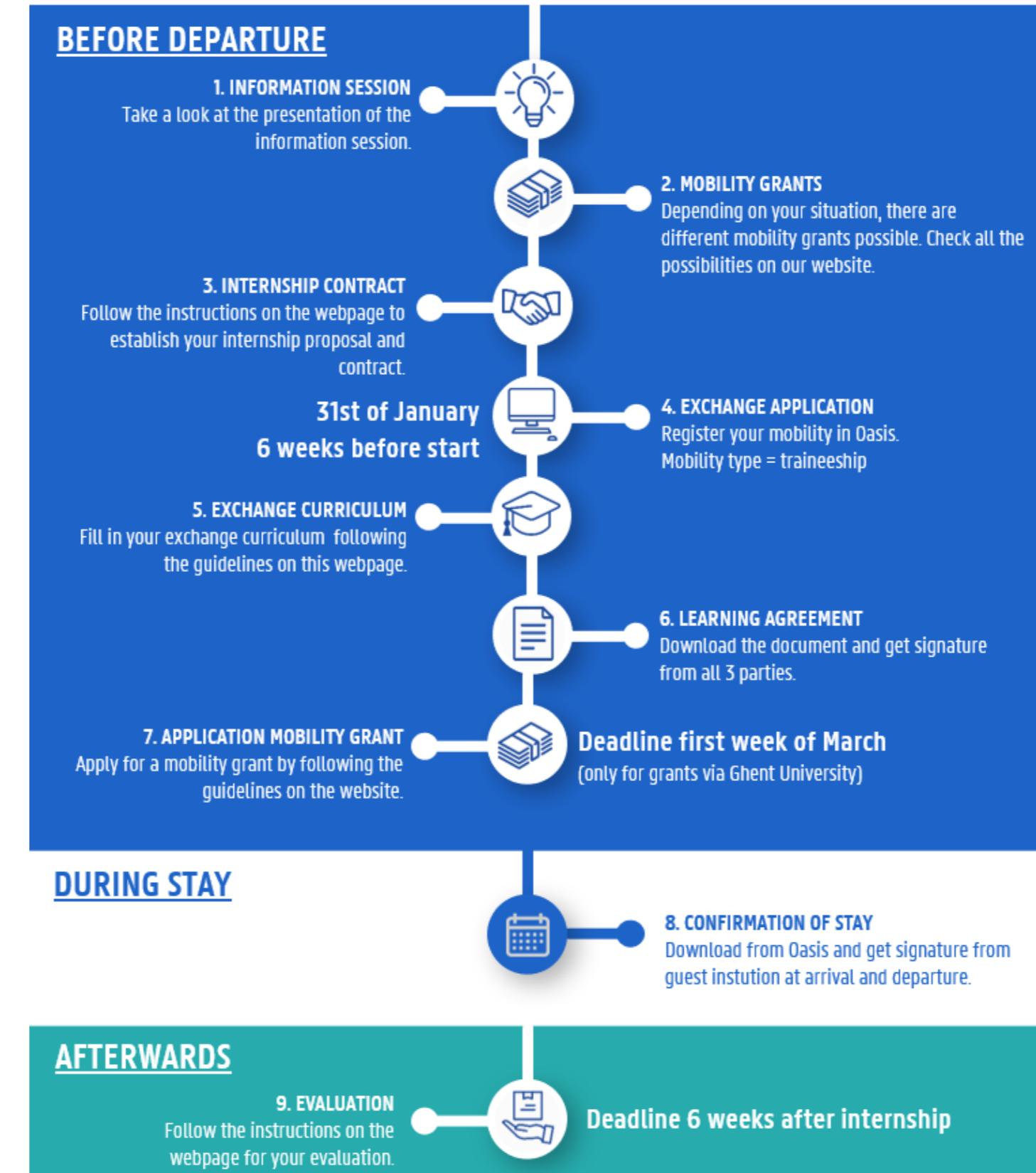
31/01/2025 (UGent grant)

Min. 6 weeks before departure

Practical information session on making exchange
application: 2 December 2024!

Announcement Uforasite 'Welcome abroad'

