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## **ERASMUS POLICY STATEMENT**

The Development Strategy of the Technical College in Bjelovar for the period between 2012 and 2016 defined the establishment of international cooperation along with involvement in mobility programs in higher education as well as encouraging and supporting the mobility of students, teachers and non-teaching staff with one of the five strategic objectives of the institution. Technical College in Bjelovar has opted for active participation and encouraging of internal and external mobility of teachers and students. Some of the main tasks related to the realization of international mobility are:

- encouraging international exchange of visiting teachers/lecturers at technical and biomedical study programs (at least twice per academic year);
- initiating the delivery of at least two courses in a foreign language per each study;
- encouraging the establishment of joint compatible courses and/or study programs with higher education institutions from abroad;
- encouraging formal and informal international cooperation of students and teachers with higher education institutions from abroad, scientific institutions and economic subjects.

Technical College in Bjelovar is especially interested in the participation in mobility and knowledge transfer programs in the area of technical and biomedical sciences. The key interests of establishing international cooperation are common participation in international projects, cooperation in developing curricula and development of the teaching process. The priority is the cooperation with HEIs from abroad that educate experts in the area of technical and biomedical sciences from the European Union. We are primarily interested in the exchange of teaching staff and students.