2021 EMJMD General Information on SELF-FUNDING APPLICATION SCHEME

Neurasmus Programme welcome each year a max number of 20 students.

Access to the Neurasmus Programme is a competitive process with only a limited number of places offered even under the self-funding scheme.

Admission and Selection criteria

Any submitted application under a self-funding scheme will be revised and debated by the Neurasmus Selection Committee, considering the academic selection criteria set for scholarship-holders. The academic level of Non-scholarship holders must match the level of the selected applicants who applied for a scholarship. The selection criteria include previous academic qualifications, references, language skills and motivation.

A non-scholarship holder may thus be offered a position in the Neurasmus Programme, on the conditions that:

- He/she fulfil the Neurasmus admission criteria;
- His/her ranking among the candidates allows him/her to obtain a place in one Neurasmus partner university;
- He/she has adequate financial support.
 - Self-funded candidates understand that they will have to pay the Neurasmus participation costs and they can expect no financial assistance from the Erasmus Mundus Programme. Neurasmus participation costs do not cover any living or travel expense.
 - In case of sponsorship or application to external scholarship Programmes, self-funded candidates will be required to provide the Board of Education with a proof of Sponsorship sustainability or a proof of acceptation to any other scholarship before the Neurasmus Programme starts.

Candidates who applied for an Erasmus Mundus scholarship, but obtained a position on the Reserve List, are authorized to apply under a self-funding scheme. The decision to apply as self-funded student will not affect their position on the reserve list, on the condition that if the Neurasmus Programme finally offers them an Erasmus Mundus scholarship, they need to cancel any other EU Community scholarship applications.

A main list and a reserve list of potential self-funded candidates will be established by the end of March 2021.

Final eligibility of self-funded applicants will also depend on their graduation.

Provisional costs

The Neurasmus Programme welcomes applications from self-funded (both European and non-European) students who are aware of the study costs of the programme. All applicants are recommended to search alternative funding sources from their governments, NGOs, employers or other sponsors. Students without Erasmus Mundus scholarships must be able to cover studying and living costs.

A student may be accepted and enrolled in the Neurasmus Programme, provided that he/she duly pays Neurasmus participation costs each year. As such, he/she is entitled to the following support and services:

- access to the Neurasmus welcome days,
- access to all Neurasmus courses and workshops delivered under his/her Study Track and Personal Training Plan,
- assistance from the student services of the partner universities in accordance with regulations of student services,
- use of libraries in accordance with library regulations of the partner universities,
- use of information technology infrastructures in accordance with the specific regulations of the partner universities,
- educational support through any of the learning environments at the partner universities,
- access to extra curriculum activities organized within the Neurasmus Programme,
- and insurance coverage.

Reminder.

Partner country¹ EMJMD participation costs: 9000€/year, i.e 18 000€ for the entire Study Programme. Programme country² EMJMD participation costs: 4500€/year, i.e 9 000€ for the entire Study Programme.

- ¹ Third country applicants who are not residents nor have carried out their main activity (studies, work, etc.) for more than a total of 12 months over the last five years in EU/EEA countries.
- ² EU/EEA applicants or any other applicants who do not fulfil the Partner country criteria defined above.

The student him/herself is responsible for covering the following cost items:

- travel from and to the country of his/her origin,
- travels between the home and host universities,
- passport, visa and residence permit,
- accommodation,
- living costs,
- local transportation,
- study materials (books...),
- etc.

On a monthly basis :	Amsterdam	Berlin	Bordeaux	Göttingen	Québec
Accommodation (private market)	500 – 700€	300– 500€	300– 600€	300– 500€	400-800 C\$
Public transportation ³	30 – 130€	55 – 135€	30€	30-40€	50-90 C\$

³In some partner universities, the student ID is used as public transportation ticket. In that case, you do not need to pay a regular ticket