

Student Agreement – EMJM Scholarship holder Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Europhotonics

Between

Europhotonics Consortium

dually represented in the present Agreement by Prof Amélie Litman, Department of Physics, Faculty of Science, Campus Marseille St Charles, 3 Place Victor Hugo, 13331 Marseille, France
(Hereinafter referred to as the “**Coordinator**”),

and

Surname / Family name: _____

Given names: _____

Date of birth: _____

Place of birth: _____

Nationality: _____

Country of residence: _____

(Hereinafter referred to as the “**Student**”),

enter into the present Agreement under the following terms and conditions:

Section I. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

Article I.1 Object

This agreement, which all parties declare they have read and approved, governs the relationship between the parties and defines the rights and obligations associated with their participation in the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master (EMJM) educational programme, approved by the European Commission under Convention n° 101128124 — EUROPHOTONICS — ERASMUS-EDU-2023-PEX-EMJM-MOB date 06/10/2023 (Grant agreement). The Europhotonics Consortium which governs this educational program consists of

Aix-Marseille Universite, France

(Hereinafter referred to as the “**Coordinating Institution**”)

Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT) / Karlsruhe School of Optics & Photonics (KSOP)
(Germany)

Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya (UPC) / Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB) /
Universitat de Barcelona (UB) / Institut de Ciències Fotòniques (ICFO) (Spain)

Tampere University (Finland)

Vilnius University (Lithuania)

(Hereinafter referred collectively to as “**Full Partners**” or “**Host Institutions**”)

Centrale Marseille (France)

Mahindra University (India)

Institut Teknologi Bandung (Indonesia)

National Taipei University of Technology (Taiwan)

University of Sydney (Australia)

Université Cheikh Anta Diop UCAD (Senegal)

Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico (Mexico)

University of Rochester (USA)

Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology (Ghana)

(Hereinafter referred collectively to as the “**Associated Partners**”)

(Hereinafter referred collectively to as the “**Consortium**”)

Article I.2 Duration

The Student Agreement shall enter on force on September 1st, 2025, for a duration of two academic years.

Article I.3 Amendment

Any alteration to the present Agreement must be communicated in writing. All alterations to the initial situation must be immediately communicated by the Student to the Coordinating and Host Institutions. Upon mutual agreement of contractual modifications, the Coordinating Institution will issue an addendum to the present contract.

Article I.4 Termination

A Student may withdraw at any time giving written notice to the Coordinating Institution. Financial implications of this withdrawal are detailed in Section V. Withdraw of the Student leads to the termination of the present agreement, without recourse to any juridical procedure apart from adequate communication to the academic and administrative staff.

The Consortium may decide to exclude a Student from the Europhotonics programme for good cause, giving written notice to the Student. Good cause includes Student’s breach of this agreement, refusal to cooperate or to follow the Consortium decisions, as detailed in Article VI.3. Financial implications of this exclusion are detailed in Section V. Exclusion leads to the termination of the present agreement, without recourse to any juridical procedure apart from adequate communication with the student.

Article I.5 Appeal procedure and dispute resolution

If a dispute arises out of or relating to any aspect of the Student Agreement between the Consortium and the Student, the Student may appeal on the Consortium decision (including but not limited to grading policy and performance outcomes, mobility, graduation, scholarship management and student exclusion) by transmitting a written and signed statement to the Europhotonics Coordinator and the Europhotonics Mediation Officer within two weeks following the notification of the decision.

In case of issues, complaints, or ethical problems, related to a specific service or facility provided by a Partner Institution, the student can contact either independently or jointly the Local Coordinator, the Mediation Officer of the concerned university, or the Europhotonics Mediation Officer. Resolution of complaints and appeals will be analyzed by the Europhotonics Consortium

Committee, in connection with the competent bodies in charge of these issues in the universities concerned.

The Europhotonics Committee is primarily responsible for conflict cases settlement. The Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) should not be contacted directly by the student alone, but by the Consortium if the conflict, despite the appeal decision, is not resolved.

Failing agreement by both parts, the French courts are designated as the only competent authorities to resolve any legal dispute between the Institution and the Student emerging from the Contract. The present Contract will be governed by French Law.

