

**Question for written answer E-004338/2019
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Practical problems in the implementation of the Erasmus + programme

The Erasmus + programme offers tremendous opportunities for the dissemination and acquisition of new knowledge, skills and competences. However, because of the inability to align courses at students' home universities with those at their host universities, it is unfortunately often the case that students in practice cannot fit student exchanges into their regular curriculum, or have great difficulties in doing so.

What steps towards alleviating these practical difficulties is the Commission taking in order to encourage young people to participate in Erasmus + projects?

Does the Commission have a plan to make the process for recognising completed courses and harmonisation as simple as possible?