TIMELINE EXCHANGE INTERNSHIP

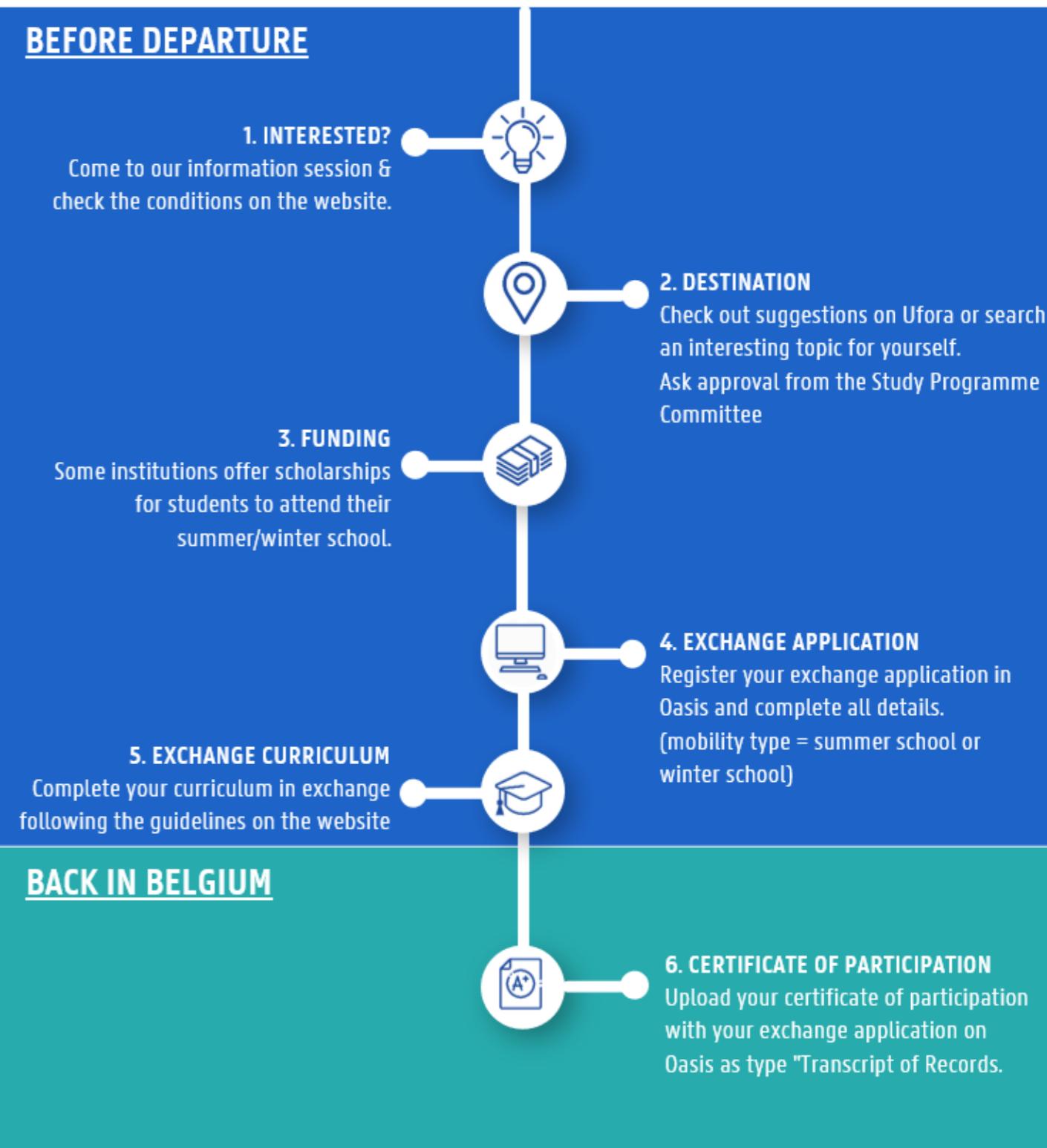




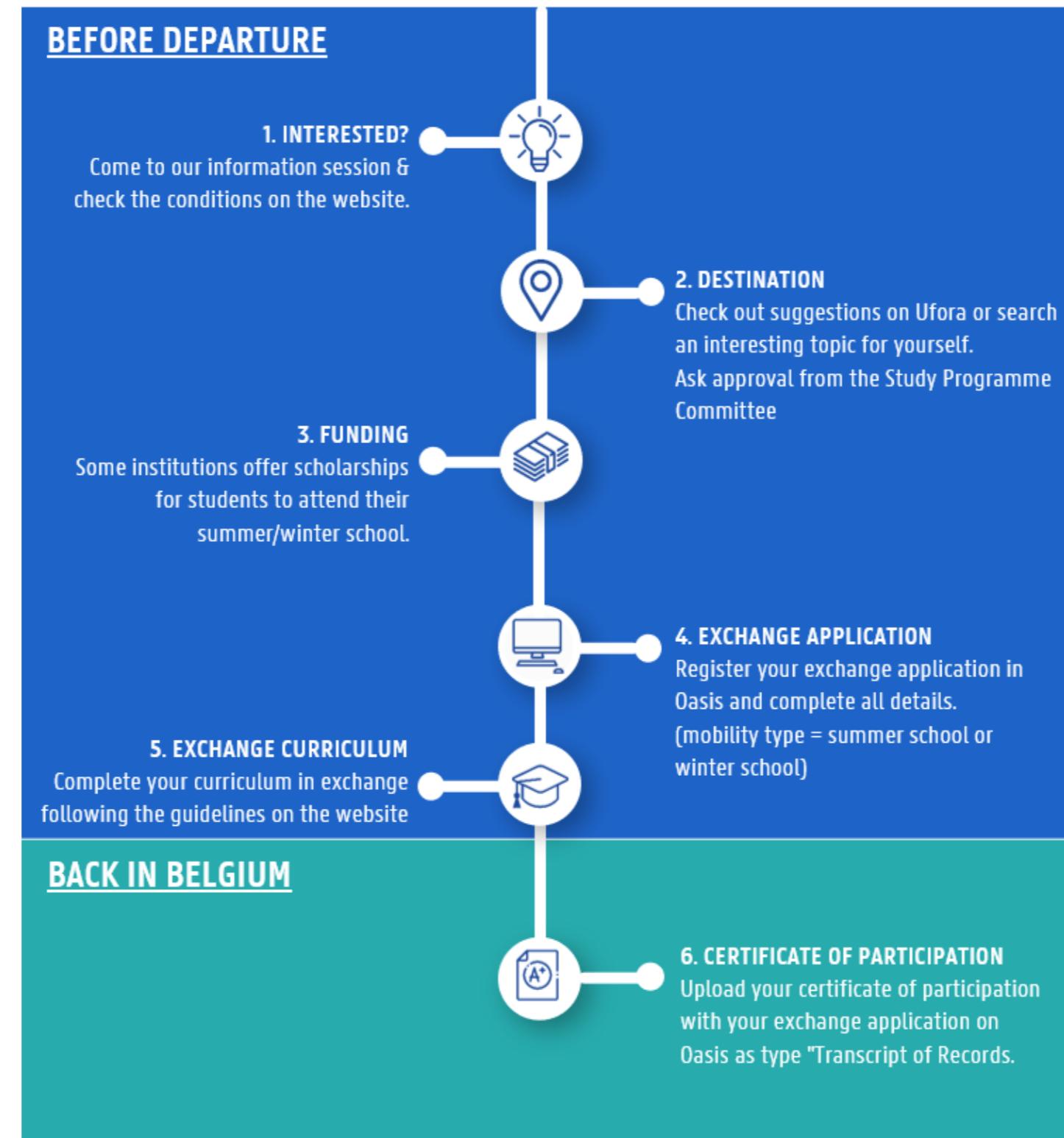
SUMMER SCHOOL AND BIP

TIMELINE

- All info on procedures and deadlines on [website](#)
- Only when taking it as a part of your curriculum!



TIMELINE EXCHANGE FOR SUMMER/WINTER SCHOOL



BEFORE DEPARTURE

1. INTERESTED?

Come to our information session & check the conditions on the website.



2. DESTINATION

Check out suggestions on Ufora or search an interesting topic for yourself.
Ask approval from the Study Programme Committee



3. FUNDING

Some institutions offer scholarships for students to attend their summer/winter school.



4. EXCHANGE APPLICATION

Register your exchange application in Oasis and complete all details.
(mobility type = summer school or winter school)



5. EXCHANGE CURRICULUM

Complete your curriculum in exchange following the guidelines on the website



SUMMER SCHOOLS AND BIPS

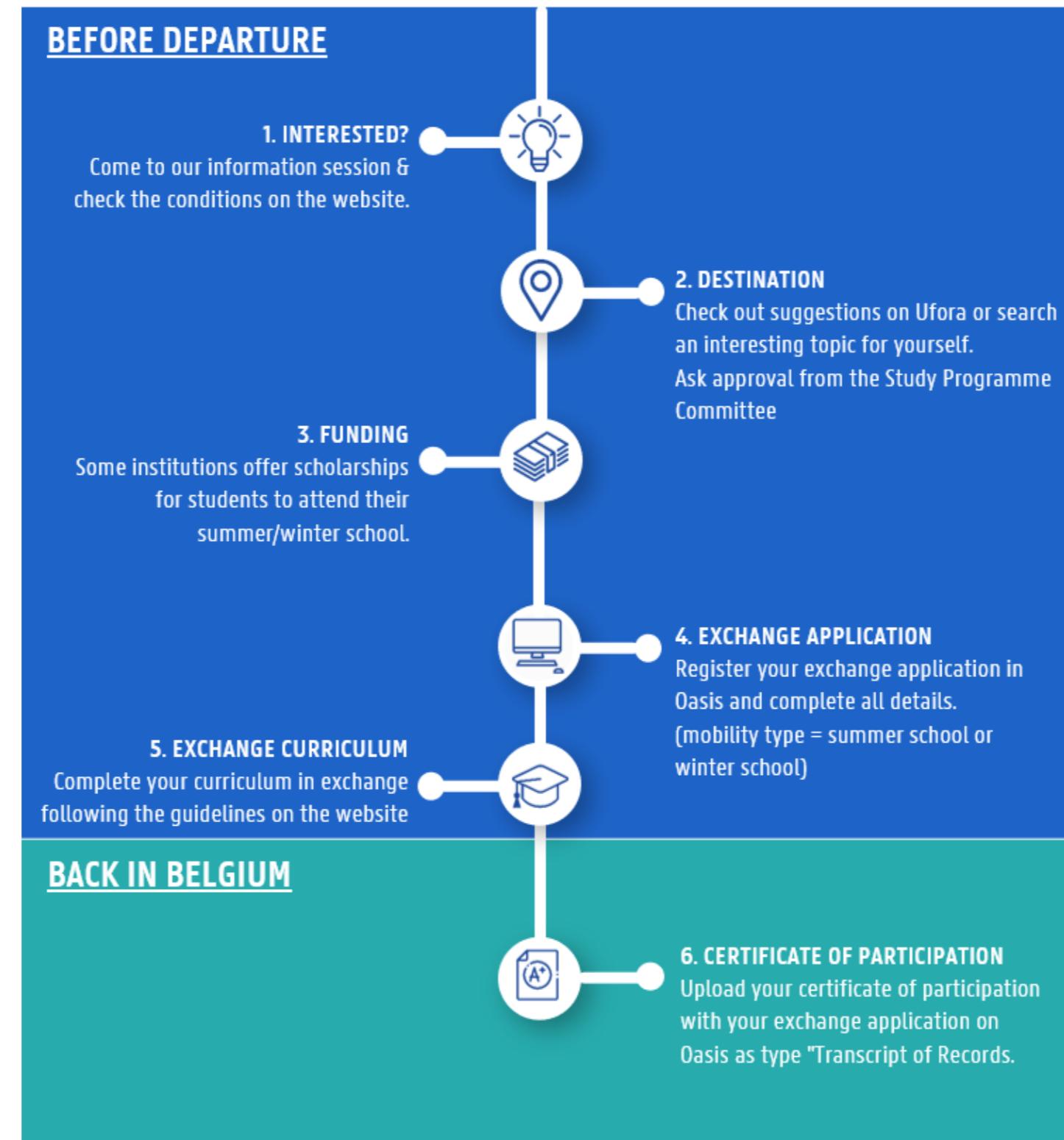
- **What's a summer school?**

- Short exchange where you follow a **FULL** course/project/module at partner institution
- As an elective course in curriculum
- Study programme decides for how many credits it counts in curriculum

SUMMER SCHOOLS AND BIPS

- **What's a BIP or Blended Intensive Programme?**
 - Programme (course, course unit, module) where you work with students and teachers from different institutions in a blended format (**online and physically**).
 - Exchange component : minimum 5 days, maximum 30 days
 - Study load: min. 3 credits = ECTS (physical + virtual component together)
 - final decision make by study programme!

