



**AGREEMENT FOR BACHELOR'S DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAM
BETWEEN
KAAKKOIS-SUOMEN AMMATTIKORKEAKOULU,
SOUTH-EASTERN FINLAND UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES (FINLAND)
AND
HOCHSCHULE STRALSUND, UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES (GERMANY)**

On behalf of Kaakkois-Suomen Ammattikorkeakoulu, South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences (hereinafter referred to as "XAMK"), carrying out its educational activities in accordance with the license No OKM3/533/2016 issued on 15.12.2016 by Ministry of Education and Culture of Finland, represented by President Dr. Heikki Saastamoinen

AND

On behalf of Hochschule Stralsund, Stralsund University of Applied Sciences (hereinafter referred to as "HOST"), carrying out its educational activities in accordance with "Verordnung published in GVOB1. M-V S. 190" issued 02.07.1991, represented by Rector Prof. Dr. Petra Maier have signed the Agreement on cooperation within the framework of double degree programs.

1. SCOPE OF THE AGREEMENT

- 1.1. This agreement determines the code of cooperation between XAMK and HOST within the framework of double degree programs.
- 1.2. It is intended that all teaching and assessment related to these degree programs is conducted in English.
- 1.3. This agreement is supplemented with detailed appendices, which include information on the degree programs in question, admission procedures, detailed curriculums and other matters concerning the relevant study and living arrangements. The appendices shall be approved and signed by the authorized representatives of both parties and remain valid until replaced by a newer version.

2. DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAM

- 2.1. Students of both Institutions are eligible to participate in double degree programs. To qualify for a double degree, a student must fulfill the requirements listed in the Appendices.
- 2.2. Regular student exchange between the contracting Parties is carried out in accordance with the Erasmus Plus Bilateral agreement, unless otherwise defined in appendices.
- 2.3. In both Institutions, the workload is 30 ECTS per semester, which comprises lectures, assignments, group work, virtual learning and independent studies.

3. STUDENT STATUS

- 3.1 The participating students from both institutions (hereinafter referred to as "the Students") shall be enrolled in the receiving institution as degree students for the whole period of their studies
- 3.2 The number of eligible students, application procedure and financial conditions of participation in the double degree programs are defined in the appendices.
- 3.3 Both institutions agree to provide the participating students with detailed transcripts of records no later than six weeks after the end of academic semester.
- 3.4 Both institutions agree to accept the results of studies at the receiving institution under the given Agreement in accordance with the provided transcript of records.



- 3.5 After successful completion of studies listed in the appendices, the Students receive a detailed transcript of records and a certificate of attendance from the receiving institution.
- 3.6 Credits granted for courses taken at the receiving institution, to be transferred into the home institution, are communicated in the List of Matching courses (see Appendix 3 to this Agreement).
- 3.7 After successful completion of studies and fulfillment of other requirements at the home institution, the Students are awarded a Bachelor's degree in accordance with the national regulations.
- 3.8 After fulfillment of the requirements listed in the appendices, the receiving institution awards the Students a Bachelor's degree

4. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES

- 4.1 HOST and XAMK agree to use available resources to ensure the quality of their educational services and to meet the national educational standards
- 4.2 The sending institution shall provide eligible applicants with detailed information about the conditions of participation in the degree program carried out in accordance with this Agreement
- 4.3 The sending institution shall ensure the eligible applicants follow the application process described in the appendices
- 4.4 Both institutions shall notify each other of any changes in the curriculum of the relevant bachelor degree program, which may affect successful implementation of the program under this Agreement.
- 4.5 The receiving institution has the right to accept or reject applicants selected and nominated by the sending institution.
- 4.6 Both institutions shall ensure that the accepted students have access to the same social and academic facilities as all the other students at the receiving institution.
- 4.7 The receiving institution registers the accepted students as degree students for the whole duration of their study period in accordance with this Agreement and the appendices.

5. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE STUDENTS

- 5.1 The Students are responsible for in-time submission of documents in accordance with the application procedure, specified in the appendices.
- 5.2 The Students agree to accept the rules and conditions of the receiving institution by registering as students at the receiving institution.
- 5.3 The Students are responsible for taking out adequate health insurance coverage for the entire duration of their stay abroad. Neither XAMK nor HOST are liable for the health care costs of the Students.
- 5.4 The Students agree to cover own travel, living and other personal expenses.
- 5.5 The Students agree to follow the financial conditions defined in the Agreement and appendices.

6. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS AGREEMENT

- 6.1 The amount of the tuition fee, payment procedure, scholarship system and other financial conditions are described in the appendices.

