



CALL FOR SELECTION OF STUDENTS TO STUDY FOR ONE SEMESTER AT THE UNIVERSITAT POLITÈCNICA DE VALÈNCIA (SPAIN), WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF ERASMUS+ KA171.

Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati and the Polytechnic University of Valencia (Spain) agreed to cooperate on the exchange of students and staff in the context of the **Erasmus+ KA171 program**.

To whom: Doctoral students at the Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati

Where to: Universitat Politècnica de València (UPV).

Period of the stay in the UPV: 01st Sept 2026 to 2nd Feb 2027

What: Selected doctoral students will carry out a research project at the UPV as part of their doctoral thesis in the UPV's **School of Agricultural Engineering and Environment**.

The text of this call for applicants is published in the following links:

The home institution link:
<https://www.iitg.ac.in/aer/home>

Project's website: <https://erasmus-ka171.webs.upv.es/>

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: 3rd or 4th year PhD students from Department of Biosciences and Bioengineering

UPV professor's area of specialization: Seed biology, Plant molecular biology, plant stress studies

APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED: BEFORE 23rd of March 2026 to Dean AER, IIT Guwahati (doaaer@iitg.ac.in/hosaa@iitg.ac.in)

The application should contain:

1. Academic record.
2. Personal CV in English.
3. English certificate: B2 or higher.
4. Motivation letter where the applicant expresses the reasons why she/he wishes to participate in this exchange.

5. Doctoral students must previously agree on the stay with the UPV professor who will supervise their research during the mobility. They shall present a document that refers to the research to be carried out at the UPV, with the approval of both the thesis supervisor and the UPV professor.

The Selection Committee will consider the following criteria: The GPA (up to 5 points); English Certificate (B2 4 points, C1 4.5 points and C2 5 points); The motivation letter (up to 5 points); Applicant's CV (up to 5 points); Research proposal (up to 5 points).

The list of candidates with the scores obtained will be published on the home institution website (<https://www.iitg.ac.in/aer/home>) and on the Project website [Erasmus+](#). The candidates will have one week to present the claims they deem appropriate to the selection committee.

After this period, the selection committee will resolve the claims, if any, and issue the final list of nominees and reserve list, which home institution website (<https://www.iitg.ac.in/aer/home>) and on the Project website [Erasmus+](#).