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SUMMER SCHOOLS AND BIPS – HOW TO FIND ONE?

1. Announcements on [UFORA Welcome Abroad](#) (IX00014)
2. Through contact person internationalisation and/or teachers
3. Free to look for one yourself!

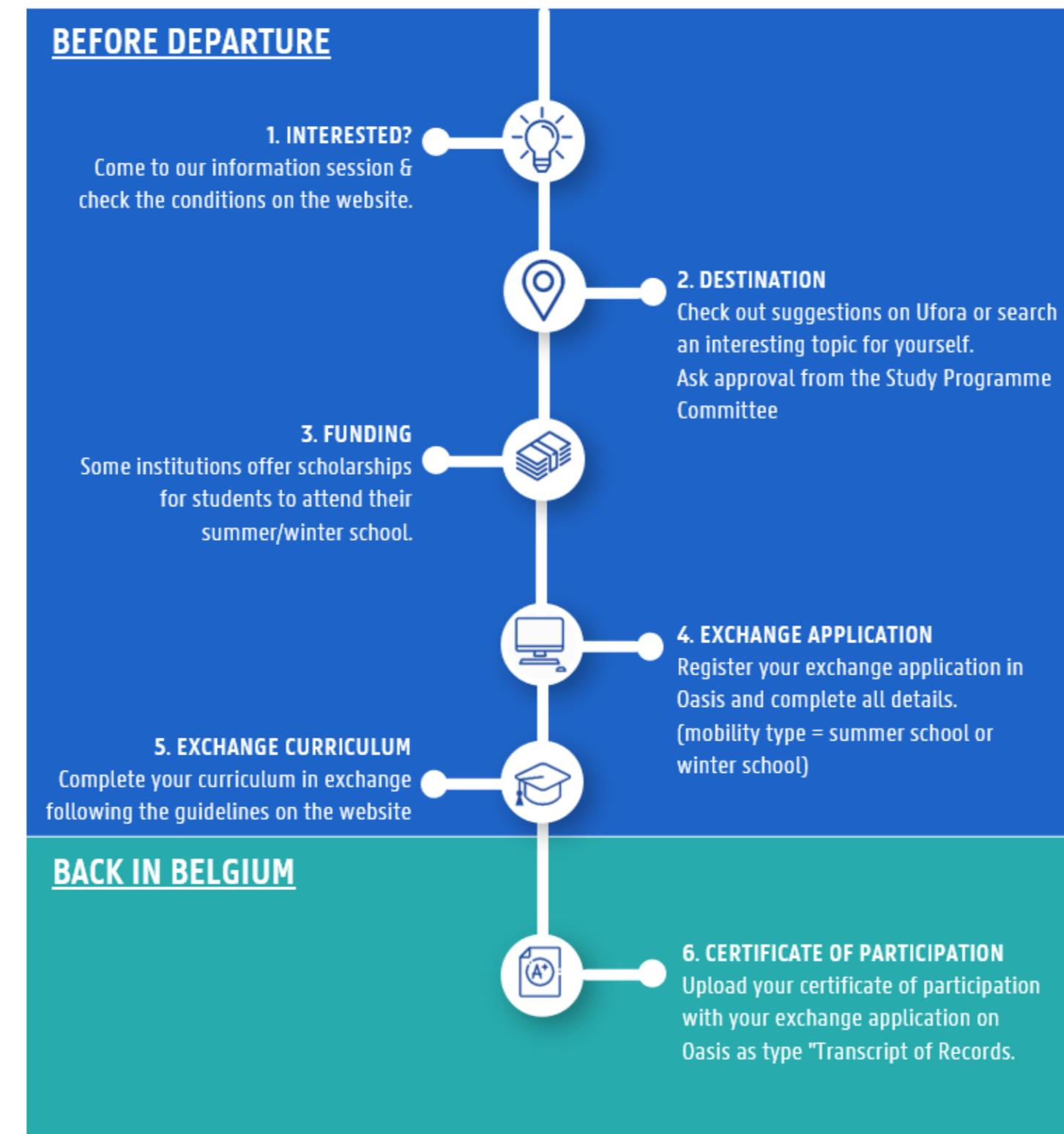
SUMMER SCHOOLS AND BIPS – KEEP IN MIND...

- Keep the following in mind:

- You can only validate a summer school / BIP as an elective during your master program
- You can only go on an exchange during lesson-free periods (check your [academic calendar](#)).

**IMPORTANT to get approval
from your study program!**

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FINANCIAL SUPPORT – SUMMER SCHOOLS

- Sometimes offered by partner institution (depends)
- Financial support from our Faculty:
 - Budget available for small number of students
 - Apply by mailing motivation, info regarding summer school and budget estimation to out.fbw@ugent.be

