

## ERASMUS+ NORDPLUS PARTNER INFORMATION SHEET

<b>Name of institution</b>	Agricultural University of Iceland (AUI) Landbúnaðarháskóli Íslands (LBHI)
<b>Erasmus+ Code</b>	IS BORGARN02
<b>ID &amp; Vat No</b>	ID: 411201-3590 VAT: 85121
<b>Address</b>	Hvanneyri, 311 Borgarnes, ICELAND
<b>Website</b>	<a href="http://www.lbhi.is/study">http://www.lbhi.is/study</a> <i>(NB English version under construction)</i>
<b>Course Catalogue</b>	<a href="#">2017-2018</a> – choose English flag in upper right hand corner 2018-2019 –being prepared– choose English flag in the upper right hand corner when ready.
<b>Head of Institution</b>	Dr Saemundur Sveinsson, Rector

INSTITUTIONAL CONTACTS	
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STUDENT EXCHANGE	
<b>Nomination and application</b>	Please send your nominations to <a href="mailto:inter@lbhi.is">inter@lbhi.is</a> until 15 <sup>th</sup> May for autumn semester and 15 <sup>th</sup> of October for spring semester
<b>Application Period</b>	15 April – 15 May for the following autumn semester 15 Sept – 15 Oct for the following spring semester
<b>Academic Calendar 2018-2019</b>	Autumn semester: 20 August – 21 December, divided into two short terms Spring semester: 8 January – 2 June, divided into two short terms
<b>Language of instruction / Course offerings / Language requirements</b>	Main language of instruction is Icelandic; however textbooks are mainly in English and some in either Scandinavian languages or Icelandic.  <b><i>Courses offered in English at autumn semester are:</i></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b><i>Icelandic Nature and Environmental Issues at the Arctic Edge</i></b>/12 ECTS, suitable for 3<sup>rd</sup> year of BSc and MSc students. <i>Please note that it is possible to choose either the first part of 5 ECTS on Icelandic nature plus field trip of 1 ECTS or the second half of 5 ECTS on arctic issues plus fieldtrip of 1 ECTS</i></li> <li><b><i>Future of Agriculture</i></b> / 4 ECTS suitable for 3<sup>rd</sup> year of BSc and MSc students</li> <li><b><i>Research Methodology and Scientific Writing</i></b> / 6 ECTS. MSc level course, but open for 3<sup>rd</sup> year BSc a students</li> <li><b><i>Individual Projects</i></b> / 2 – 6 ECTS, based on the project</li> <li><b><i>Ecosystem Ecology and Sustainable Management</i></b> / 6 ECTS. MSc level course, but open for 3<sup>rd</sup> year BSc students</li> </ul>

INSTITUTIONAL DETAILS	
<b>Language of instruction / Course offerings / Language requirements</b>	<p>Exchange students at AUI have been able to attend project courses within the programme of landscape Architecture and Planning. An example of other courses, which Erasmus students have taken in autumn semester, where English is not the first language are</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Environmental modelling with GIS II / 4 ECTS</i> and</li> <li>• <i>Land Reclamation and Restoration / 6 ECTS</i></li> </ul> <p><b>Course offered in English at spring semester:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Restoration Ecology / 6 ECTS, MSc level course, but open for 3<sup>rd</sup> year BSc students (next offered in spring 2020).</li> </ul>

HOUSING - ACCOMMODATION	
<b>Hvanneyri campus</b>	<p>The International Office provides exchange students with accommodation in a student hall residence, where 2-4 students share a flat. More information on student housing is found at AUI's homepage</p> <p>Contact person: Alfheidur Sverrisdottir: <a href="mailto:alfheidursverris@lbhi.is">alfheidursverris@lbhi.is</a></p>

GENERAL INFORMATION FOR INCOMING STUDENTS	
<b>Information</b>	General information for incoming students can be found at AUI's webpage
<b>Student Union of AUI</b>	The Student Union of AUI offers incoming students support and arranges diverse activities. The Student Union operates mostly through a closed Facebook page.

ABOUT AUI AND CAMPUSES	
<b>Hvanneyri</b>	<p>The Faculty of Agricultural in Environmental Sciences offers programmes in Agricultural Science, Nature and Environmental Science, Forest Science, Restoration Ecology and Management and Landscape Planning and Architecture. AUI offers also vocational programmes in Agriculture and Horticulture; i.e. Agriculture, Floristry, Plant Production, Protected crops and vegetable production, Forestry technician and Landscaping.</p> <p>Main campus is situated at <a href="#">Hvanneyri</a> where most of the university teaching takes place, approximately 70 km from Reykjavik and 15 km from the town of Borgarnes. MS programme in Planning is taught at the Research centre at <a href="#">Keldnaholt, Arleyni 22</a>, Reykjavik and the Vocational Department of Horticulture is at <a href="#">Reykir in Hveragerði</a>, about 45 km East of Reykjavik.</p>

