

# Erasmus Policy Statement

The CSMC Castello is a small institution with global ambitions, which has been working since 2014 in its international strategy.

The strategy that will deliver this vision has objectives:

- To provide an accessible, welcoming, supportive environment for international staff and students.
- To encourage the development of an international perspective in all our students.
- To promote, support, and resource international activity at the Institution, raising awareness internally and externally of the CSMC's international pedigree.

In developing strategic partnerships, we are looking to institutions that either has a similar approach to teaching and learning who offer comparable subject's offer, or that have similar disciplinary strengths that wish to develop deep and sustainable relationships across student and staff exchange programs and maybe in future, research interests.

We will encourage staff, both academic and administrative, to make visits to our partners and invite their staff to Castellón in return.

A key objective is that the CSMC seeks to encourage the development of an international perspective in all our students, more having into account they belong to the Music studies, such an international field. Mobilities through schemes as the Erasmus program, which provides an opportunity for prolonged immersion in other countries and culture, would be the most desirable means of achieving this, and there is a considerable effort made across the institution to remove unnecessary barriers to mobility.

The Erasmus University Charter and the Erasmus Policy Statement are available at CSMC's website. The opportunities through the Erasmus and the Lifelong Learning Programme will be advertised in CSMC's web and social profiles, to both students and staff.

All staff and students have the protection of the Institution's Equal Opportunities policy, which guard against any discrimination on the grounds of gender, race,

ethnicity, disability, age, race, and religion.

The CSMC will meet all statutory obligations under relevant legislation signaled by EU directives, and will head towards the following achievements:

- Encouragement of student and staff exchanges between institutes of higher education.
- Improvement of the overall quality of our programs.
- International accreditation and international recognition.
- Achievement of a solid regional, national and international position.