

# Intercultural Skills Award



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has developed excellent intercultural skills and fulfilled all four of the ability requirements.

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## Area of competence 1

International experience related to the study programme

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## Area of competence 2

Foreign languages

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## Area of competence 3

Courses on intercultural competence

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## Area of competence 4

Intercultural involvement

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### Area of competence 1 - International experience related to the study programme

Students expand their professional competence in a foreign language and a new cultural environment and are able to experience their field of study from a different perspective. This includes the participation in one of the following BOKU mobility programmes (e.g. Erasmus+, CEEPUS, Joint Study, KUWI etc.):

- a.) Study abroad (at least 2 months)
- b.) Research stay abroad (at least 2 months full-time)
- c.) Internship abroad (at least 2 months full-time)

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### Area of competence 2 - Foreign languages

Students improve their communication skills needed in an international work or research environment. These include:

- a.) BOKU language course (at least 1 semester or intensive course)
- b.) Tandem language course (at least 1 semester)
- c.) Language course at a partner university as part of a BOKU mobility programme (at least 1 semester or intensive course)

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### Area of competence 3 - Courses on intercultural competence

Students address intercultural topics on a theoretical level and acquire strategies for successful interaction in an international context. This includes (at least 2 ECTS):

- a.) BOKU-LV 120999, BOKU-LV 735336, or BOKU-LV 120998
- b.) Other relevant BOKU courses
- c.) Intercultural courses of partner universities (exchange via BOKU mobility programme as part of a BOKU study programme)

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### Area of competence 4 - Intercultural involvement

Students put their intercultural skills into practice, thereby expanding their international network and contributing to the internationalization of BOKU. These include:

- a.) Participation in the BOKU buddy programme (at least 1 semester) & activity as „Ambassador - BOKU goes international“
- b.) Engagement in an international student organization (AIESEC, IAAS, IAESTE, ESN, ELSA, ÖH Department for International Affairs, ÖH Department for Foreign Students or similar for at least 1 semester)

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