Declaration of Acceptance and Commitment

for Swiss European Mobility exchange students at PHTG

(Thurgau University of Teacher Education)

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| **Name, First Name** | Name, First name |
| **Home address** | Home address |
| **Tel. (with country code)** | Tel. (with country code) |
| **E-Mail** | E-Mail |
| **Home University** | Home University |
| **Country** | Country |
| **Academic year** | Academic year |

Duration: 1 Semester (= 5 months)

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| **Dates of the mobility period** | from: from | until: until |
| **Number of months** | Number of months |

I have the opportunity to complete a mobility period at the Thurgau University of Teacher Education (PHTG) and accept the Swiss-European mobility grant in the amount of

CHF \_\_\_\_\_\_/month = a total of **CHF** \_\_\_\_\_\_

which will be provided to me by the Swiss Confederation represented by the State Secretariat for Education, Research and Innovation (SERI), and undertake to

* only use the funding to cover the travel, living expenses and language preparation costs I incur in connection with the planned study trip abroad,
* agree the enclosed programme of study **(«learning agreement»)** with my home and host universities before the start of the mobility. I am also aware that any changes to the programme of study originally agreed must be documented in an updated learning agreement,
* write a **report about studying at the host university** using the enclosed template,
* repay part or all of the grant if I do not start the stay abroad or return early, or if I breach the obligations stated in this declaration

In addition, I have read the following basic conditions and agree to them:

1. I will keep to the study plan provided by PHTG and will complete the required evidence of achievement. I will find out about the regulations and legal basic conditions that apply at PHTG and will observe them.
2. If I am forced to interrupt my stay, I will immediately inform the responsible offices at PHTG (International Office) and my home university. Reasons for premature termination are accident, illness, death in the family, or natural disasters.
3. By three weeks at the latest after my mobility period is complete, I agree to write a final report (questionnaire and a personal experience report).
4. I agree to personally arrange sufficient insurance cover for illness, accident, travel and liability for the entire duration of the mobility period, and to take care of any immigration, residence and health formalities required by the police. I will provide the required insurance confirmation and other documents on matriculation at the PHTG.
5. In case of illness, accident or damage, I will pay for all costs which are not covered by my insurance myself.
6. PHTG disclaims all liability for damage or loss connected to the mobility programme and will not make good any damage or loss which participants have suffered or caused, unless so required by law.
7. Emergencies and other crises must be dealt with by the participant, including recourse to the professional rescue services and appropriate representative offices of their country. Where possible and necessary, PHTG will provide support.
8. In the case of problems, emergencies and other crises, my home university and the PHTG must be informed immediately. If necessary, the International Office is entitled to make direct contact with the home university.

**Payment Method**

**The monthly grant of** \_\_\_\_\_\_ **is transferred directly to PHTG and counts as partial payment of the monthly rent of CHF 456.30.**

Place, date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_