Section II. ACADEMIC DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAMME

Article II.1 Programme objective

The Europhotonics Master programme aims at preparing specialists in the field of Photonics. The students receive a high-level training program and achieve qualification levels to be able to synthesize, design, evaluate, and develop new components and systems. They will be prepared for studies at Ph.D. level or for working on research projects in industry. The overall structure of the master programme is a combination of courses with the intent of offering a dual scientific/engineering education. The mobility scheme and the course structure are based on progressive learning from basic modules to specializations.

Article II.2 Programme studies

The programme is a 24-month (2 years) full-time Master study programme and is awarded by 120 ECTS.

At the beginning of the programme, the student attends an integration week in early September of Year N at the Coordinating Institution. The study program is organized among the Full Partners with 3 academic study Terms and one Term devoted to the Master Thesis:

Term 1 = Marseille (30 ECTS).

Term 2 = Marseille (30 ECTS) or Karlsruhe (30 ECTS).

Term 3 = Marseille (30 ECTS) or Karlsruhe (30 ECTS) or Barcelona (30 ECTS) or Tampere (30 ECTS) or Vilnius (30 ECTS).

Term 4 is dedicated to laboratory and research activities to present the Master Thesis (30 ECTS).

The first two terms are dedicated to the teaching of fundamentals in the first term and core subjects in optics and photonics in the second term. The third term corresponds to specialization teaching, with specific scientific fields provided by the different Partners, still inside a frame which is common to the Consortium.

These teaching lectures will be completed by practicals and lab works, including possibilities for industrial internships. Lectures in languages, management and project organization will be delivered as human sciences complementary knowledge which is essential for future scientists.

The description of the academic program, the timetable of the mandatory courses and the description of each course is available on the Europhotonics website (<https://www.europhotonics.org>).

The teaching language is English.

Modification of the modules and ECTS repartition within a Term are subject to change after the Europhotonics Consortium Committee common decision, in conformity with the provisions and regulations issued by the relevant bodies of the universities concerned.

Article II.3 Internship

An internship is compulsory during Term 2. This internship must follow the rules defined by the University where the student is enrolled at the starting date of the internship. An internship cannot overlap with the timeframe of the courses.

Students may perform extracurricular internships to get some practical experience during their university studies if it does not overlap with the timeframe of the courses.

Article II.4 Master thesis

Master thesis are results of the research project carried out by a student during the Term n°4 of the Master program. A Master thesis can only be completed at a Full Partner University, an Associated Partner University, or a company.

The Consortium publishes in fall of Year N+1 a list of Master Thesis proposals on the Europhotonics intranet for Student perusal. A Student may also submit another Master Thesis topic, upon approval of the Master Thesis Committee.

This University where the student is enrolled for Term n°4 is responsible for organizing the academic and administrative part of the Master Thesis, even if the placement of the Master thesis is not performed at that Partner university. The Master thesis is always supervised by at least one academic supervisor from a Full Partner University.

A Master thesis cannot extend more than 6 months unless for duly notified reasons approved by the Consortium Committee. The Master thesis defence must be held before the end of September unless for duly notified reasons approved by the Consortium Committee.

The evaluation of the Master thesis is performed by the Master Thesis Committee. This Committee is composed of at least two Local Coordinators or their representatives, one of them being necessarily from the Partner University where the student is enrolled during term n°4. Other teaching members may be invited if local rules request a larger panel.

The final Master thesis grade considers the supervisor evaluation, the Master thesis dissertation evaluation and the Master thesis defence oral evaluation. The evaluation criteria are defined jointly by the Consortium, in respect with the local rules of the Partners Universities.

Article II.5 Spring School

The Spring school is an important part of the master program to enhance an effective integration in a professional environment. It consists of advanced lectures related to the fields taught in the Master Courses as well as presentations from researchers at the international level and from professionals working in companies. The Spring School will give the students the opportunity to develop career perspectives with external actors in photonics.

The Spring school, of around 1 week duration maximum, brings together all 1st and 2nd year students. It is organized every year at the end of March/beginning of April. The location of the Spring school is decided by the Europhotonics Consortium.

Article II.6 Schedule

The starting date, first session exams, resit dates and ending dates of a given Term are defined before the starting of said Term. Schedule for current Term is available either physically on the premises of the Host Institution or online.

Section III. GRADING AND AWARDING

Article III.1 Examination procedure

The allocation of credits and the examination scheme follow the recommendations of the ECTS Users' Guide. The assessment procedure determines to what extent each student has mastered the learning outcomes that a Europhotonics graduate student should acquire.

