## MRU International -International Mobility International Partnerships



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## IO in the structure of the MRU

Vice-Rector for Education and Research

MRU Library

## Academic Affairs Centre: Study:

- Study process administration
- Study programmes and QA
- Career centre
- Digital studies

#### Research and Innovations Support Centre:

- Social Innovations doctoral school
- Knowledge and technology transfer
- Projects office

#### International Office:

- International Mobility and Students
- International Partnerships
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- Asian centre
- King Sejong Institute Vilnius
- Francophone countries study centre



### International Office aims to:

- Assist in development of University internationalization and competitiveness (analytical, advisory support)
- Coordinate international cooperation and partnerships with Universities, international organizations, networks, diplomatic missions, lithuanian communities abroad
- Coordinate participation in exchange programmes, scholarship schemes, marketing activities abroad
- Organize international student recruitment, admission, provide nonacademic support during entire stay at MRU (including housing, visa, TRP)
- Provide information to MRU students and staff about international mobility possibilities, available mobility funding and provides assistance needed.
- Administer activities of Asian and Francophone countries study centres





### INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

International
Mobility and
Students Division

International Partnership Division

Exchange students:
Outgoing and Incoming

International marketing, recruitment, admission

International students support

Exchange programmes partners

New and ongoing partnerships, memberships

Staff mobility: Outgoing and Incoming

Protocol issues,
delegations, business
communication,
databases

Asian Centre

KSI Vilnius

Francophone studies centre

### Staff Resources

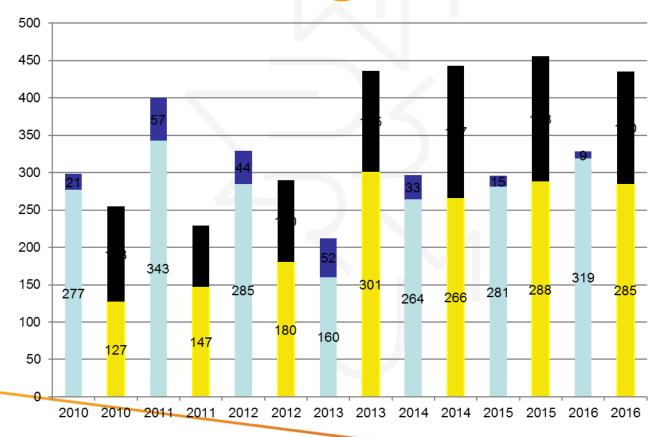
1 for analytical and advisory support to rector's office, IO coordination, E+ applications, financial planning, reporting, new developments

- 1 for international admission
- 1 for outgoing students
- 1 for incoming students
- 1 for intl. student support
- 0,5 for intl. marketing

- 1 for partnerships, delegations, planning (+office mngm.)
- 1 for staff mobility (+ Fr)
- 0,5 for As (+ KSIVilnius)
- 0,5 for rector's office intl. correspondence, agreements, databases



## **Exchange students mobility**



- incoming for short term exchange (Erasmus IP, NordPlus, summer schools)
- incoming for exchange (1-2 semester studies or placement)
- outgoing for short term exchange (Erasmus IP, NordPlus IP, other IPs)
- outgoing for exchange (1-2 semester studies or placements)

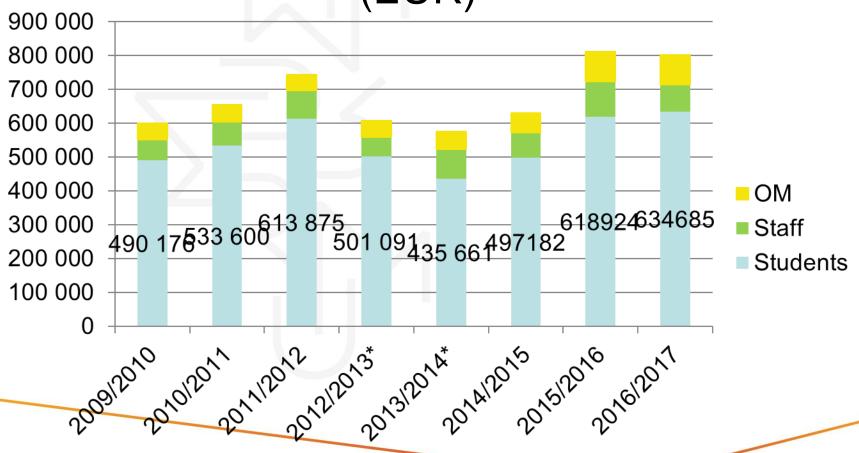


## **Exchange staff mobility**





# Financial support to Erasmus KA103 mobility (EUR)





<sup>\*</sup> Had to asked NA for reduction of students' financing

### Other financial support to international mobility

- Erasmus+ KA107 (2017 119 sc., 303.900,00 eur)
- State scholarships (2-4 outgoing+2-4 incoming/year; 2017/18 - 7 incoming students)
- International practices in LT embassies, lithuanian schools abroad (2015-2016 – 8 scholarships)
- Master scholarships for targeted countries (2015-2016 19 incoming from UA, MD; 2016-2017 18 incoming from UA, AZ, 2017-2018 21 incoming from UA)
- NordPlus network mobility grants (Faculty of Law)
- ESF Projects for JSP implementation shall include financing of compulsory mobility (from 2018)

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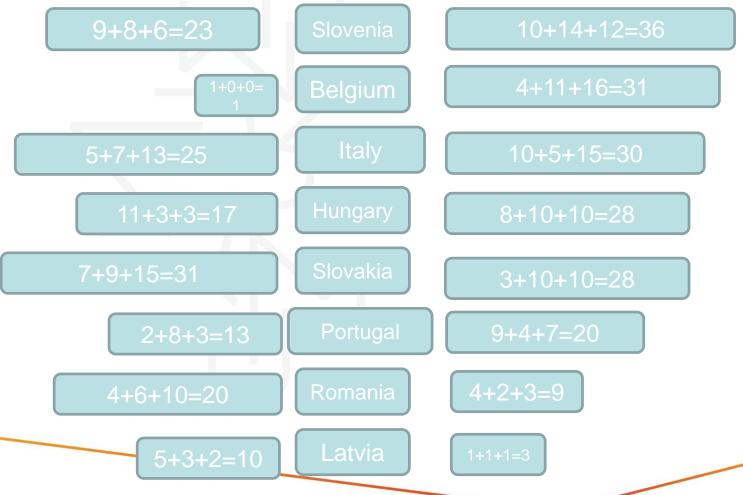
## MRU Student mobility tendencies (1)





Incoming mobility top 5 countries (2016): France, Slovakia, Germany, Turkey, Italy

## MRU Student mobility tendencies (2)





Outgoing mobility top countries (2016):

•SMS: Czech Republic, France, Spain, Italy

•SMP: UK, Spain, Portugal, Malta, Greece, Latvia

# Mykolas Romeris University for International students

Incoming exchange students choose from over **200** courses offered mainly by English taught programmes Fields of studies open for exchanges: ALL (Economics, Law, Public Administration, Political Science, Business, Management, Finances, Psychology, Social Work, Sociology, Informatics, Philology, Philosophy, Education, etc.)

| Level<br>(cycle) | Number of degree programmes  Taught in English  taught in 2017/2018 |  |
|------------------|---|--|
| Ba               | <b>6</b> (1 JSP)  |  |
| Ma               | <b>12</b> ( 1 DD; 10 JSP)   |  |
| PhD              | 6 fields  |  |



# International study programmes (active in 2017/18): Undergraduate (Bachelor)

- Informatics and Digital Contents (Joint study programme with KR)
- Financial Economics (DD with MDX 3,4 y)
- Tourism Management and Heritage
- English for Specific Purposes and the Second Foreign Language
- Psychology
- Social Work and Legal Fundamentals

Also there is a group taking minor studies of English (1 year) before the BA programmes to improve English language proficiency from A2

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## International study programmes (active in 2017/18): Graduate (Master) – single awards, joint or double degree

- Financial Markets (Master of Economics)
- Electronic Business Management (Master of Business and Management)
- Business Administration Master of Business Administration MBA)
- International Law (Master of Law)
- European and International Business Law (joint study programme with FR)
- Legal Regulation of Public Administration and Human Rights (JSP with UA)
- Private Law (JSP with UA)
- Intellectual Property Law (JSP with UA)
- European joint master's in Strategic Border Management (joint study programme with NL, LV, ES)
- Comparative Social Policy and Welfare (joint study programme with FI, AT)
- Social Work with Children and Youth (joint study programme with LV)
- Work and Organizational Psychology (joint study programme with EE, 2y)



## Challenges

- Expectations for growth in incoming students numbers
- Decrease in outgoing Erasmus student numbers – partly due to higher interest in other possibilities
- Additional funding for students mobility to facilitate studies under bilateral agreements (and for compulsory mobility under JSP...)
- Facilitation of visiting professors schemes

## EASY WITH A TEAM OF IO