Deadline: 15 April 2025

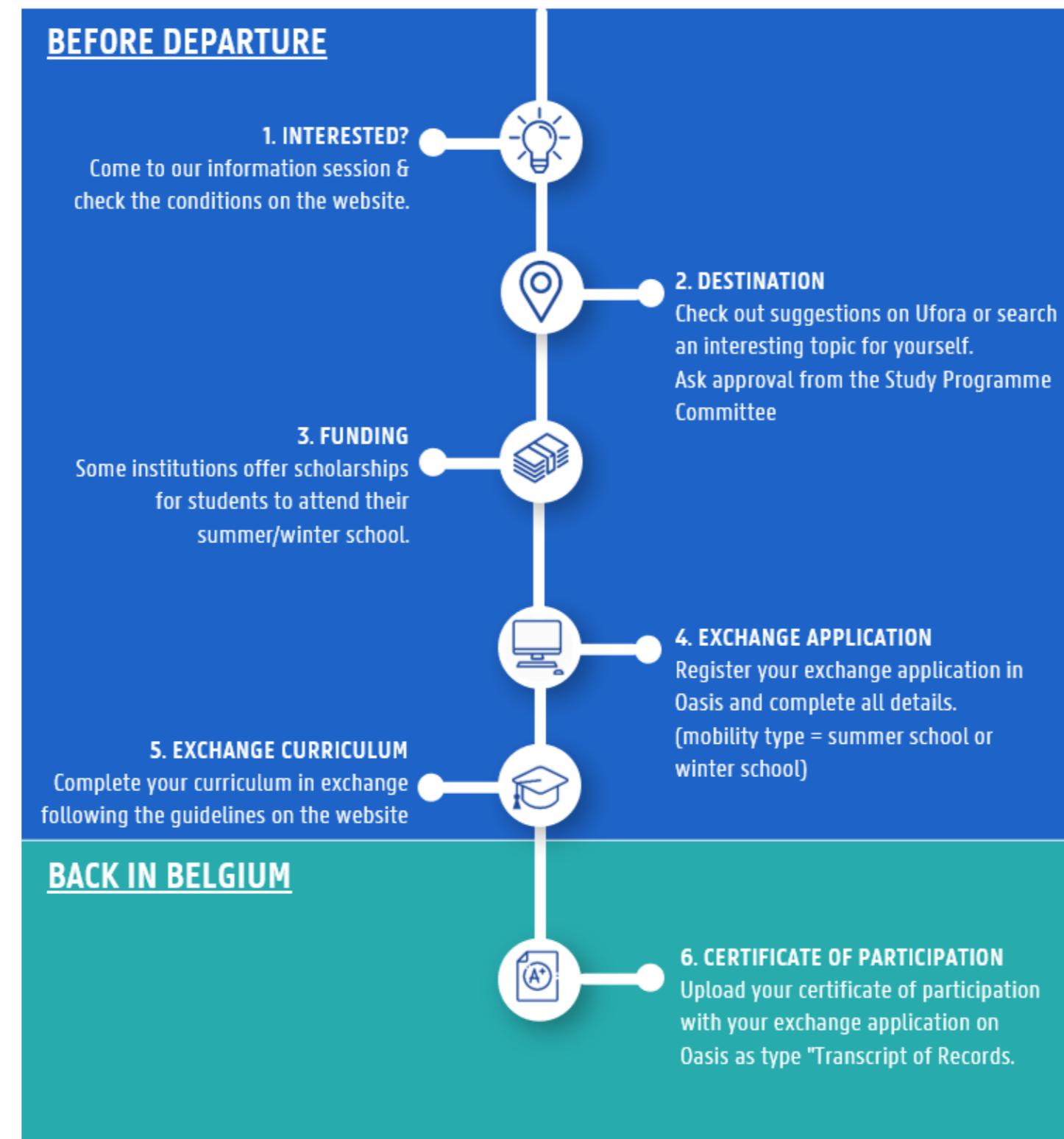
Reminder on Uforasite Welcome Abroad

FINANCIAL SUPPORT – BIPS

- Erasmus+ grant options:

- Exchanges for **5-14 days** → €70/day (student grant/work student: top up of €100)
- Exchanges for **15-30 days** → €50/day (student grant/work student: top up of €150)
 - Day before and after exchange are covered by this grant (don't need to register in Oasis)

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PRACTICAL TIPS

ACCOMMODATION

- Not arranged by Ghent University
- Often arranged by partner (bv. Student homes)
- E-mail us: we can give you contact info of previous exchange students (if permitted by student)
- **Start your search in time!**



INSURANCE

- Health insurance
- Accidental insurance
- Civil liability insurance
- Travel insurance

Check own fund
via UGent
via UGent
via UGent

!! Also think about possible extra insurance

Questions? verzekeringen@ugent.be



SAFETY AND HEALTH

- **Health**
 - [Web page FOD Foreign affairs](#)
 - [Travel clinic UZ Gent](#)
- **Safety**
 - [Reis wijs](#): brochure Foreign Affairs Belgium
 - [Travellersonline](#): Register your exchange abroad
 - Ghent University, [actueel@ugent.be](#)

!!! Do not purchase anything (for example plane tickets)
before Team Actueel gives you approval to go on exchange !!!



TRAVEL POLICY STUDENTS

In addition to an academic and administrative permit, students must also obtain a final travel permit after a check of the (security) situation in the country/region of destination. It looks at:



The overall safety situation (e.g. political situation, civil unrest, etc.)



The general health situation (e.g. Ebola, COVID-19,...)



Measures or events, resulting in major restrictions on freedom of movement (e.g. prolonged general strikes, lockdown, etc.)



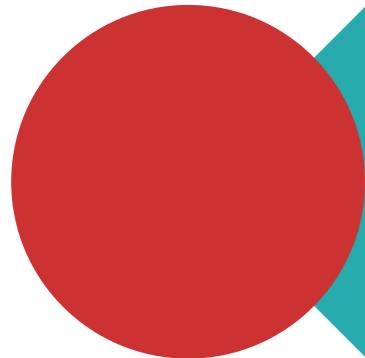
Access to a particular country/territory



The academic on-campus offer at partner institutions/internships (e.g. online classes only, university strikes, etc.)

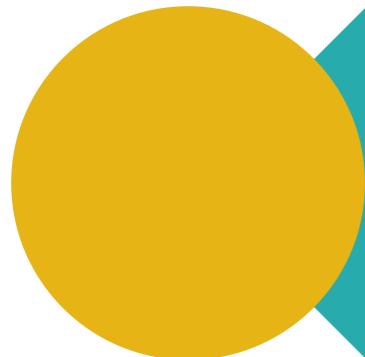
TRAVEL POLICY STUDENTS

3 possibilities:



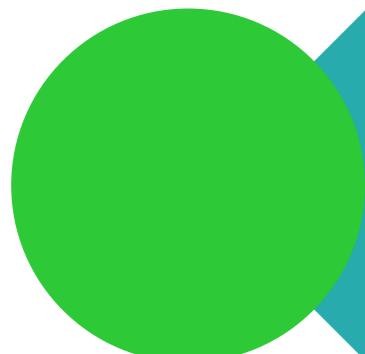
You are not allowed to leave

eg. To Russia, Ecuador



The situation may be unsafe = further action needed

eg. To South-Africa



You're allowed to leave

eg. To France

TRAVEL POLICY FOR STUDENTS AT GHENT UNIVERSITY

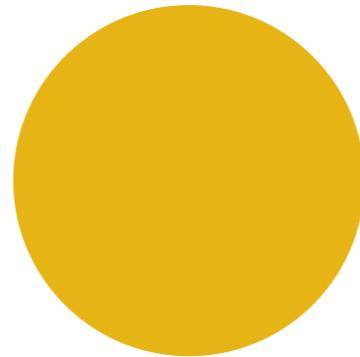
The security situation in a country can be unstable (for a short or longer period of time).

Therefore, be sure to check the travel advice of your Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Be sure to check the LGTBQ+ policy on site if it applies to you.

These formulations, among others, should already set off alarm bells: "security context volatile", "increased vigilance required", "non-essential travel discouraged". Ask yourself whether it is necessary to go to that destination on exchange or internship. If not, choose a safer destination now.

If so, prepare yourself well. Be sure to have a plan B up your sleeve.

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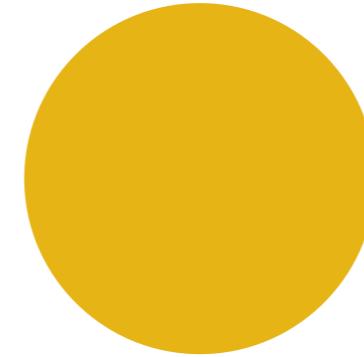


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Your study programme must demonstrate that the exchange/traineeship is necessary in that country/region

You must complete a Travel Risk Analysis Form 1 to 2 months before departure

TRAVEL POLICY FOR STUDENTS AT GHENT UNIVERSITY



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Advice March 2024:

Bolivia, Brazil, DR Congo (Kisangani), Cuba, Egypt, Philippines, Ghana, India, Kenya, Mexico, Mozambique, Nepal, Uganda, Peru, Senegal, Tanzania, Thailand, and South Africa.

Exchange ↔ Sustainability

Make it Count!

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

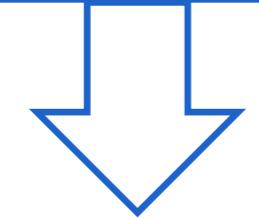


Traveling in a sustainable way?



Apply for Green Travel grant

How can I travel a sustainable way?



Check this UGhent site!

