

**Question for written answer E-004637/2016
to the Commission**
Rule 130
Siôn Simon (S&D)

Subject: UK host universities in the Erasmus exchange programme

In May 2016 the Commission replied to written question E-002906/2016 stating the number of students sent from the UK to participate in the Erasmus programme between 2000 and 2014, namely 144 000. The numbers of students participating have grown every year.

Indeed, the Erasmus programme allows thousands of students from the UK to experience other European cultures while gaining new skills. It is both fair and important that such cultural exchange should also take place in the other direction.

Hence, for the same period, can the Commission provide figures for the number of students from non-UK universities who have benefited from the Erasmus programme in the UK?

Can the Commission also provide a list of the universities which have received such students in the UK?