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Department of General Linguistics ERASMUS+ Motivation Letter Guidelines

This motivation letter (page 2/2 of the application form) is to be submitted together with the application form, a transcript of records, and a CV. Your letter can be either in English or German and should not exceed one page.

Guidelines

| Erasmus+ / Why? | Why would you like to participate in an ERASMUS+ exchange? |
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| | (aside from the ECTS offered for it in the PO, that is). Explain |
| | your reasons for choosing to go abroad. |
| Study place preference | Which university shall it be? Think about which university you'd |
| | like to go to and why. We currently have two partner |
| | universities that you can rank on the form. Address only your |
| | first choice in your letter. |
| Relevance to your | To what extent is your first choice related to your |
| specialisation | specialisation? Check out the homepage of your first choice. |
| | Are there any courses that specifically match your |
| | specialisation or are of particular interest to you? What |
| | characterises the partner university for you? |
| Relevance to your | You've always wanted to live in the specific country? You grew |
| personal situation | up somewhere very similar to the city of the university, and |
| | that's why you want to experience something new? Mention |
| | such things in your letter. |
| Avoid travel clichés | You should focus on subject-specific and educational/social |
| | programmes offered by the partner university. Avoid common |
| | travel guide clichés such as "you can ski well there" or "the |
| | chocolate is heavenly". |

Still have questions? E-Mail us at studienkoordination@linguistik.uni-freiburg.de