FLiXBUS

 railcc

 trainline

 ComparaBUS



TESTIMONIAL HUMASOL



PITCH – FRENCH PARTNERS



Lille Catholic University

JUNIA, School of Science and Engineering

Active pedagogy: learning-by-doing



Field trips
& site visits



Co-design
labs



Innovation
learning centers



Study tours
in Europe



Flipped classrooms
& serious games



Group projects supervised
by professionals

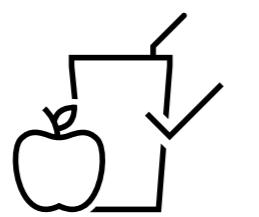
**JUNIA academic offer in Life Science:
4 MSc programmes taught in English
and many more in French**



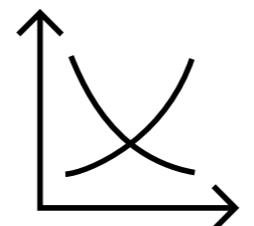
AGRICULTURE
Sustainable agriculture and
smart farming



ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE
Environmental pollution,
waste and water management



FOOD SCIENCE
Food quality and safety
Innovation and management
Nutrition & health



BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT
Marketing & management



8 000
international
students



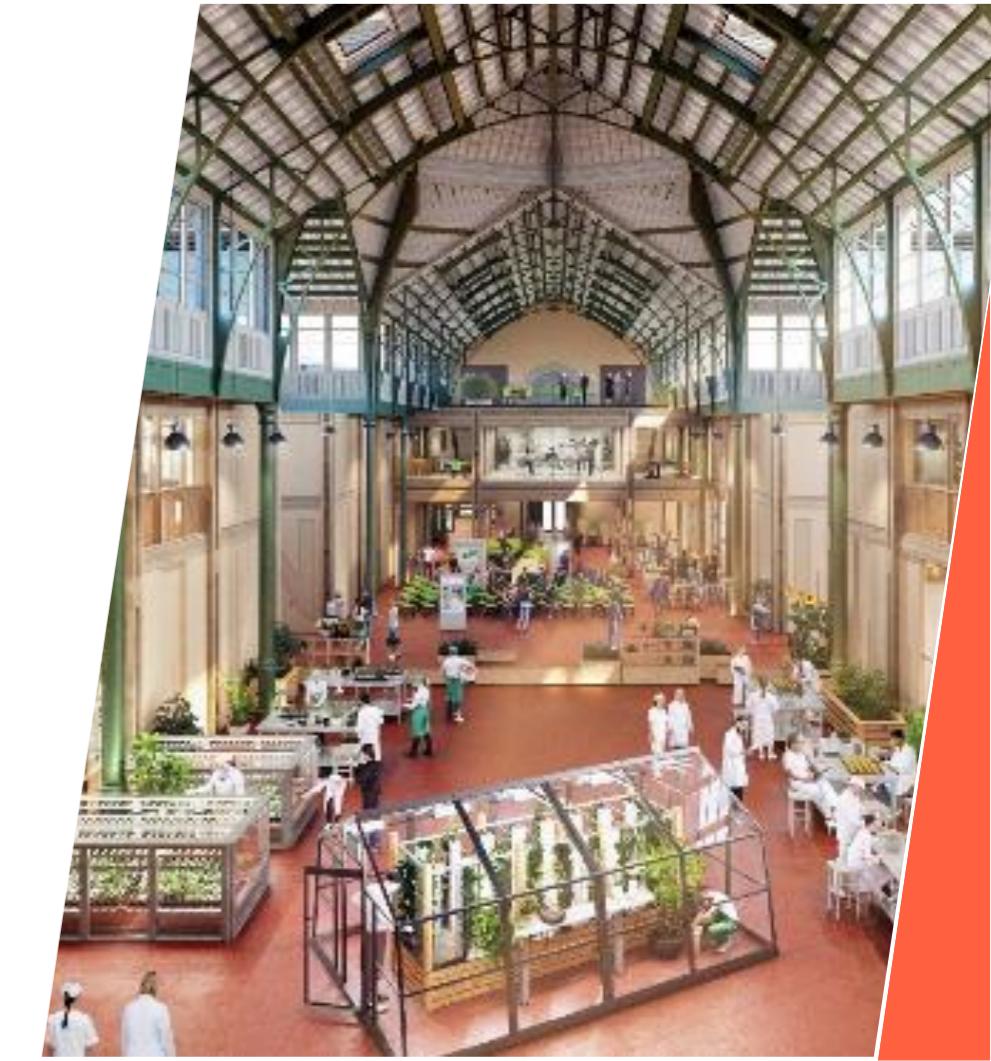
40 000
students



+ 250
Partner companies



300
Student
Associations



WELCOME TO UNILASALLE

- BIOTECHNOLOGIES – AGRONOMY - NATURAL RESOURCES - AGRO-ECOLOGY – GEOLOGY – AGRI-FOOD
- ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING – AGRO-INDUSTRIES – BIO-ECONOMY – NEW ENERGIES – FOOD & HEALTH – SOCIAL AND ETHICAL RESPONSIBILITY – DIGITAL – SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT –
- INDUSTRIAL ECOLOGY – ENTREPRENEURSHIP – INNOVATION ENERGY – DIGITAL TECHNOLOGY





PRES

ENTATION

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— 4 Campuses



BEAUVAIS

A multi-disciplinary campus specializing in earth, life, and environmental sciences. The Beauvais campus nestled in the countryside provides a genuine village atmosphere for 2,250 students and offers programs in geosciences, agronomy, and food and health.

2,250 students



ROUEN

A global-facing campus. The Rouen campus in the heart of the Mont-Saint-Aignan university site offers a full range of agronomy and food industry programs, including several courses in English.

600 students



RENNES

A campus specializing in environmental engineering. The Rennes site on the Ker Lann university campus provides an ideal setting in which to study environmental engineering, sustainable development, and the circular economy.

600 students



AMIENS

An urban campus for "industrial" engineers. The Amiens campus on the banks of the River Somme, just a stone's throw from the city center, hosts a general engineering program with an emphasis on energy and digital technology.

550 students

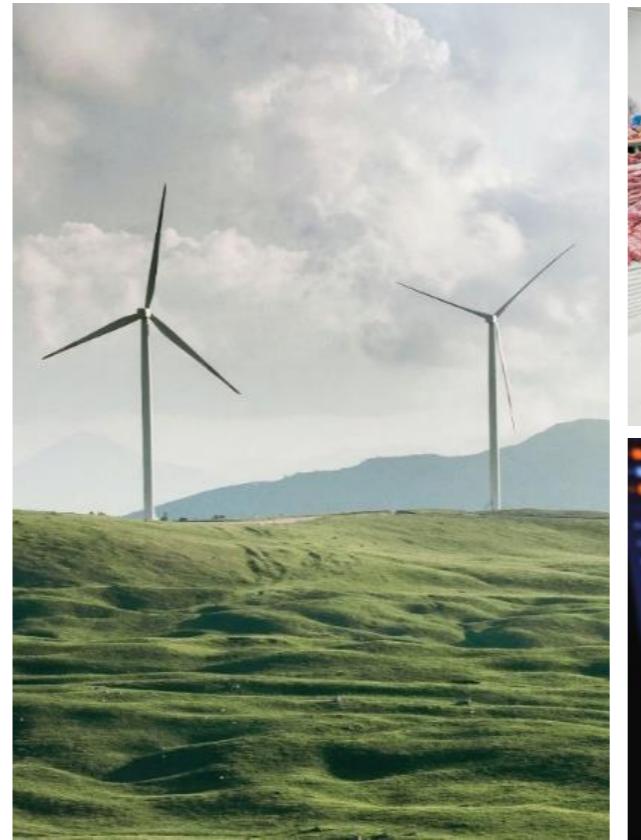
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— STRATEGIC BUSINESS UNITS

— VISION

- Educate professionals advocating for a responsible economy that is respectful of the environment and embraces inclusion in a bid to tackle poverty
- **Agronomy & Agro-industries**
- **Agro-food & Health**
- **Geosciences & Environment**
- **Environmental Engineering**
- **Veterinary Medicine**
- **Digital Sciences**
- **Energy**





LEARNING BY DOING

// PRESENTATION

Case studies | Field trips | Challenges | Projects | Experimentations



GéoLab
UniLaSalle

APPEX
UniLaSalle
APprendre
et EXplorer

AgriLab
UniLaSalle



RANKINGS

// PRESENTATION

– UniLaSalle in the rankings (France)