7. FORCE MAJEURE

- 7.1 In case of force majeure, the Parties are not liable for not fulfilling their obligations in accordance with the Agreement.



- 7.2 The following circumstances are to be considered as force majeure: war and warlike conditions, including civil war, epidemics, boycotts, fires and explosions, when the circumstances are beyond the control of the Parties.
- 7.3 As soon as a force majeure situation is over the Parties shall perform in accordance with the Agreement if the new circumstances allow that.

8. CONTINUATION AND TERMINATION OF THE AGREEMENT

- 8.1 This agreement becomes effective upon the signature of the present documents and it is valid for 5 (five) years. In case any contracting party changes its legal name and status due to a merger, acquisition or any other legal action, the newly formed institution inherits the obligations on flawless implementation of this Agreement, and agrees to renew the agreement details relatively.
- 8.2 This agreement may be terminated by either party upon giving twelve months' written notice.
- 8.3 If the Agreement is terminated, the Students who are already enrolled in studies in the frames of this Agreement, nevertheless, have the right to complete the education.
- 8.4 If one party terminates the agreement, the other party or any third party has no legal right to claim any financial compensation.
- 8.5 The Agreement is made in 2 copies in English; each copy consists of 3 (three) pages and has equal legal value.

9. SIGNATURES OF LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES

Date, Place: 17.1.2020, Mikkeli

Dr. Heikki Saastamoinen
President, CEO

Date, Place: Stralsund, 16. DEZ. 2019

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APPENDIX 1 “DIGITAL INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS”

TO THE AGREEMENT ON COOPERATION IN THE FRAMES OF DOUBLE DEGREE PROGRAM BETWEEN HOCHSCHULE STRALSUND, STRALSUND UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES (GERMANY) AND KAAKKOIS-SUOMEN AMMATTIKORKEAKOULU, SOUTH-EASTERN FINLAND UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES (FINLAND)

1. BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAM IN DIGITAL INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AT SOUTH-EASTERN FINLAND UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES

- 1.1 Studies in the Degree Program in Digital International Business lead to a Bachelor's Degree. The high-quality, contemporary education offered at Xamk is implemented in close cooperation with the working life. Worklife-oriented education enhances your skills of lifelong learning and you are given the competences required in developing society and the working life. The core competences of the degree also include entrepreneurship, digital technology and Russia studies.
- 1.2 The degree program consists of 210 ECTS.
- 1.3 The Students have to obtain 30 ECTS of the compulsory professional studies and submit Bachelor's Theses (15 ECTS). To obtain the double degree participating students shall have at least 30 ECTS of practical training by the graduation date in a company or an institution or they have to prove that they have adequate working experience. A written report on the internship is required.
- 1.4 The Students are accepted and enrolled as degree students of “Digital International Business” bachelor degree program and receive degree study rights for the period of 1,5 years.
- 1.5 After successfully completed studies at XAMK and fulfilling the practical training requirement, the student is awarded a Bachelor of Business Administration of XAMK.

2. ADMISSION PROCEDURE

- 2.1 Application period: 1.04. – 15.05.
- 2.2 Only students of International Management Studies in the Baltic Sea Region have the right to participate in the double degree program in International Business, unless otherwise agreed separately.
- 2.3 The sending institution shall nominate the selected students via online nomination platform at www.xamk.fi/en/education/exchange-application/ by 15 April
- 2.4 An applicant shall fill out the online application form and attach the required documents.
The required enclosures are:
 - Copy of transcript of records with at least 120 ECTS completed at the sending institution and
 - a Study Certificate proving a valid study right at HOST
 - Copy of passport or other valid ID
 - PhotoOriginal certificates may be checked in the beginning of studies, if necessary.
- 2.5 The online application form shall be available at www.xamk.fi/exchange during the application periods mentioned in Paragraph 2.1 of this Appendix
- 2.6 XAMK shall make the admission decision no later than 5 weeks after the relevant application deadline.



- 2.7 XAMK shall inform the applicants and the sending institution about the admission decision by email.
- 2.8 XAMK shall send at least the following documents (hereinafter called “the Admission package”) by email to the accepted applicants:
- Letter of acceptance with instructions for accepting the study place and enrolment as student
 - Instructions for housing application
 - Invoice for participation in the program (if applicable)
- 2.9 Accepted students shall confirm their study place by returning the Form of confirmation and tuition fee payment receipt to admissions@xamk.fi by email no later than the date specified in the form.

