



Student Agreement – Cohort 2026

THE UNDERSIGNED

The University of L'Aquila in Italy, Coordinating Institution of the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree (EMJM) *InterMaths (Interdisciplinary Mathematics)*, represented by *Prof. Marco Di Francesco, Coordinator* of the one part,

AND

<<StudentName>>, born on <<BirthDate>> in <<BirthPlace>>, Nationality: <<Nationality>>, Student ID: <<MatricNumber>> (hereinafter referred to as **the Student**, of the other part)

have agreed on the following terms and conditions.

Article 1: Enrollment, attendance and assessment

1.1. The Coordinator has verified that the student has submitted all the documentation about previous qualifications required for enrolment in the InterMaths EMJM, and has also verified that the student has an advanced level of spoken and written English (B2~C1 level according to C.E.F.R.).

1.2. The student will regularly attend all the courses given in the two-year EMJM *InterMaths*. The student will also participate in all the intermediate tests and all the other mandatory activities (seminars, conferences, internships, etc.). Any absences should be motivated by a valid reason and communicated in advance, if possible, to the coordination office at intermaths@univaq.it.

1.3. The InterMaths EMJM is structured in four semesters, awarding 30 ECTS credits each. The student mobility scheme will involve two partner institutions, at least. More specifically,

- The student will spend the first semester at the University of L'Aquila [September 2026 - February 2027].
- The student will spend the second semester at <<Sem2>> [March 2027 - September 2027].
- The student will spend the second year at <<Year2>> [October 2027 - September 2029] following the study path "<<Year2Path>>".

1.4. The courses to attend are those stated in the InterMaths study plan, as it has been approved by the European Commission and detailed at the webpage <https://www.intermaths.eu/erasmus-mundus/structure> and the links therein. The standard length of the whole InterMaths programme is 24 months, from September 2026 to September 2028. The student cannot graduate before the end of such a period.

1.5. The dates of the intermediate tests (if any) will be communicated to the student's institutional email address: name.surname@student.univaq.it

At the end of each semester, the student will sit all the examinations related to all the courses listed in the study plan of the corresponding semester until she finally succeeds in passing them. The student will participate in all the examinations except in case of circumstances beyond her control. It is the strict duty of the student to pass all the aforementioned examinations by the end of the related semester. At the end of the fourth semester, the

student will have to defend her thesis - any deferment of this point will have to be authorised by the InterMaths coordinator.

1.6. Upon successfully completing all the activities of the InterMaths programme (120 ECTS credits minimum), including the successful defence of her thesis, the student will be awarded a **Joint Master Degree in Interdisciplinary Mathematics**. The student will also receive a final transcript of records and a Diploma Supplement, stating detailed information (grades, marks, GPA) about the course units attended and the general structure of the programme.

1.7. If the student fails an examination or does not make sufficient progress in the intermediate tests or does not regularly attend the InterMaths courses and the mandatory activities without providing justification with medical certificates or evidence of a *force majeure* issue, the student will receive a probation letter. At the end of the probation period, the Executive Committee of the InterMaths programme will deliberate about the possibility of excluding her from the InterMaths programme.

1.8. The student understands that she will be excluded from the InterMaths programme if any of these cases occur:

- a) fails to validate a semester of study by acquiring the required ECTS credits,
- b) is the subject of disciplinary measures leading to her exclusion from the partner universities,
- c) is the subject of legal prosecutions that prevent her from attending the InterMaths programme,
- d) withdraws from the InterMaths programme or interrupts their participation on her own decision or by *force majeure*.

In case of exclusion, the student will give back the monthly allowance related to the month in which she has been dismissed and scholarship payments are suspended.

The consortium reserves the right to allow special exceptions with regard to point a).

With regard to point d), if the participation is temporarily interrupted, the consortium reserves the right to resume the suspended scholarship at a later stage, provided that the project is still ongoing and following duly justified and well-documented reasons.

Article 2. Scholarship arrangements

2.1. The EMJM Programme provides the student with a scholarship of **EUR 33,600**. This scholarship will be provided through **monthly instalments of 1,400 EUR** from September 2026 to August 2028.

2.2. To receive their payments, the student will have to open a bank account in Italy (or even within the SEPA area). All the payments will be made by the University of L'Aquila via the D.I.S.I.M. (Department of Information Engineering, Computer Science and Mathematics).

2.3 The Student is aware that:

- They cannot benefit from another EU-funded scholarship scheme to follow the InterMaths or another EMJM master's course for the entire period of enrolment in this course. Moreover, the Student confirms not having already benefited from a previous Erasmus Mundus Joint Master (EMJM) scholarship.
- The financial support they will receive will follow the rules of the EU as explained in the Erasmus+ Programme guide, and said support shall be repaid in case of fraud or false declaration.
- A reduction of the scholarship is made if the minimum mobility requirements are not fulfilled (proportionate amount corresponding, for instance, to the missing mobility period of the concerned academic semester).

Article 3: Responsibility for health and social insurance

3.1. The InterMaths Consortium offers the student an insurance scheme free of charge, which complies with the minimum requirements set out by EACEA. This insurance covers risks related to health, accidents, death,

permanent invalidity and civil responsibility. For any additional needs, the student will take full responsibility for her health and social insurance.

Article 4: Main services provided by the Consortium, communications and others

4.1. The InterMaths Consortium, through their dedicated staff members, and/or International Relations Offices at the assigned universities, will offer Student support with a variety of subjects including: Visa application; accommodation; official enrolment at university; residence permit application; opening of a bank account; application for an Italian tax number; application for transport passes and canteen tickets; advice on academic policies and procedures; information about the university and local community; referrals for students with special needs; reporting of instances of racism, sexism, harassment or discrimination; other daily needs where language support might be required.

4.2 The Student is provided with an institutional email address *name.surname@student.univaq.it*. All communications from/to lecturers and staff must be carried out through the said email address. The InterMaths Coordination Office uses the email address *intermaths@univaq.it* to communicate with the students, individually and jointly, depending on the subject. The Student is responsible for their frequent and careful check of the emails coming from the InterMaths Staff. The Student will inform the coordination office as soon as possible of any events or circumstances likely to affect the present Agreement.

4.3. The Student agrees to participate in evaluations and surveys conducted by the consortium

4.4. The Student is aware that, as an EMJM student, they have the opportunity to join the Erasmus Mundus Students and Alumni Association from their official website: www.em-a.eu. The mission of this Association, which is a network for students and alumni of all the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's, is to serve the interests of Erasmus Mundus Students and Alumni, providing a forum for networking, communication, and collaboration.

Article 5: Dispute settlements

5.1. Complaints may be emailed to the coordination office, which will forward them to the relevant Coordinators when needed.

5.2. Parties will try to resolve disputes arising from this agreement in a conciliatory manner. If no solution is reached, a binding decision will be made by the Executive Committee of the InterMaths Programme.

L'Aquila (Italy), 21/09/2026

Prof. Marco Di Francesco
Coordinator of the InterMaths EMJM Programme

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The Student