Dear Partner,

We hope you are all doing well under the current circumstances.

We are looking forward to welcoming your students to apply for an exchange for Autumn term 2021 or the whole Academic year 2021-22 at Aalto University School of Arts, Design and Architecture. Below you will find our nomination and application process guidelines, as well as other practical information.

Currently, our teaching is organized mainly online, with only some hybrid courses (partly on campus), following the current COVID-19 restrictions. Latest information is available and updated at [Aalto University’s website](https://www.aalto.fi/en/aalto-university/information-on-coronavirus).

**Nomination**

We kindly ask you to use this [Online nomination form](https://webropol.com/s/aaltoartsnominationsautumn2021) to nominate your students. Please note that we can only accept nominations to the specific study programme(s) included in inter-institutional agreement. The students are able to choose courses mainly from that programme, together with some inter- and multidisciplinary Aalto-wide courses and general art courses. For more information, please guide your students to the [Studies for exchange students](https://into.aalto.fi/display/enuudet/Studies) website as well as [Studies at School of Arts, Design and Architecture](https://into.aalto.fi/display/enuudet/School+of+Arts%2C+Design+and+Architecture). The course [curriculum](https://into.aalto.fi/display/enopinnot/Academic+catalogue+2020-2022) for the academic is available by study programme and we will also be updating a course list for 2021-22 on the studies website.

Once you have submitted the nominations online, we will check them and send a confirmation to you and the application instructions directly to your students. Should we have any questions regarding the nominations, we will be in contact with you and you are naturally welcome to do the same at any time.

**Application period**

The application period for the Autumn term 2021 and Academic year 2021-22 is **15 March – 15 April 2021**. For more information, please check the [How to apply](https://into.aalto.fi/display/enuudet/How+to+apply) instructions. Although we do not have a deadline for nominations, please make them in time so that your students have time to fill in the application by the deadline. Unfortunately we cannot accept late applications due to the tight reviewing schedule of the applications.

**Erasmus+ Agreement renewal process**

Following the EU Commission’s decision, please consider our Inter-Institutional Agreements valid until 2022. We are currently going through our agreement portfolio and will be contacting you this year.

**Virtual tour of Aalto University campus**

You and your students are welcome to visit our campus with this brand new [virtual tour](https://virtualtour.aalto.fi/).

**Fact sheet**

Please, find our updated Fact sheet attached.

The international mobility team of Aalto ARTS is more than happy to guide you in any further questions!

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