

Partner/Socio	Universidade Federal de São Carlos (UFSCar)	País/Country	Brasil	
<p><b>Brief description of the institution and web site/ Descripción breve de la institución y sitio web</b></p>	<p>UFSCar started its activities in 1970 with the mission of training human resources to produce knowledge and promote science, technology, culture and arts with the vision to be recognized by its academic excellence. It was the first federal university in the interior of São Paulo State. With its 4 campuses, in the cities of São Carlos, Araras, Sorocaba and Buri, UFSCar has approximately 19,000 students, being almost 5,000 graduate and 14,000 undergraduate, 1,256 faculties (95% with PhD degree) and almost 1,100 administrative/technicians. Besides those it has about 5,000 students in <i>lato sensu courses</i> in the <i>specialization</i> levels.</p> <p>Concerning academic structure, UFSCar has 8 Centres (Centre for Agricultural Sciences, Centre for Health and Biological Sciences, Centre for Education and Human Sciences, Centre for Science and Technology, Centre for Science and Technology for Sustainability, Centre for Science in Management and Technology, Centre for Biological and Human Sciences and Centre for Nature Sciences) and on the framework of those Centres 48 departments, 65 undergraduate programs and 57 graduate programs (<a href="http://www.proppg.ufscar.br/pt-br/pos-na-ufscar/programas">http://www.proppg.ufscar.br/pt-br/pos-na-ufscar/programas</a>). UFSCar is considered the 16th best university in Latin America, according to Times High Education Ranking. UFSCar is member of some network of universities such as Montevideo Group (AUGM), Coimbra Group of Brazilian Universities (GCUB), Association of Universities of Portuguese Language (AULP) and Tordesillas Group.</p>			
<p><b>Name of project/ Nombre del proyecto piloto</b></p>	<p>Creation of an International Bureau in order to broaden the promotion and publishing the international academic mobility</p>		<p><b>Contact person and email/ Persona de contacto y correo</b></p> <p>Maria Estela Antonioli Pisani Canevarolo estela-srinter@ufscar.br</p>	

<b>Objectives of the Pilot/ Objetivos principales del piloto</b>	<p>Through the physical space, located in a well located and central area of the São Carlos campus of UFSCar, promote and enhance existent international academic mobility between UFSCar and the partner's universities with emphasis on the undergraduate level. The focus is on the international mobility with Latin America universities, not only on the framework of universities network, such as AUGM (Montevideo Group) and Coimbra Group of Universities (GCUB), but also on the scope of bilateral agreements of academic cooperation.</p>
<b>Reference to process in the Guide/ Referencia a matriz de la Guía CAMINOS</b>	<p>Promotion and Dissemination</p>
<b>Activities undertaken/Actividades realizadas</b>	<p>Offered the students promotional materials: videos, folders of partners universities Promoted, with alumni, talks of their experience on international mobility. Hosted the <i>XXVII Jornadas de Jovens Investigadores de la Asociación de Universidades grupo Montevideo (AUGM)</i></p>
<b>Major achievements/Logros principales</b>	<p>Doubled the number of students candidatures applying for the internal mobility calls, specially to AUGM <i>ESCALA de Grado</i> program</p>
<b>Next steps/Próximos pasos</b>	<p>Start discussions with partners University on double degrees programs</p>
<b>References and links/Referencias, enlaces</b>	