**7th out of 170 for
cooperation with
companies**
among Engineering Schools

*Palmarès de l'Etudiant
2024*



**Graded 8,44/10 by the
label Happy at School**
Happy at School 2024



Bienvenue en France
UniLaSalle is ranked 3 stars,
this is the top 1% of French
Higher Education institutions
Campus France 2024



**THANK YOU
FOR YOUR
ATTENTION**



TOULOUSE
INP Ensat
L'AgroToulouse

L'ECOLE NATIONALE SUPÉRIEURE
AGRONOMIQUE DE TOULOUSE

EIT

Graduate School of Agricultural,
Environmental and Life Sciences

TOULOUSE Tech

Université
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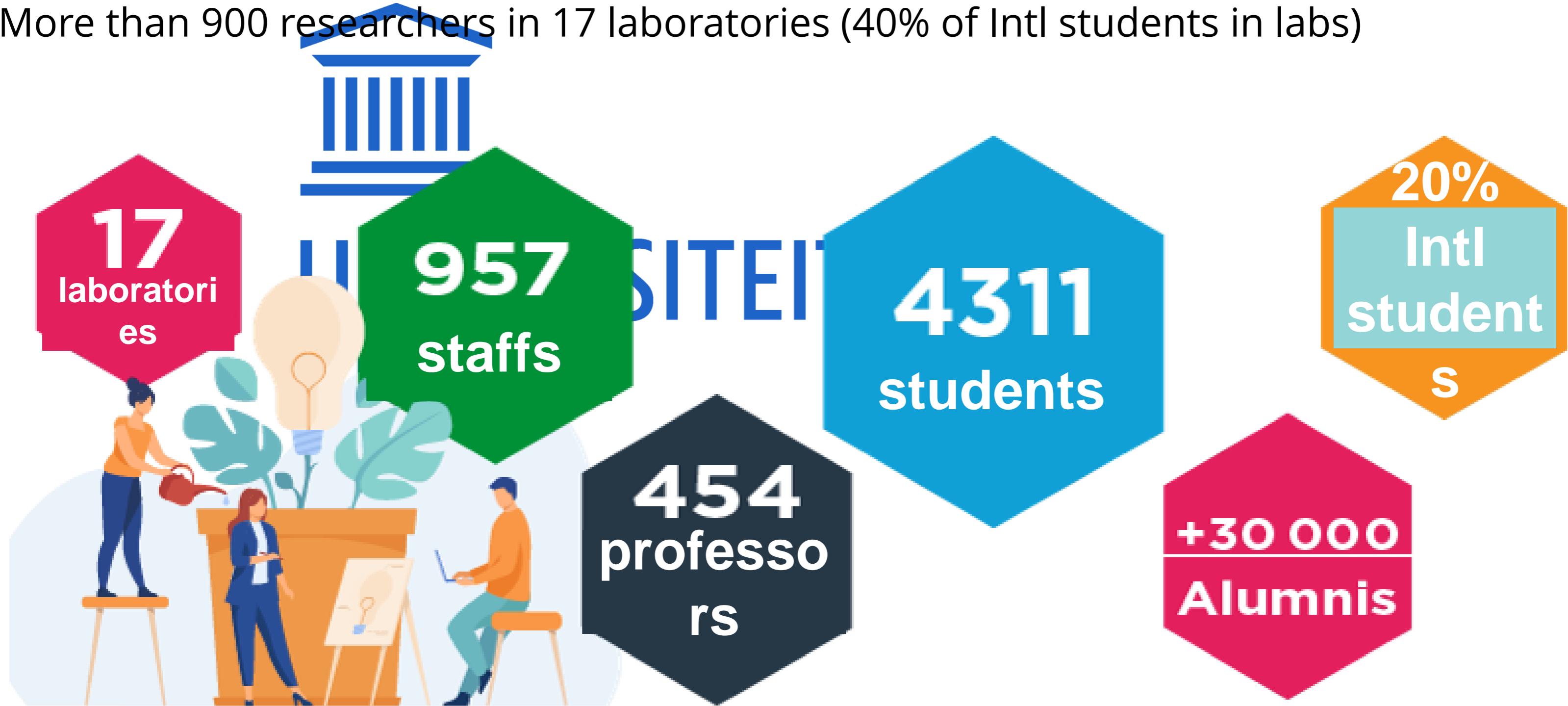
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ENSAT AND TOULOUSE INP



2nd French University for Applied Research

More than 900 researchers in 17 laboratories (40% of Intl students in labs)



MAIN RESEARCH TOPICS



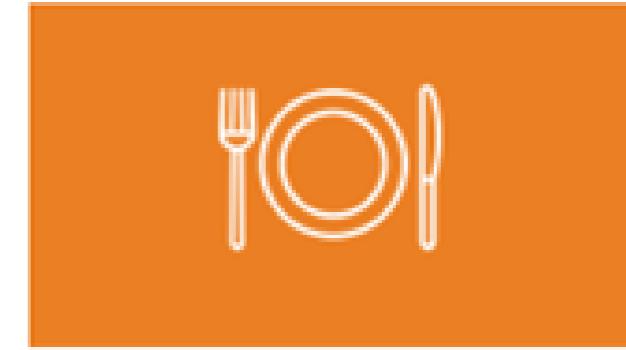
Plant biotechnologies



Sustainable animal sciences



Agroecology



Food technologies



Agrogeomatics



Environmental engineering



Management of
environment and natural
resources



Sustainable development



Big data for Biosciences



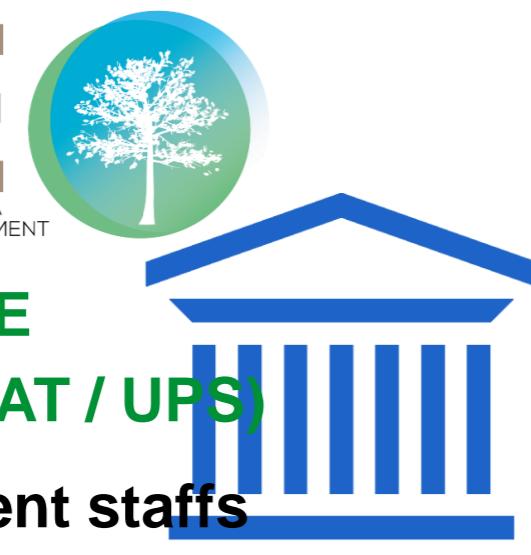
Agromangement

RESEARCH AT ENSAT



CRBE
(CNRS / ENSAT / UPS)

250 permanent staffs
Ecology, GHGs, pollution,
impact of pollutions,
adaptation to global changes



LRSV
(CNRS / ENSAT)

90 permanent staffs
Research in plant sciences
(biotechnology, plant breeding, plant
signaling, microorganisms-plant
interactions...)