3. DEGREE PROGRAM CURRICULLUM

- 3.1 During the study period in South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences, the admitted students have to attend the following courses within “Digital International Business” bachelor degree program:

Course	Subject	Semester	ECTS
MO00AA08-3015	From idea to innovation	Autumn	5
IB00CP21-3001	Management accounting	Autumn	5
IB00CP22-3001	Human resources management	Autumn	5
IB00CP29-3002	International marketing	Autumn	5
IB00CP30-3002	Gathering marketing insight	Autumn	5
IB00CP31-3002	Social media marketing	Autumn	5
IB00CP37-3002	Global sourcing	Autumn	5
IB00CP38-3002	Supplier relationship management	Autumn	5
IB00CP39-3002	International trade practices	Autumn	5

- 3.2 The students have to attend at least 6 (six) courses from the list. In addition, students can pick optional studies, available at Kouvola campus, including language studies. List of all available course will be published at www.xamk.fi/exchange by the beginning of the application period mentioned in Paragraph 2.1.
- 3.3 The courses will be arranged between 1.09. – 31.12.
- 3.4 Students are furthermore allowed to attend additional courses at XAMK that are not listed in section 3.1. In this case neither HOST nor XAMK can guarantee the choice of courses and their chronological order is practicable. With respect to changes of the curriculum guidance of students concerning the decision which courses to choose cannot be ensured. Credits granted for these courses in recognition of the examination results at HOST are communicated in the Matching courses list (Appendix 3).
- 3.5 XAMK keeps the right to make changes in the detail of the curriculum. The changes might deal with the teachers, titles, contents, duration, depth, and timing of the courses. The purpose of the changes would be to guarantee the most suitable and flexible study schedule for the Students.



- 3.6 XAMK shall inform the sending institution of any changes mentioned in Paragraph 3.5. of this Appendix immediately.
- 3.7 Language of tuition of the courses listed in Paragraph 3.1 of this Appendix is English.

4. IMPLEMENTATION LOCATION

South-Eastern Finland University of Applied Sciences
Paraatikenttä 7
45100 Kouvola
Finland

5. BACHELOR'S THESIS

- 5.1 The Students have to submit a Bachelor's Thesis (15 ECTS) to be eligible for the degree of XAMK.
- 5.2 XAMK and HOST shall appoint supervisors to the Students to supervise in writing the final thesis in accordance with the requirements.
- 5.3 The thesis can be written in Kouvola or Stralsund. In the former case, supervision by the Kouvola professor may be organized online.
- 5.4 The thesis shall be presented/defended at XAMK, unless agreed differently. Both representatives have to be present at the defense ceremony, unless agreed differently. The review from the supervisor of the second university has to be submitted before defense ceremony.
- 5.5 The Bachelor's thesis is assessed by XAMK according to the university's assessment criteria. The grade for the thesis (comprising written paper and defense) will be the average of the grades set by the two supervisors (one from XAMK and one from HOST)
- 5.6 In addition to the thesis, the student is needs to write a Maturity Test (a small essay on the topic given by the thesis supervisor, to be written in a controlled environment).

6. GRADING SYSTEMS

The conversion of grades obtained at XAMK and HOST are to be carried out according to the table below:

Grade at XAMK	Grade at HOST	Definition
5,0 (96-100%)	1,0	excellent - outstanding performance with only minor errors
5,0 (90-95%)	1,3	excellent - outstanding performance with only minor errors
4,0 (86-89%)	1,7	very good - generally sound work with a number of notable errors
4,0 (80-85%)	2,0	very good - generally sound work with a number of notable errors
3,0 (76-79%)	2,3	good - generally sound work with a number of notable errors
3,0 (70-75%)	2,7	good - generally sound work with a number of notable errors
2,0 (66-69%)	3,0	very satisfactory - acceptable but with significant shortcomings
2,0 (60-65%)	3,3	very satisfactory - acceptable but with significant shortcomings
1,0 (56-59%)	3,7	satisfactory - acceptable but with significant shortcomings
1,0 (50-55%)	4,0	satisfactory - acceptable but with significant shortcomings
0 (< 50%)	5,0	fail - considerable further work is required

If the conversion of grades according to the table results in more than one matching grade, the best of the matching grades shall apply.



7. FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

- 7.1 Participation in the described program is a subject to tuition fee for the non-EU/EEA and Swiss residents
- 7.2 The amount of tuition fee per double degree program is 1500 Euro.
- 7.3 The tuition fee shall be paid in accordance with the invoice delivered to the accepted students within the Admission package
- 7.4 The Students have the right to participate in XAMK Scholarship program to be reimbursed 50% of they paid tuition fee on the basis of the results of their first and second semester.
- 7.5 To be eligible to participate in the Scholarship program, the Student has to accumulate at least 55 ECTS at XAMK during 1.9. – 31.07.
- 7.6 Head of department shall make the decision the reimbursement following the time frames below:
 - For the Students started their studies at XAMK in autumn term, the decision shall be made by the end of next August.
- 7.7 The Students shall receive the reimbursement to their account in a Finnish bank on the following month after the decision
- 7.8 EU/EEA and Switzerland citizens, as well as holders of a continuous residence permit (type A) or a permanent residence permit (type P) / EU long-term resident's permit (P-EU) issued by Finland or EU/EEA countries or Switzerland, and holders of EU Blue Card, are exempted from paying tuition fees.
- 7.9 Students, exempted from paying tuition fees, do not qualify for participating in XAMK scholarship system, which grants the right to be refunded a part of the tuition fee.

8. OTHER CONDITIONS

- 8.1 Bachelor's Thesis has to be presented and finalized by the end of granted study right period.
- 8.2 XAMK agrees to arrange the accommodation for the Students in Kouvola, unless otherwise agreed.
- 8.3 The Students will not have a right to apply to student exchange programs of XAMK during the study program determined in the Agreement.
- 8.4 The Students are responsible for opening an account in a Finnish bank to enable the payment of reimbursement (if applicable).
- 8.5 The maximum number of students accepted to the double degree programme from HOST is 4 (four) per academic year.



9. SIGNATURES OF LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF THE CONTRACTING PARTIES

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APPENDIX 2 “INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT STUDIES IN THE BALTIC SEA REGION”

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- 1. BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAM IN INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT STUDIES IN THE BALTIC SEA REGION AT HOCHSCHULE STRALSUND, STRALSUND UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES**
 - 1.1 Studies in the Degree Program in International Management Studies in the Baltic Sea Region (BMS) lead to a degree of „Bachelor of Arts (B.A.)“. International Management Studies in the Baltic Sea Region (BMS) is a business management course (B.A. level) fully taught in English. With a proven track record of 20 years of education and research in a unique environment, BMS has set a standard in focused management training. A core team of six professors with industry expertise from banking and finance, e-commerce, food processing, health care, law, logistics, public administration and regional economic development annually accept an average of 40 new students from more than 15 different countries. The strong practice orientation of the degree course has resulted in the German Centre for the Development of Higher Education (CHE) awarding us the highest grade (5 stars) in their Employability Rating 2016.
 - 1.2 The degree program consists of 240 ECTS.
 - 1.3 The Students have to obtain 45 ECTS of the compulsory professional studies and submit Bachelor’s Theses (15 ECTS). To obtain the double degree participating students shall have at least 30 ECTS of practical training by the graduation date in a company or an institution or they have to prove that they have adequate working experience. A written report on the internship is required. The decision about acknowledgement of the internship will be made by the professor responsible at HOST.
 - 1.4 The Students are accepted and enrolled as degree students of “International Management Studies in the Baltic Sea Region (BMS)” bachelor degree program and receive degree study rights for the period of 1,5 years.
 - 1.5 After successfully completed studies at HOST and fulfilling the practical training requirement, student is awarded a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) of HOST.
- 2. ADMISSION PROCEDURE**
 - 2.1 Application period: May 31st for the winter semester (start in September) and November 30th for the summer semester (start in March).
 - 2.2 Only students of International Business and Digital International Business have right to participate in the double degree program in International Management Studies in the Baltic Sea Region (BMS), unless otherwise agreed separately.
 - 2.3 The sending institution shall select eligible students and send the list of these students by e-mail to “Incoming Koordination” at HOST International Office (incoming@hochschule-stralsund.de).
 - 2.4 An applicant shall fill the application form for exchange students / ERASMUS students and attach the required documents.



The required enclosures are:

- Personal data sheet (CV)
- Learning Agreement
- Transcript of records (with at least 120 ECTS completed at the sending institution)
- Application for accommodation (printout of the online application)
 - www.studentenwerk-greifswald.de > Student Housing > Living in Student Housing > Student Housing Application
- Confirmation from sending university (if applicable)
- Written proof of previous university/college education (if applicable)

The necessary documents must be sent to the following address:

Hochschule Stralsund – Stralsund University of Applied Sciences
International Office / Incoming Koordination
Zur Schwedenschanze 15
18435 Stralsund
Germany

Original certificates may be checked in the beginning of studies, if necessary.

