

Call for application for language learning grants for students undertaking degree-related work experience abroad (2020)

Programme

UAB Plan for Languages (2016-2020).

Object of the call for applications

To facilitate knowledge of languages necessary for students undertaking language-based work experience abroad associated with their degree.

Requirements for applicants

Students taking bachelor's degrees, masters' degrees and PhD courses and who are registered at any of the UAB centres in 2019-2020 can apply. Students must be in possession of an Erasmus Work Experience grant or a grant for other curricular practice abroad managed by UAB centres or departments in 2019-2020 during the months of October, November and December 2020. Students must also have passed a foreign language course in 2018-2019 or 2019-2020.

Have passed a language course during the period established in the call for applications.

Courses must be organised by the bodies included in the MOBINT call for application or in European university language centres.

Only one grant may be awarded per person and application.

Amount

Total funding for the grants is €4.000. In the event of additional funding being obtained throughout 2020, it is possible that the current financial allocation may then be increased.

The maximum amount awarded is 50% of the price of the course, taking as a reference the prices of courses at the Language Service.

If available funds are insufficient to allow the maximum amount to be granted, these will be distributed equally among the successful applicants.

A reservation for the amount required may be made during the first application period in order to ensure sufficient funding is available for the second application period.

Where there are questions about the nature of the course or the certificate accrediting a pass, the Language Service will decide whether the applicant is eligible or not for the grant.

Conditions

Applicants must have passed a language course in the period established in the call for applications.

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Applications

Applicants must submit the following documents at the General Registry of the UAB:

- Application form, attached to this call for applications.
- Photocopy of DNI, NIE or passport.
- Where the course was not taken at the UAB Language Service a certified copy of the certificate issued by the organisation where the course was taken and passed should be presented. The certificate should specify the course dates, total number of hours and the equivalent level according to the Common European Framework for Languages (CEFR. For courses that do not specify the achievement of one of the CEFR levels or a final exam, a certificate of attendance will be required.
- Where the course was not taken at the UAB Language Service, a certificate of attendance will be required from the centre where the course was taken.
- Where applicants do not have an Erasmus Work Experience grant but the university accepts that they are going to undertake similar work experience abroad, a certificate from the company, organisation or research group where the work experience will take place is required.

Deadline for applications

There are two application periods:

- 16 March to 4 May.
- 15 October 20 November.

Outcome

The Language Service and the Area of International Relations will decide the outcome on behalf of the Language Policy Committee which is informed annually of it.

The decision will be made public on the UABcercador website: <http://www.uab.cat/beques-ajuts/> one month after the closing date for the application period.

Incompatibilities

This grant is not compatible with any other grant or funding awarded for the same purpose.

This resolution serves to close the administrative process and appeals against it may be made to the Administrative Litigation Courts within two months counting from the day following its notification or publication, pursuant to articles 8 and 46.1 of Law 29/1998, of 13 July, on the Administrative Litigation Courts, and article 114 and related articles of Law 39/2015, of 1 October, on common administrative procedure for public administration bodies.