UNIVERSITÉ

GENT



Dynafor
(INRAE / ENSAT)

50 permanent staffs
Agri-forestry landscapes,
ecology, management, policy

GenPhySE

(INRAE / ENSAT / ENVT)

120 permanent staffs
Livestock genetic, breeding,
physiology and farming
systems



LGC
(CNRS / ENSAT / A7 / UPS)

250 permanent staffs
Chemical engineering,
microbiology, water
treatments, bioprocess,
bioenergy



LCA
(CNRS / ENSAT / A7 / UPS)

150 permanent staffs
Food technology,
biotechnologies for biomass
treatment, biopolymers, LCA

TOULOUSE METROPOLE



4th largest city in France (810 000 inhabitants)

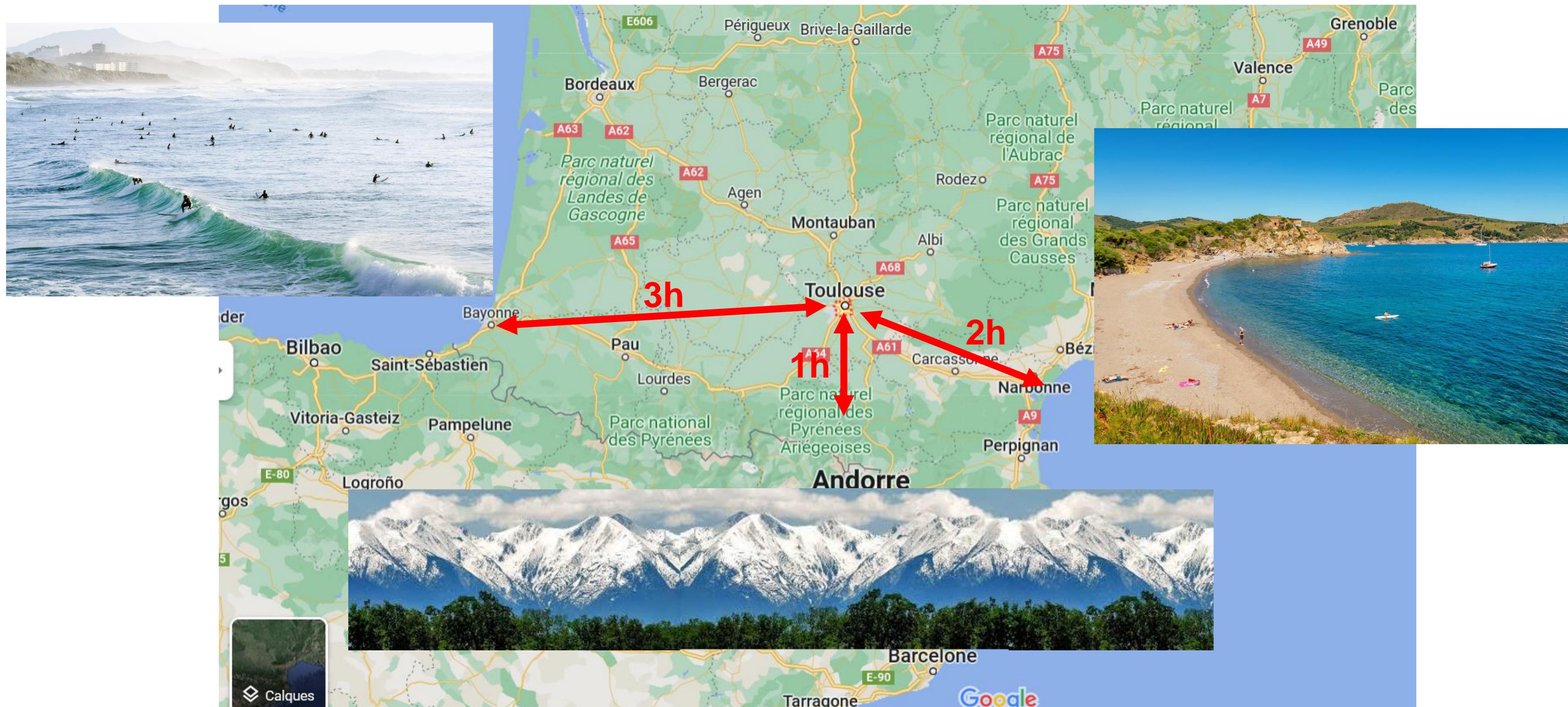


Very dynamic city

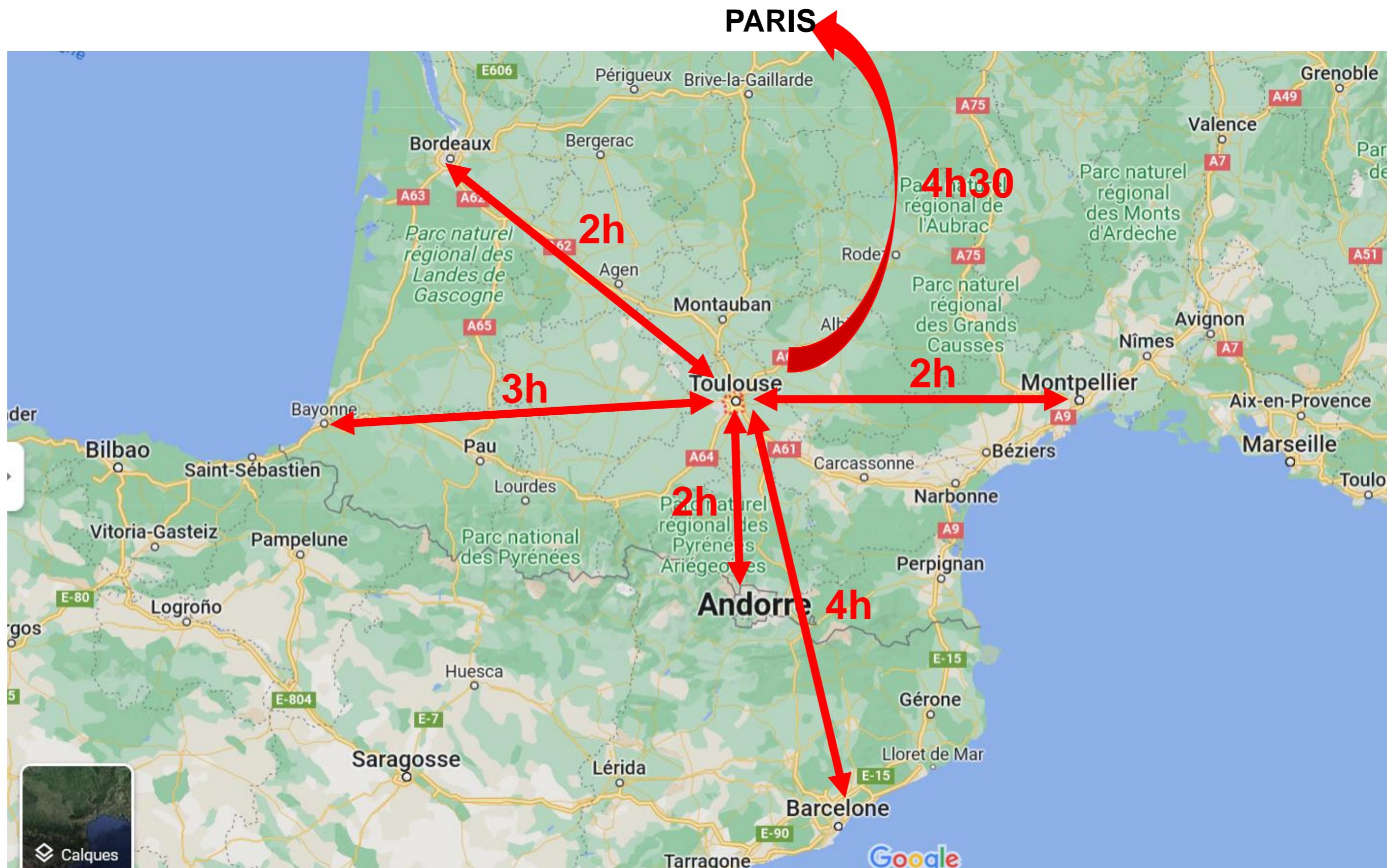
3rd-4th student city: 140 000 students



TOULOUSE: SOUTH OF FRANCE EXPERIENCE



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Toulouse, best student city in France

Education, job opportunities, life environment, food, vivid student life...