- 2.5 The online application form shall be available at <https://www.hochschule-stralsund.de/en/studying-and-teaching/international/incoming-students-staff/semester-abroad-at-host/application-process/> during the application periods mentioned in Paragraph 2.1 of this Appendix.
- 2.6 HOST shall make the admission decision no later than 5 weeks after the relevant application deadline.
- 2.7 HOST shall inform the applicants and the sending institution about the admission decision by email.
- 2.8 HOST shall send at least the following documents (hereinafter called “the Admission package”) by email to the accepted applicants:
 - Letter of acceptance with instructions for accepting the study place and enrolment as student
 - Instructions for housing application
 - Invoice for participation in the program (if applicable)
- 2.9 Accepted students shall confirm their study place by returning the Form of confirmation and tuition fee payment receipt to email address by email no later than the date specified in the form.

3. ENROLMENT PROCEDURE

- 3.1 Before the student commences the studies, he / she needs to enrol at HOST. This is done by contacting the study support centre with the advisor responsible for the BMS study course (House 1, Rooms 120, 121, 122 or 123).
- 3.2 The necessary documents for the enrolment at HOST are:
 - Copy of passport and visa (non-EU students) or ID card (EU students)
 - a passport sized photo
 - the health insurance certificate
 - or alternatively your EHIC card
 - or the proof of "Befreiung von der Krankenversicherungspflicht"



- A transfer voucher or bank statement showing that the student paid the administration fee
- 3.3 There is the possibility to get a previous/preliminary Letter of Enrolment in order to open a bank account and to obtain a health insurance. All required documents need to be collected until March 30th to obtain the final Letter of Enrolment.
- 3.4 One week after the enrolment the student can pick up the HOST student id card at the student service office.

4. DEGREE PROGRAM CURRICULLUM

- 4.1 During the study period at HOST, the admitted students have to attend the following courses within “International Management Studies in the Baltic Sea Region (BMS)” bachelor degree program:

Course	Subject	Semester	Contact h	ECTS
BMSIB1400	Basics of Business Law	Autumn	4	5
BMSIB2200	Corporate Finance	Autumn	4	5
BMSIB2300	International Financial Markets and Institutions	Autumn	4	5
BMSIB3200	Introduction to Trade	Summer	4	5
BMSIB3600	Practical Insights into International Business	Summer	4	5
BMSIB4000	Lean Management	Autumn	4	5
BMSIB4100	International Human Resource Management and Psychology for Managers	Summer	4	5
BMSIB4500	Future Management	Summer	2	5
BMSIB6200	Intercultural Media Analysis	Autumn	2	5

Students have to successfully complete the “German as a foreign language” lecture (20 ECTS) or students need to proof that they have obtained German language skills at an equivalent of 20 ECTS at XAMK.

- 4.2 The students have to successfully attend all courses from the list.
- 4.3 Students are furthermore allowed to attend additional courses at HOST that are not listed in section 4.1. In this case neither HOST nor XAMK can guarantee the choice of courses and their chronological order is practicable. With respect to changes of the curriculum guidance of students concerning the decision which courses to choose cannot be ensured. Credits granted for these courses in recognition of the examination results at XAMK are communicated in the Matching courses list (Appendix 3).
- 4.4 HOST keeps the right to make changes in the detail of the curriculum. The changes might deal with the teachers, titles, contents, duration, depth, and timing of the courses. The purpose of the changes would be to guarantee the most suitable and flexible study schedule for the Students.
- 4.5 HOST shall inform the sending institution of any changes mentioned in Paragraph 4.4 of this Appendix immediately.
- 4.6 Language of tuition of the courses listed in Paragraph 4.1 of this Appendix is English.

5. IMPLEMENTATION LOCATION



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6. BACHELOR'S THESIS

- 6.1 The Students have to submit a Bachelor's Thesis (15 ECTS) to be eligible for the degree of HOST.
- 6.2 XAMK and HOST shall appoint supervisors to the Students to supervise in writing the final thesis in accordance with the requirements.
- 6.3 The thesis can be written in Stralsund or Kouvola. In the former case, supervision by the Stralsund professor may be organized online.
- 6.4 The thesis shall be presented/defended at HOST, unless agreed differently. Both representatives have to be present at the defense ceremony, unless agreed differently. The review from the supervisor of the second university has to be submitted before defense ceremony
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8. OTHER CONDITIONS

- 8.1 Bachelor's Thesis has to be presented and finalized by the end of granted study right period.
- 8.2 HOST agrees to assist with the arrangement of accommodation for the Students in Stralsund, unless otherwise agreed.
- 8.3 The Students will not have a right to apply to student exchange programs of HOST during the study program determined in the Agreement.
- 8.4 The maximum number of students accepted to the double degree programme from XAMK in each academic year is 3 (three).



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