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# INTERNATIONAL STAFF WEEK

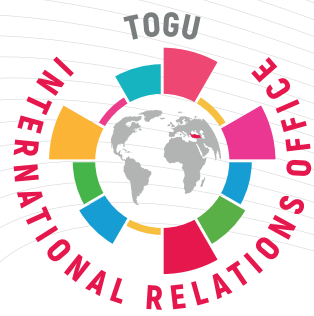
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## **3RD ERASMUS+**

# **INTERNATIONAL STAFF WEEK**

(16-20, OCTOBER 2023)

In line with the "Inclusion and Diversity" European Union agenda, we are organizing our 3rd International Staff Week at Tokat Gaziosmanpaşa University between the 16th and 20th of October 2023. The event will take place within the framework of Erasmus+ Program 171 ICM and program countries. Academic and administrative staffs from all over the world are also invited to take part in this event. The theme of this year's Staff Week is about "Assisting Student Integration". In this framework, we look forward to explore the policies of our host universities in assisting socio-cultural involvement of students, as well as to share their experiences and achievements in this field.

\* The sessions will be held in English.



### **Themes and Goals :**

The event aims to share knowledge and experiences as well as to foster awareness for a more integration-friendly student environment in higher education. We will focus on how to integrate local and international students in higher education institutions. Due to many factors as relocation for better education, or natural disasters and even war, local and international students need to be assisted and well-integrated in their university environment.

This Staff Week aspires to develop new ideas to help provide support to both international and local students and help create a culturally diverse and peaceful university community with local groups.

### **Expected Results :**

- To discuss the ways of integration of students in their university environment and sharing good practices for this.
- To elaborate new practices on the concept of integrating students in their university environment.
- \*To establish a common understanding of those who may be considered people with fewer opportunities and discussing including them in the policies of higher education institutions.
- To increase the awareness and competences of participants to improve the inclusion and diversity dimension
- To promote good examples and experiences related to implementations fostering inclusion and diversity.
- To help cooperation and provide a communication channel (platform) for exchange of ideas and networking opportunities among participants.

**Additional Information :**

Attending the social part which is programmed for the 19th and 20th of October is optional. A tour to Cappadocia sightseeing will be organized. The expenses are borne by the participants who are willing to attend the tour.

**Partners and Participants :**

Maximum number of places participants is 40. Within the scope of this staff week, we hope to have guests from Erasmus 171 ICM project as well as guests from programme countries.

**Application :**

Participants should send an e-mail to [staffweek@gop.edu.tr](mailto:staffweek@gop.edu.tr) with their CV and Certificate of employment. Participants will be informed by e-mail.

**Deadline: 20th of June 2023 – 15th of August 2023**

**Maximum number of participants: 40 (first-come-first-served principle)**

**Registration Fee:** Guests are exempt from registration fees  
**(except for participation in the Cappadocia excursion)**

**Contact details :**

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**Tel :** +90 356 352 11 32

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INTERNATIONAL STAFF WEEK

## PROGRAM

## TIME

## FIRST DAY (16.10.2023)

10:00

Arrival of the guests, Registration, Issuance of badges,

10:30

Offerings (Tea, Coffee...etc.)

11:00

Presentation of TOGÜ and the Staff Week

12:00

Lunch

13:30

1st session of Getting to know each other: Presentation of  
Participants' institutions and Countries (10- 15 minutes each)

14:00

Calling Participants to present some of their

Countries' traditional dishes + Coffee Break

14:30

2nd session of Getting to know each other: Presentation of  
Participants' institutions and Countries (10- 15 minutes each)

15:00

Offering TOGU Erasmus Office gift promotions to our partners

## TIME

## 17.10.2023

10:00

1st session: Presentation of "Inclusion and Diversity" policy

10:30

Coffee Break

11:00

**2nd session:** Presentation of experiences and policies on "Inclusion and Diversity"

12:00

Lunch

13:30

**3rd session:** Presentation of experiences and policies on "Inclusion and Diversity"

## TIME

## 18.10.2023

09:30

**Tokat Gaziosmanpaşa University Tour**

12:00

Lunch

13:30

**Tokat City Tour**

## 19.10.2023 – 20.10.2023

**Cappadocia Tour (Optional)**

Expenses are borne by the participant. Details about prices will be shared soon

## 2 DAYS CAPPADOCIA TOUR ( 19-20 Octobre 2023 )

# PROGRAM



### DAY 1 TOUR PROGRAM

- Devrent valley ( Imagination Valley )
- Çavuşin fairy's chimneys
- Avanos Red River and pottery demonstration
- Love Valley
- Göreme National Park view point ( Esentepe )
- Uçhisar Castle
- Pigeon Valley
- Onyx demonstration
- Sunset view point ( Red Valley )

### DAY 2 TOUR PROGRAM

- Mustafapaşa Greek Village ( Sinassos )
- Derinkuyu Underground City
- Ancient Göre Village and slope houses view
- Lunch
- Göreme Open Air Museum
- Drive to Tokat



### NOTES:

- You can experience famous hot air balloon flight as optional on the 20th morning if you wish. Please contact us in advance.
- If you wish you can experience Cappadocia cave entertainment which is called as Turkish night where you can try local drinks and enjoy local music. The prices of Turkish night will be shared soon.







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