Examinations take place at the end of each course. Student's performance is assessed in compliance with the terms of the applicable rules and regulations of the Partner where the courses/units are taken. The performance assessment criteria are available before the beginning of the unit on the intranet of the local Host University.

Examinations for Terms 1, 2, and 3 can be organized through written/oral exams, reports on Lab-works, project reports, and oral presentations. The Master thesis evaluation is detailed in Article II.4.

Article III.2 Grading scale correspondence

Marks collected at each Partner University can be transformed into a single grading system thanks to a conversion table based on ECTS credit transfer and grading, jointly defined by all Partners.

ECTS Scale	Barcelona	Karlsruhe	Marseille	Tampere	Vilnius
A+ EXCELLENT	10	1	18-20	5	10
A EXCELLENT	9.0-10	1.7 - 1.0	16-17.9	5	10
B VERY GOOD	8-8.9	2.5 – 1.7	14-15.9	4	9
C GOOD	7-7.9	3.2 – 2.6	12-13.9	3	8
D SATISFACTORY	6-6.9	3.6 – 3.3	11-11.9	2	7; 6
E SUFFICIENT	5-5.9	4.0 - 3.7	10-10.9	1	5
FX (FAIL) F (FAIL : no credit)	0-4.9	5.0 – 4.0	0-9.9	0	4; 3; 2; 1

Article III.3 Retakes

Apart from the Master Thesis evaluation, a Student who does not validate the written assessment exam on the first attempt, may take it two more times (resit), regardless the chosen mobility institution.

Article III.4 Graduation rules

Course validation: Each course module is independently validated. Students obtaining a grade equal to or better than the minimum pass mark fixed by the local regulation receive the number of ECTS credits associated with this course.

Term validation: A Term is validated if all the Courses of this Term are validated, with at least 30 ECTS capitalized.

Entry in Master 2: Students can pursue their studies in the second year only if they have validated their Term n°1 and if they are missing less than 15 ECTS for Term n° 2 at the end of their first study year. Exceptions can be made for well documented reasons approved by the Consortium committee.

Programme validation: Students must have passed all course credits as well as their Master's thesis to be awarded the double/multiple degrees consisting of 120 ECTS.

Any Master 1 or Master 2 student who fails to earn the requested ECTS by the end of the corresponding academic year may be expelled (without completion) from the programme by decision of the Consortium Committee and their scholarship (if any managed by the Consortium) discontinued.

Article III.5 Degree awarding

The successful completion of the curriculum is rewarded by multiple diplomas. The local diplomas are:

Aix Marseille Université	Master de Physique Fondamentale et Applications, Parcours Optics & Photonics (Europhotonics)
Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Universitat de Barcelona	Erasmus Mundus Master in Photonics
Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)	Master of Science (M.Sc.)
Tampere University	Master of Science (Technology) - Master's degree programme in Photonics Technologies, Joint degree Europhotonics
Vilnius University	Fizinių mokslų magistras - Master of Physical Sciences programme in Laser Physics and Optical Technologies

Each student receives multiple degree diplomas from the universities where he/she has studied during his/her chosen Europhotonics study-path. The diploma /degree is awarded by each university on the condition that the graduate student has validated a minimum of 30 ECTS in that Partner university and has succeeded in achieving the complete 120 ECTS to get a Master degree in the frame of Europhotonics programme. The student must comply with the study and examination regulations of each of the Partners, especially the requirements for registration and evaluation procedure concerning the master thesis, in particular for Karlsruhe Institute of Technology and Vilnius University. Failure to observe this regulation may result in the refusal to issue degree-awarding from these two universities.

Article III.6 Diploma Supplement

A personalized Diploma Supplement detailing the student's own curriculum, study-path, learning outcomes, internships and master thesis topics will be issued for each graduate by the Coordinator.

Section IV. MOBILITY AND STUDENT REGISTRATION

Article IV.1 Mobility rules

The Mobility is submitted to some rules defined by the European Agency and by the EuroPhotonics Consortium, which restrict the number of places at each partner institutions.

Students must spend their study period in at least two of the European consortium partner countries (France, Germany, Spain, Finland, Lithuania). Therefore, all the students must spend at least one courses term in a university of the consortium other than Aix-Marseille. At least two of the countries visited during the Master must be different from the country of residence of the student at the enrolment stage.

