







CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR A SEMESTER ABROAD VIA THE ERASMUS + MOBILITY SCHOLARSHIP AT the Medical University of Sofia – Bulgaria

The Erasmus+ Project has been established based on the collaboration between UKZN and the Medical University of Sofia in Bulgaria.

The call is open to Masters and PhD level students in the discipline of Pharmacy, Nursing and Public Health. The mobility period is from 15 April – 15 June 2025.

There are 3 scholarships for UKZN students (One PhD and two Master's students). The selected students will undertake a research mobility will not study any courses but concentrate on research for his/her dissertation thesis and will have a supervisor at the Medical University of Sofia.

Students who have been selected for a mobility period within the LLP (Lifelong Learning Programme) or the Erasmus+ for Study or for Internships can apply provided the total number of months of their past/current mobility and the ones they are applying for does not exceed 12 months within the same level of study.

GRANT FOR candidate:

Individual support for stay for the two-month mobility is 800 EUR/per month. The travel scholarship is 1500 Euros.

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Deadline for the applications: 19 February 2025

APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Kindly submit the following documents to Ms Preshantha Reddy on reddyp@ukzn.ac.za

- 1. A professional CV
- 2. A letter of motivation
- 3. Copy of passport (must be valid at least 6 months after the end of the mobility, i.e. July 2026) or if you do not have one a passport and is not able to get one on time, it is necessary to present at least a confirmation that you have applied for one.
- 4. Scan of a colour passport size photo
- 5. A letter of recommendation from a UKZN academic
- 6. A copy of academic records
- 7. Proof of registration for 2025 academic year
- Evidence of having confirmation of a supervisor at Medical University Sofia, contact
 Prof. Antoniya Yanakieva (a.yanakieva@foz.mu-sofia.bg) for assistance

A Selection Committee will interview eligible candidates.

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