



# Introduction to International Student Mobility at FUB

International Student Mobility – Welcome Services Gesa Heym-Halayqa June 2017



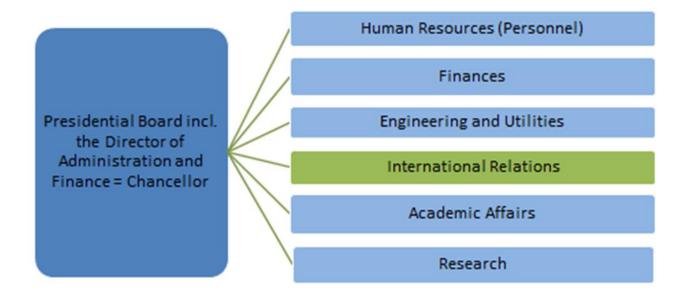
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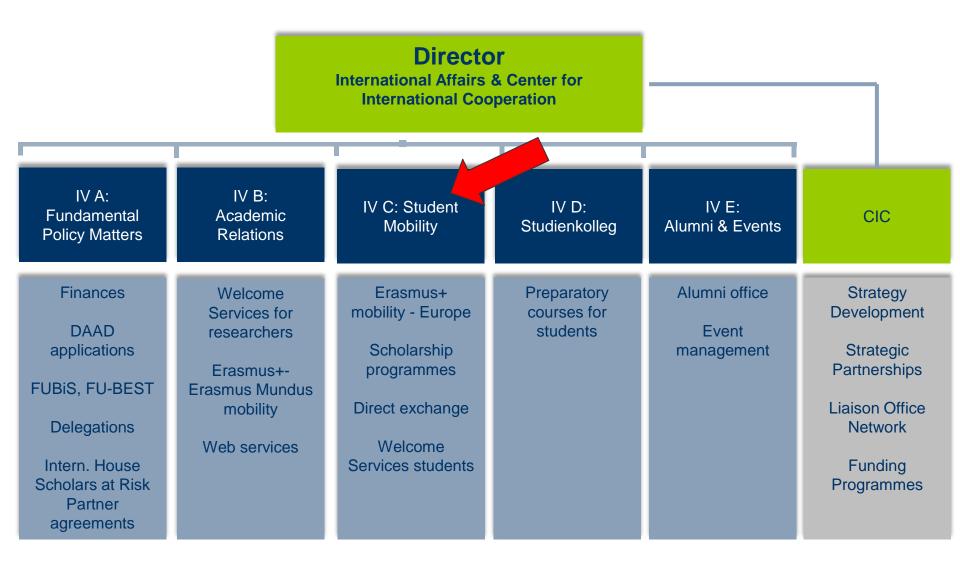
# **University Organisational Structure**

