

APPLICATION FORM | RUHR UNIVERSITY BOCHUM

UNIC InterTeach BIP 2027

How to create global classrooms:
Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

RUB APPLICATION DEADLINE**15 November 2026, 24:00 CET**

End of day, German local time.

Travel and accommodation costs are fully covered via Erasmus+ BIP funding.

2 RUB places + waiting list

Please complete this form **in English**. Save the completed PDF and follow the submission instructions on the RUB call webpage. Saving the PDF does not submit your application.

Programme dates

ONLINE | all times CEST (German summer time)

5 April 2027	14:30-17:00
12 April 2027	15:00-17:00
19 April 2027	15:00-17:00
26 April 2027	15:00-17:30

ON-SITE

10-14 May 2027

University of Oulu, Finland
Linnanmaa campus

1. Personal information

Full name**Email address****Home institution****Faculty / Department****Job title****Current course(s) you are teaching**

2. Eligibility confirmation

Please select one answer for each statement.

I have a valid employment contract at Ruhr University Bochum that covers the full duration of the programme (April-May 2027).

☐ Yes ☐ No

I have approval from my supervisor / head of unit to participate in this programme.

☐ Yes, approval obtained ☐ Pending (exception) ☐ No

Approval should already be in place when you apply. In exceptional cases it may be submitted later. Please contact Paula Ruppert if approval is pending.

I have active teaching responsibilities during the current academic year.

☐ Yes ☐ No

I am able to participate in all four online sessions on 5, 12, 19 and 26 April 2027, at the times listed on page 1.

☐ Yes ☐ No

I am able to participate in the physical mobility at the University of Oulu, Finland, from 10 to 14 May 2027.

☐ Yes ☐ No

I am sufficiently proficient in English to read, discuss and work actively in the programme.

☐ Yes ☐ No

Active participation in both programme components includes completing the required programme activities and tasks.

Selection at RUB

A ZfW team applies the agreed selection criteria. Maximum score: **10 points**.

Motivation and alignment with the programme themes	0-3
Potential to apply learning in teaching practice	0-3
Potential to share programme outcomes with colleagues	0-2
First-time international staff development / Erasmus+ staff mobility	0-1
Previous participation in UNIC activities	0-1

No previous Virtual Exchange or UNIC experience is required. Concrete application ideas are expected.

3. Motivation

Maximum 250 words

How does your motivation for participating in this programme align with its core themes of internationalisation, intercultural learning, international collaboration, and virtual mobility?

4. Impact on your teaching

Maximum 250 words

How do you plan to apply the knowledge and skills gained from this programme in your own teaching practice? Please provide concrete examples.

5. Impact on your institution

Maximum 200 words

How do you plan to share the programme outcomes with colleagues at your department, faculty, or university level (e.g. a presentation or article)?

6. Previous international staff development experience

Have you previously participated in an international staff development programme?

☐ No, this would be my first programme

☐ Yes

7. Previous UNIC activities experience

Have you previously participated in any UNIC activities (e.g. UNIC InterTeach, UNIC VIP Fund or UNIC CityLabs)?

☐ No, this would be my first activity

☐ Yes

If yes, describe the activity / activities; otherwise leave blank.

Maximum 200 words