For each student, the decision regarding the student's mobility must be set midway through the first Term. The decisions are taken by the Europhotonics Consortium Committee, which take the student's wishes and academic grades into consideration, while upholding the principles for mobility detailed afterwards.

For each intake, there should be an equivalent number of EMJM scholarship-holder students in Marseille and Karlsruhe during Term n° 2, plus or minus one.

For Term n°3, the distribution of the group that consists of initially 17 EMJM scholarship holder students is carried out on the basis of 5 students in Marseille and 3 students in all other Europhotonics Consortium partners.

The 4th Term (Master Thesis) can only be completed at a Full Partner University, an Associated Partner University, or a company. Moreover, the subject of the Master Thesis must be approved by the Master Thesis Committee.

Article IV.2 Student registration

The student must be registered at the Coordinating University for the entire duration of the Master program. Meanwhile, the student must also register at the Partner university for each term they spend there, depending on the student's mobility scheme (see Article IV.1).

A student with a mobility at KIT during Term n°2 or n°3 is entitled to get a diploma only if they have been registered at KIT until the end of their study period.

During Term n°4, the student must be registered in the host institution supervising the Master thesis. If the host institution is not a Partner but an Associated Partner or a company, the student must be enrolled in the Partner University where they have spent the Term n°3.

Article IV.3 Administrative services

Full Partners will provide to the Student with tuition, supervision and support services of a professional standard. The Student is entitled to receive administrative services from the Full Partners with whom they are registered, in relation to guidance and support on administrative steps to be taken (visa application, residence permit, potential housing arrangement and allowances, information on student life, registration, timetables, campus services, university regulations, graduation rules, diploma delivery, health and sport services).

Section V. FINANCING

Article V.1 Registration and tuition fees

V.1.a. EMJM scholarship-holder students do not have to pay any tuition and registration fees themselves only for two years of enrolment. The Coordinating Institution is dealing with

the transfers of funds between the various Hosts Institutions that correspond to these costs during that period.

V.1.b. The student will have to pay online the Student Life and Campus Contribution (CVEC) before their arrival at the Coordinator Institution. They will be reimbursed for this CVEC fee after their arrival and enrolment at the Coordinator Institution and with a proof of payment.

V.1.c. At the Coordinating Institution, the tuition fees are the same as those paid by the local students registered in the institution. The articles L 123-7-1 and R7 19-50-1 of the Education Code in France will not apply with regards to the payment of differentiated rates for students from outside EU.

V.1.d. Students, who are liable to pay tuition fees according to national legislation in Germany, receive a tuition fee waiver based on the Europhotonics Partnership agreement during their studies at Karlsruhe Institute of Technology. However, if a student is studying in master's degree for a second time in order to get a second university degree from KIT, the tuition fee waiver is not applying for the student enrolled in KIT.

V.1.e. Students, who are liable to pay tuition fees according to national legislation in Finland, receive a tuition fee waiver based on the Europhotonics Partnership agreement during their studies at Tampere University. Tuition fee waiver for the autumn semester at Tampere University (fifth semester) is only awarded for the thesis work, the courses have to be completed.

V.1.f. Students who are liable to pay tuition fees according to national legislation in Vilnius receive a tuition fee waiver based on the Europhotonics Partnership agreement during their studies at Vilnius University only for two years of enrolment.

Article V.2 EMJM monthly allowance

The EMJM scholarship will be paid to the Student in maximum twenty four (24) monthly allowances of one thousand four hundreds (1400) Euro (pro-rata of the actual number of days) each to cover all costs related to travel, visa, instalment and subsistence costs for the duration that the student will be on the programme.

The EMJM scholarship is awarded exclusively for a full-time enrolment in one of the Programme intakes.

An EMJM scholarship-holder Student who fails for academic reasons to validate a Term loses the EMJM financial benefit and is considered as a drop-out student.

Upon their arrival in Marseille, the student will open an account in a bank proposed by the consortium. The monthly allowance will be paid by bank transfer on this account for the whole duration of the Master program. The Student is responsible for submitting the correct data concerning their bank account.

The travel costs from the student's home country to the Coordinating Institution shall be fully covered by the student's own resources. The payment of the monthly allowance will begin up to 60 days after the student's physical arrival in Marseille and their official enrolment at the Coordinating Institution.