### **Central University Administration**



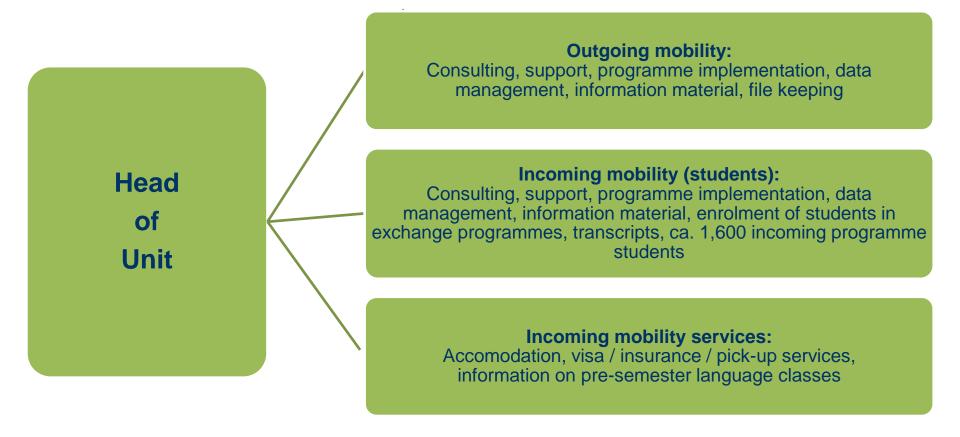


# **Tasks – International Affairs**





# **International Student Mobility & Welcome Services**





# Freie Universität Berlin Direct Exchange Programme

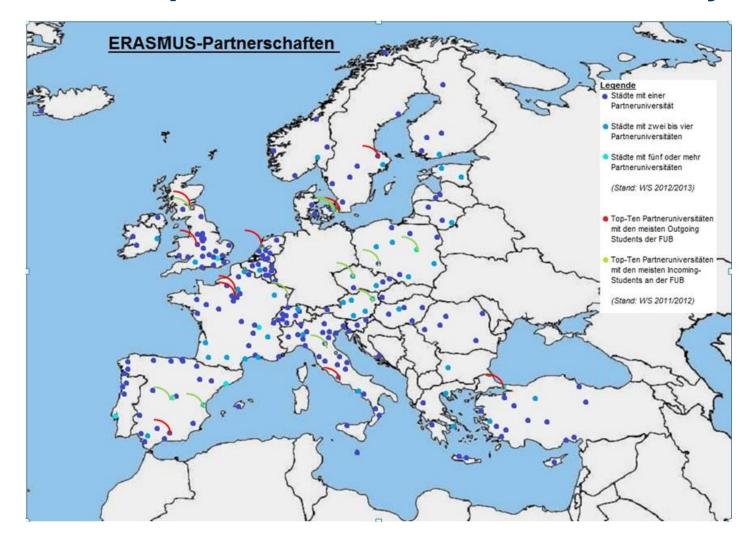
The Freie Universität Berlin (FU) maintains intensive contacts to partner universities all over the world since its establishment in 1948.330 incoming and outgoing students per year participate in the programme with over 70 partner universities.

The Direct Exchange Programme offers:

- Study abroad at the leading universities in the respective countries
- Preferential enrollment and a waiver of tuition fees at all partner universities
- Additional benefits such as free housing or stipends of up to US \$ 20,000 at some universities abroad



### **Erasmus+ European Student and Staff Mobility**





# Erasmus+ (Europe) : nutshell

370 partners
1900 places SMS
130 Erasmus+
departmental coordinators
700 outgoings SMS
900 incomings SMS
80 outgoings SMP

35 outgoings STA20 outgoings STT

- > how to handle imbalances?
- > what would be a good number?
- >> no comment
- > increase >< quality</p>
- > "reward" for incoming students?!
- > increasing! (③ good cooperation Career Service)
- > who participates? effects?
- > how to provide placements?



# Funding for Outgoing Student Mobility

PROMOS - Programme for Mobility of Students in Germany

- Funding of <u>Study Visits</u> world-wide (1 to 6 months)
- Funding of Language Courses world-wide (3 weeks to 6 months)
- Funding of Internships (only non EU-Countries, 6 weeks to 6 months))
- >> funding for 50-80 individuals per academic year
- Funding of <u>Short Term Content Courses</u> world-wide (up to six weeks)
- Funding of Study Visits for Student Groups world-wide (up to 12 days)

#### Funding options:

	monthly stipend (ca. 300 €)
and / or	travel grant (acc. to distance)
and / or	course fees (1x 500 €)



# Student Services Center der Freien Universität Berlin Iltisstr. 4 (U-Bahnhof Dahlem-Dorf)





# Info-Service Studium of Freie Universität for Students and Applicants

### Organisation

- General office hours: daily Monday to Wednesday, Friday 09.00 15.00 and Thursday 09.00-17.00
- Establishment of two info-counters
- Establishment of a joint call-center (telephone and e-mail)
- Establishment of back offices for all departments (personal, e-mail and telephone)
- Front office (counters + call-center): students
- Back offices: university employees



# Interfaces between FUB Career Service and International Student Mobility: Internships abroad

### **Outgoing students**

Career Service:

- guiding and general information during office hours, website,
- information sessions, application trainings (sometimes funded by Erasmus+ OS)

International Student Mobility:

- Information about funding programmes
- Funding: Erasmus+: Europe
   PROMOS: worldwide





# Interfaces between FUB Career Service and International Student Mobility: Internships in Germany

### **Incoming Students**

### International Student Mobility:

• Almost everything for exchange students (pre-information, enrolment, semester programme, transcripts...)



### Career Service:

- Participation in Orientation Days for Exchange students
- guiding and general information during office hours, website
- special information sessions



# **Thank You for Your Attention!**

### **VERITAS – IUSTITIA – LIBERTAS**

Freie Universität has a special obligation to think and to help forge the future (...) in terms of truth and justice and liberty.