L'INSTITUT
agro

The French Institute for
Agriculture, Food
and the **Environment**



CURRENT MEMBERS

A perfect geographic setup

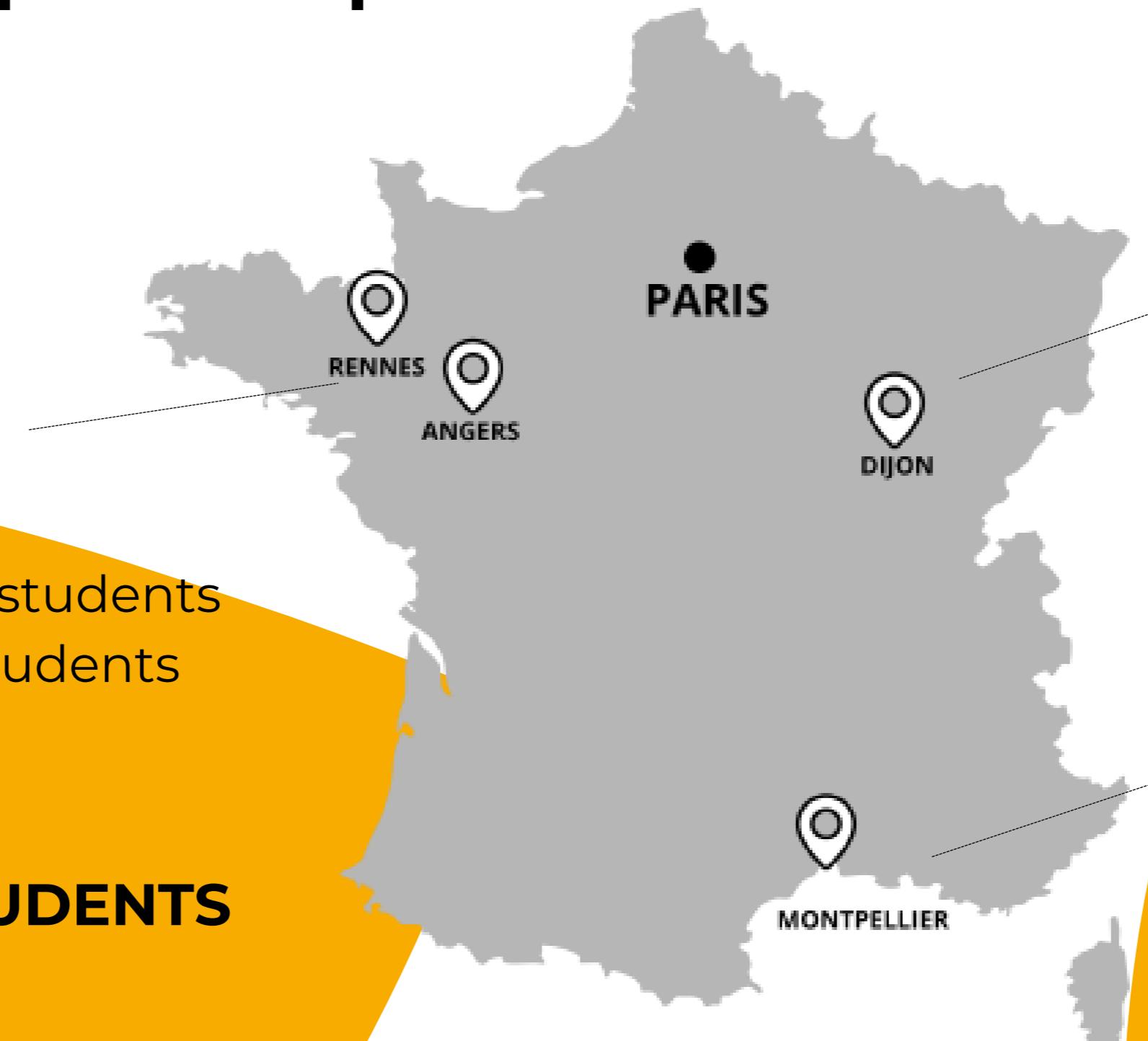


Rennes campus : 1 500 students
Angers campus : 500 students



4,700 STUDENTS

13% INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS



1 000 students



1 700 students



DIJON : a gastronomic destination

158 000 inhabitants

90 minutes away from Paris (high speed train)

Capital city of Burgundy : “City of art and history”, food and wine capital and gourmet city, international food and wine center, protected area covering 97 hectares on the UNESCO World Heritage list with the Climates of Burgundy’s vineyard





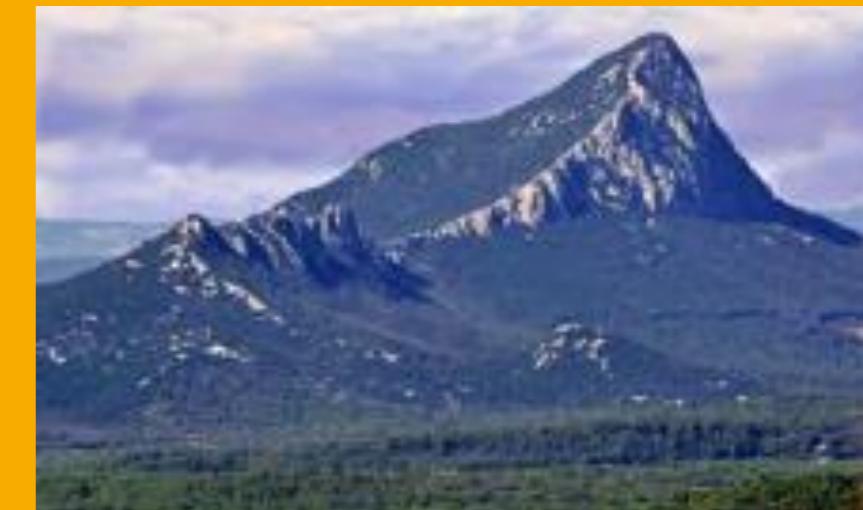
- ✓ Located in eastern France
- ✓ Specific fields of study and research :
 - Nutrition
 - Consumer taste science
 - Engineering sciences and processing
 - Economic and social sciences

MONTPELLIER : a Mediterranean city

295 000 inhabitants

A few kilometers away from the beach

Situated in the Occitania region : Roman architecture, modern and traditional food & wine, Mediterranean biodiversity hotspot, mountains nearby





- ✓ Located in the south of France : 2 campuses in **Montpellier** and **Florac**
- ✓ Member of Agropolis international, a world-class scientific pole in agronomy, food and environment which gathers higher education and research institutions in Montpellier.
- ✓ Has established itself on emblematic and identity-related themes among which:
 - Vine & wine
 - Sustainable food systems
 - Innovation and entrepreneurship
 - Sustainable development in developing countries

RENNES : A nice, dynamic and festive student city

220 000 inhabitants

90 minutes away from Paris (high speed train)

Situated in Brittany : strong cultural identity (music, dance, culinary specialties), costal landscapes 30 min away

Top national ranking as a student city (Rank 2 in 2024)





ANGERS : A pleasant and attractive student city

155 000 inhabitants

90 minutes away from Paris (high speed train)

Situated in the Loire Valley : castles, river landscapes, culinary specialties, Vegepolys Valley

Top national green city (Rank 1 in 2023)





- ✓ Located in western France : 2 campuses in **Rennes** and **Angers**
- ✓ Anchored in the largest agricultural, maritime and food basin in Europe
- ✓ Historically recognized for its Education and Research in the fields of :
 - Animal Science
 - Food Science
 - Fisheries
 - Horticulture
 - Landscape Architecture and Landscape Planning

OPPORTUNITIES FOR INCOMING STUDENTS



DATA MANAGER FOR
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE



MICROBIOLOGY AND
PHYSICOCHEMISTRY FOR
FOOD AND WINE
PROCESSES



SUSTAINABLE FOOD FORMULATION



VINIFERA



AGROECOLOGY



TRANSITIONS IN
ENVIRONMENTAL AND
AGRIFOOD SYSTEMS
MANAGEMENT



PLANT SCIENCE



SEEDS & PLANT
PROPAGATION



JUNIOR RESEARCH
LAB



PHYSIOLOGICAL AND
PSYCHOLOGICAL FOOD
CHOICE DETERMINANTS

+ FLOW Summer
school

OPPORTUNITIES FOR INCOMING STUDENTS



CROP SCIENCE



DATA SCIENCE



AGROECOLOGY



**LANDSCAPE
ARCHITECTURE**



BIOTECHNOLOGY



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