The scholarship does not create or entitle an employer-employee relation between the University and the Student, and therefore is not subject to direct taxation.

The student who has chosen, for the housing, to stay in the residences booked by the Consortium allows, in case of degradations caused by them in the residence, or in case of non-payment of the bill, a direct debit of the amount due from their scholarship.

Article V.3 Institutional contribution

The amount received by the Consortium given by the European Commission for the Institutional costs is up to 750€ per month per scholarship holder.

This money will not be transferred to the Student but will be directly used by the Consortium to pay tuition/registration fees, students' insurance coverage and participation to the running of the Joint Master Program (including the organization of the Europhotonics Spring school).

Article V.4 Insurance

The Consortium will arrange and pay for insurance cover for the Student within the minimum requirements of the EACEA during their participation in the programme, up to two academic years.

Article V.5 Student with special needs

EMJM Students with disabilities (e.g. long-term physical, mental, intellectual, or sensory impairments) are eligible to an additional contribution for individual needs, if they fulfil the general eligibility conditions. Prior their arrival, the Student with disabilities must inform the Coordinator who will connect them with the Mission Handicap at Aix-Marseille University.

The contribution to individual needs of students with disabilities is used to pay any costs related to the acquisition of special items or services (e.g. assistance by third persons, adaptation of work environment, additional travel/transportation costs) needed to assist enrolled students (with or without scholarship) with disabilities.

The amount and conditions will be set according to the recommendation of the medical team, with an upper limit set by the available EMJM special need funding. The devoted funds and the conditions will be shared with the other dedicated offices of the Host Institutions where the student will enrol, according to their mobility path.

Section VI. STUDENT OBLIGATIONS

Article VI.1 Student engagement

The Student commits to attend assiduously, and with the objective of successfully passing the modules, and the Master thesis inherent in the programme of studies of the Europhotonics programme, in accordance with the programme of studies and mobility scheme described in the present Agreement. A Student joining the program in September Year N must validate a minimum of 120 ECTS by the end of November Year N+2 at the latest.

The attendance referred to will be recognized by the respective Europhotonics Consortium institutions as integral parts of the qualification for which the Student is preparing, as long as the Student is successful in the respective examinations and assessments.

The Student shall comply at all times with all laws, regulations, codes of practice and directions issued by any competent authorities, which shall include without limitation the Full Partners/Associated Partners Institutions which are applicable to (a) the study programme being carried out by the student; (b) the student's presence in or on land or buildings owned, occupied or under the control of the Full Partners/Associated Partners Institutions.

Article VI.2 Justified cases of temporary leave

A Student can request to be put on hold if they must temporarily leave the EMJM course following duly justified and well documented reasons approved by the Consortium. An EMJM student who is put on hold will lose the financial benefit managed by the Consortium (if any) at the end of the EMJM funding period (2023-2029).

If the Student is not able to finish the course activities within the respective Student intake due to the above-mentioned reasons, then the Consortium must find acceptable ways to allow the student to finish the Master within one of the following intakes, as long as the EMJM course is running, and the total duration of enrolment does not exceed 7 terms.

Article VI.3 Cases of exclusion

The Student understands that they shall be excluded from the Europhotonics programme

- in case of non-attendance to the Europhotonics programme (lectures, seminars and conferences, practical sessions, lab works, information sessions, visits, outreach activities training, Summer School and official meetings, ...). that the Student cannot justify with medical certificates or for which permission has not been granted by the Host Institution staff (the Student should seek permission by asking in advance),
- in case of underperformances as detailed in Article III.5,
- in case the Student does not comply with the mobility path decided by the Consortium,
- if the Student is subject of disciplinary measures leading to their exclusion from the Full Partners/Associated Partners Institutions,
- if the Student is the subject of legal prosecutions that prevent them from attending the Europhotonics programme,
- if the Student withdraws from the Europhotonics programme on their own decision or by “force majeure”.

Article VI.4 Visa and housing

The Student understands that the Consortium commit only to provide administrative services directly linked to the academic delivery of the programme. The Consortium must make reasonable endeavours to facilitate as much as possible additional services provided by third parties, such as immigration procedures, accommodation and banking services, but the Student ultimately bears the sole responsibility of such contractual arrangements.

