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ERASMUS+ BLENDED INTENSIVE PROGRAMME

REGIONAL RESEARCH METHODOLOGY AND ETHICS (REME!)

For study abroad, in the very small but smart country of Europe, in Lithuania



Face-to-face sessions: 18-22 of September, 2023

Online sessions: 25 of September – 13 of October, 2023

Curious, how to become a good researcher and to choose the right methodology for your research? Take a part in **REME!** This is an international Erasmus+ Blended Intensive Programme project: **REGIONAL RESEARCH METHODOLOGY AND ETHICS**, a blended mobility aimed at providing a rare opportunity for master degree students and faculty to foster the development of international learning and teaching in regional research methodology. The goal is to ensure both virtual and in-person research-based approaches in teaching and learning to help participants to find best methodological approaches to their regional researches. Be interested, get involved and discuss! **REME!**



REME! IS FOR MASTER DEGREE STUDENTS WHO:

- want to acquire new skills to become a better researcher with increased knowledge in regional research methodology.
- are willing to meet and discuss with the team of international professors from Lithuania, Latvia, Czech Republic, Bulgaria and United Kingdom.
- are enthusiastic about learning about other cultures.
- want to get ready for their international study abroad.

REME! THEMES:

- Answering the questions “why” and “how”: the foundation of research methodology;
- Strategic planning and its methods in the field of regional development;
- Quantitative research method: Conceptualization and operationalization in the field of regional development;
- Foundations in qualitative methods: mapping the field;
- The use of the Delphi method in regional research;
- Virtues ethics and Dilemma game for researchers of regional development.

REME! WORKS AS:

- 5 days face-to-face and later - online interaction between instructors and participants.
- Intensive classroom work and teamwork in Šiauliai Academy of Vilnius University.
- Online sessions of at least 2 hours per topic (4 hours per week) presenting and discussing assignments (tasks).
- Discussions, teamwork and research-based problem solving.

STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE:

- Development of knowledge and skills in the field.
- 3 ECTS credits after the mobility.
- The chance to meet and engage with international team of professors and international students.
- International and cultural experiences and connections.
- The opportunity to explore the beautiful Lithuania and social activities.
- Erasmus grant for the mobility to Vilnius University Šiauliai Academy will be provided by your home institution after nomination.

FAQS:

- *Do students need to pay any tuition fees?* No. Students will not be required to pay any fees to be enrolled.
- *How can I apply?* Students must keep in touch with the ERASMUS coordinator in their home institutions to submit the application for Erasmus+ mobility. After nomination from their home institutions, students will get the information about further procedures.
- *Where will I find accommodation in Šiauliai?* The dormitory is very close to the place of BIP! Participants will be provided with the accommodation if needed.

More information is on the university website (<https://www.sa.vu.lt/en/news/1392-erasmus-blended-intensive-programme-regional-research-methodology-and-ethics-reme>).

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 31st of MAY, 2023

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