Open Application for BIP – Language and translation tools

We are excited to announce the start of the application period for the Erasmus Blended Intensive Program (BIP) on *Language and translation tools* hosted by our partner university, the *University of Rijeka*, Croatia.

A Blended Intensive Programme is a short-term physical mobility with an online part (virtual component).

More detailed information about the BIP-HERE

The BIP will take place between 20 - 24 October 2025 (27-29 October hybrid) in University of Rijeka, Croatia. There will be a mandatory virtual part, too. Dates of virtual part of BIP: 27 October - 17 November 2025

Requirements:

To be a student at Shumen University studying a Bachelor's or Master's degree in a foreign language (English, Russian, German, Turkish, etc.)

English Language: Level B1

What do you get?

Erasmus grant: 79 euro per day (example: 5 days physical mobility + travel support about 300 euro)

ECTS credits: of one course (Computer-assisted translation 4 ECTS). Students participating in the program can acquire a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 4 ECTS credits. In order to pass a course, a student is required to submit a critical analysis of a given topic in the respective field and conduct an applied project that utilizes knowledge and tools from the field.

Schedule for days: 1-5 will be issued several days prior to arrival. Days 6-8 will be dedicated to individual sessions, allowing for one-on-one online or in-person guidance and personalized feedback.

Learning outcomes:

By the end of the programme, participants will be able to:

- Describe the historical development of computer-assisted translation (CAT) and machine translation (MT).
- Explain key concepts and terminology related to CAT and MT.
- Demonstrate proficiency in using modern software tools and services for both CAT and MT.
- Apply appropriate translation methods and techniques supported by theoretical knowledge.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of various CAT and MT tools in different translation contexts.

• Identify and address practical challenges encountered in the use of translation technologies.

Application DEADLINE at Shumen University: 12.09.2025

Don't miss this chance to improve your language skills. Apply now! You can find the necessary documents <u>HERE</u>:

The application is online, you can find the **APPLICATION FORM**: <u>HERE</u>

If you don't have a certificate, you can ask one of your teachers to evaluate your language proficiency and fill in the following form: LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY FORM FOR ERASMUS+ STUDENTS- HERE

For more information, you can contact the ERASMUS office at: erasmus@shu.bg.

Mobile phone: +359/88 484 4583/ +359/88 993 83 86