The Student must ensure that they are in possession of a visa and/or residence permit valid for the entire duration of the programme, in compliance with their mobility path.

Article VI.5 Transfer of personal data

The data processing associated with the conclusion of this agreement includes the transfer of the personal data of the respective students, grades and transcripts of records between the awarding institutions. The grades received by a student are directly forwarded by the Host Institution to the Coordinator, who in turn informs the other Partners.

The Student may allow the transfer of their personal data (possibly also to countries outside the European Union without an adequate level of data protection) to be used for the purposes of evaluating the programmes, efficiently manage the projects and producing statistics. Data could be made available to the European Education and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) according to the following privacy statement

(https://eacea.ec.europa.eu/mobility/docs/privacy_statement_emt.pdf), the European Commission, the European External Action Service staff, as well as to other stakeholders of the Erasmus+ programme, such as Erasmus+ National Agencies, National Erasmus+ Offices and the Erasmus Mundus Student and Alumni Association.

Article VI.6 Alumni and student representatives

Within two months after the programme starts, Students must collegially elect a delegate and a sub-delegate for their cohort who will represent them during their studies and who will act as the main point of contact between the Consortium and the Students. The method of election is left to the Students own judgement.

Students are encouraged to join the Erasmus Mundus Students and Alumni Association (EMA) (<http://www.em-a.eu>).

Article VI.7 Student implication in quality policy

The Student commits to participate in the evaluation and the quality assessment (surveys/evaluations/feedbacks) in which they will make their opinion known with regards to all aspects of the programme, either at the Host Institution level or at the Consortium level.

Article VI.8 Internship and Master Thesis placement

The Student understands that the Consortium commit only to provide internship and master thesis proposals and to provide administrative support related to the implementation of such placements. The Student ultimately bears the sole responsibility of finding a placement and arranging the corresponding contractual arrangements, in compliance with the requirements detailed in Article II.3 and Article II.4.

In addition to the Host Institution in charge of handling the academic and administrative aspects of the Student's placement, the Student must inform the Coordinating Institution before the start of their internship and their Master Thesis placements.

Article VI.9 Intellectual property

The student hereby agrees that his/her thesis title and abstract might be posted on the Host Institutions website. They also agree that the degree awarding universities may store and protect the internship report and the master thesis either as a hardcopy or as an electronic version following their respective procedures. Laboratory notebooks must stay in the laboratories. Plagiarism is strictly forbidden. In case of plagiarism, the student will be severely punished according to the rules of each Full Partner/Associated Partner institutions.

Article VI.10 Acknowledgement

The student must acknowledge the Erasmus +: Erasmus Mundus programme in all the documents (presentations, publications, ...) produced during the master. The following sentence can be used: "With the support of the Erasmus+: Erasmus Mundus programme of the European Union under Convention n° 101128124 — EUROPHOTONICS — ERASMUS-EDU-2023-PEX-EMJM-MOB".

The Student commits to communicate to the Coordinating Institution references to any material (articles, proceedings, conferences, communications, ...) published by the Student in the framework of the Europhotonics programme.

Article VI.11 Liability

The Consortium is exonerated from any responsibility for accidents, illnesses, injuries, losses or damages to persons or goods resulting from or in any way related to the activities that are the object of the present Agreement. The Student is obliged to accept the necessary insurance related to the activities for the full duration of the study period.

I declare that I have read and accepted the conditions laid down in the present Contract.

First Signatory

Amélie LITMAN

Europhotonics Coordinator

Aix-Marseille Université, Marseille, France

Date:

Signature / Stamp :

Second Signatory

I certify that I have never been awarded an EMJM Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree scholarship prior to application and I acknowledge that I cannot during the period of the Europhotonics programme be beneficiary of a grant for student or staff mobility in the framework of other higher education programmes funded by the European Union budget.

I declare on my honor that

- ☐ I am a member of a “EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme”.
- ☐ I am a member of a “Third countries not associated to the Programme” and I have been a resident or have carried out studies or training work for more than a total of 12 months over the last 5 years in at least one “EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme”.
- ☐ I am not resident nor have carried out studies or training work for more than a total of 12 months over the last 5 years in any “EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme”. The 5-year residence period for this 12-months rule being calculated backwards as from the submission deadline of applying for the Europhotonics programme (February 6, 2025).

The Student

Name:

Place and Date:

Signature / Stamp: