

## **Warsaw University of Technology**

### **Rector's Regulation No. 191/2020**

**of 11 September 2020**

#### **on WUT students studying abroad as part of Erasmus+ exchange and bilateral agreements during COVID-19 epidemic.**

Under article 23 section 1 of the Law on Higher Education and Science from 20 July 2018 (Journal of Laws, item 85 including amendments) pursuant to §1 section 2 of WUT Rector's Regulation No. 33/2020 of 26 May 2020 on the principles and timetable of activities connected with partial restoring of the operations at WUT, it is resolved as follows:

#### § 1

In exceptional circumstances WUT students may be granted permission to study abroad or to prolong their studies abroad as part of Erasmus+ programme or bilateral agreements, in particular:

1. If the university abroad requires the student to appear in person during winter term of the academic year 2020/2021 due to the organisation of learning at the university in question or the necessity to appear in person during events organised by the university such as orientation week and welcome meeting, among other things.
2. If the student's trip cannot be postponed until the summer term of the academic year 2020/2021, the summer term curriculum at the university does not comply with the subjects required at the Warsaw University of Technology and the student may not be awarded credit at WUT, or if the summer term is the last term for the student.
3. If the student terminates one mobility period and commences another after its termination, and does not return to Poland, e.g. finishes studies and starts internship and vice versa.

#### §2

Students at the Warsaw University of Technology participating in Erasmus+ abroad are entitled to subsidies granted on the basis of principles specified in Erasmus+ programme and other documents concerning the programme, in particular in notices on the programme-specific subjects.

#### §3

1. The WUT student who was granted permission to study abroad as part of the Erasmus+ programme or a bilateral agreement is obliged to do the following:
  - 1) The student is required to submit an application to the Pro-Rector for Studies, including the opinion of the Dean of the home faculty and the Faculty Coordinator for Erasmus+ programme, or to submit an application to the Pro-Rector for Studies, including the opinion of the Faculty Coordinator or the specific Pro-Dean responsible for international exchange, confirmed by signatures and name stamps.
  - 2) The student is obliged to complete and sign "Student's declaration of studying abroad on their own responsibility", in accordance with the specimen attached to this document.

- 3) The student is obliged to send the scanned documents mentioned in sections 1 and 2 to [agnieszka.bursztynska@pw.edu.pl](mailto:agnieszka.bursztynska@pw.edu.pl) (Erasmus+ programme) and [dominika.frak@pw.edu.pl](mailto:dominika.frak@pw.edu.pl) (bilateral agreements), respectively.
- 4) The student is obliged to follow strictly the sanitary and epidemiological rules and regulations concerning anyone returning from abroad.

#### §4

1. The student granted permission to study abroad as part of Erasmus+ programme by the Pro-Rector for Studies signs an agreement with the Warsaw University of Technology with “Student’s declaration of studying abroad on their own responsibility” attached as an appendix.
2. The student granted permission to study abroad as part of a bilateral agreement by the Pro-Rector for Studies signs “Student’s declaration of studying abroad on their own responsibility”.

#### §5

To all matters not settled herein provisions of other appropriate agreements on Erasmus+ and bilateral agreements and other documents concerning this programme shall apply.

#### §6

The regulation enters into force upon signing.

RECTOR

Professor Krzysztof Zaremba

Appendix to Rector's Regulation No. 191/2020

Warsaw, date .....

First name and surname .....

Faculty .....

Student's number .....

THE STUDENT'S DECLARATION OF STUDYING ABROAD ON THEIR OWN RESPONSIBILITY

I the undersigned student at the Warsaw University of Technology hereby declare that I am fully aware of any dangers connected with studying abroad during COVID-19 epidemic as part of Erasmus+ programme/ bilateral agreement in

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.....

(university, country)

from.....to.....

and I accept full responsibility for this decision.

Erasmus+ students\*

1. I acknowledge that:
  - 1) If I finish my participation in Erasmus+ programme earlier than stated in the agreement, but after three months from commencing the mobility, I will not be able to receive any subsidies for the unfinished stay.
  - 2) If I finish my participation in Erasmus+ programme earlier than 3 months from commencing the mobility and no force majeure is involved, I agree to return all received subsidies and my mobility in Erasmus+ programme will not be acknowledged.
2. I agree to strictly follow any current sanitary and epidemiological rules and regulations concerning returns from abroad.

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(signature)

Students studying abroad as part of a bilateral agreement\*

I agree to strictly follow any current sanitary and epidemiological rules and regulations concerning returns from abroad.

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(signature)

\*delete as appropriate