

International Week

International Week MENDELU

7 - 11. 12. 2026

Christmas edition

Brno, Czech Republic

- **Why IW?**

The International Week will give participants an unique opportunity to find out more about our university, network and share best practices with other colleagues working for the international, study abroad offices or professional academics.

Christmas edition

**Brno Christmas
market**

**Visit to chateau
Valtice**

Czech tradition

**Czech Christmas
dinner**

**International
breakfast**

Meet other traditions

Winter spirit

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Information

Target Group

only mobility for training (no teaching)

Language

English (at least level B2 is required)

Duration

5 working days

Costs

The fee will cover the programme, participants are expected to cover their travel and accommodation costs and field trips (it is recommended to use an Erasmus+ grant provided by your home university)

University

Mendel University in Brno (MENDELU) is a public institution with a long tradition of excellence in teaching and research that has driven new ways of thinking since 1919 and proudly bears the name of J. G. Mendel, the founder of modern genetics. There are almost 9,000 students at the university. Mendel University offers more than 100 graduate degree programs in Czech and English. The University comprises one Institute and five faculties: AgriSciences, Horticulture, Business and Economics, Forestry and Wood Technology, Regional Development, and International Studies. The university campus is based in Brno, just ten minutes from the city centre. The university provides students with modern, well-equipped classrooms, laboratories, and study rooms. A library, canteens, and a pizzeria also form part of the campus, as well as a large botanic garden and an arboretum, which are great places to study or relax.



Registration

Would you like to attend our event? The registration deadline is **August 31, 2026**. Places are limited. We will send the acceptance letter in SEPTEMBER! Please do not ask to send you an invitation letter before this deadline.

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• Programme

to be updated

TIME	AGENDA	MEETING ROOM
MONDAY		
9:00	Registration	Atrium on the ground floor
10:00	Opening ceremony Welcome speech and introduction to the programme of International Week 2026	Rector's meeting room
10:30	Networking coffee – Meet & Connect	Rector's meeting room
12:30	Lunch	Canteen
13:00	Brno city and Christmas market tour	outside – Courtyard
TUESDAY		
9:00	International breakfast	meeting room in building C
	Day at Faculty of Business and Economics: Coffee with the dean	
	Free time	
	Day at the Faculty of Forestry and Wood Technology: Coffee with the dean	
WEDNESDAY		
	Trip to Chateau Valtice & Day with Horticulture faculty The trip features a 45-minute visit to Chateau Lednice, followed by a stop at the Horticulture Faculty. Here, you'll enjoy a wine tasting of products made at MENDELU. Please note that lunch and shops will not be available, so make sure to bring some snacks. We will return to Brno around 4-5 PM.	meeting in front of building C
THURSDAY		
	Day at the Faculty of Regional Development and International Studies: Coffee with the dean	room Z2, building Z – Faculty of Regional Development and International Studies
	Quiz & Connect	
	Free time	
	Day at the Faculty of AgriSciences Visit to FoodTech, the Fishing department and greenhouses	building E
	Christmas tradition	Saloon
	Closing ceremony and Farewell dinner	Saloon
FRIDAY		
	Exhibition visits in Brno (optional)	



• Price list

IW

Attending only the International Week

- Networking activities & Workshops, Transfer of knowledge
- Sharing of experiences and best practices among colleagues from partner and non-partner institutions
- Cultural activities
- Individual meetings with representatives of the particular departments and discussion on cooperation possibilities
- The fee is approx. **145 EUR**, the payment is made in Czech Crowns – **3500 CZK** (including the field trip)

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Field trip

On Wednesday, participants can join us for a field trip.

- Visit to **Valtice Chateau**
Explore the stunning Valtice Castle
- Tour of the **Faculty of Horticulture – MENDEL**
Discover the beautiful campus of our Faculty of Horticulture in Lednice. You'll see experimental gardens, greenhouses, and research areas, and get insight into current academic and practical work in horticulture.
- DIY Workshop

1. Payment Info – <https://pay.flywire.com/>: select Mendel University as the institution from the list, then enter your payment amount (according to the selected type!) in Czech coronas to the third column – Participation fee, and country of origin in the Flywire form.
– **IW** only: **3500 CZK**
2. Payment method – select your preferred payment method to complete your payment in your home currency. For debit/credit card payments, enter your card details online to complete your payment in your home currency. For bank transfers, follow the instructions provided to send your funds. Depending on your bank, payment may be made online, in person, or over the phone.
Note: Additional local payment options may be available depending on the country you are paying from.
3. Payer Info – enter some basic information to initiate your payment booking.
4. Info for the receiver – enter only your name, surname, and email and as the Program name write *International Week*
5. Review & Confirm payment information
6. Make payment

Deadline for payment: September 30, 2026

Payment LINK

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Refund Policy for International Week 2026

Please note the following refund policy for any cancellations:

- **Full Refund:** Cancellations made by **September 30, 2026** will receive a full refund.
- **Partial Refund** (50% of total fee): Cancellations made between **October 1 and October 31, 2026** will receive a 50% refund of the total fees.
- **No Refund:** Cancellations made on or after **November 1, 2026** will not be eligible for a refund.

All refund requests should be submitted in writing by the deadlines outlined above. Thank you for your understanding.



● Accommodation

We recommend the following:

- Hotel Continental 4* - use MENDELU as a reference to get a discount www.continentalbrno.cz
- Hotel Passage 4* - walking distance 10 minutes, use MENDELU as a reference in order to get a discount <https://www.hotelpassage.eu/>
- Cafe Placzek - write an email to cafe@cafeplaczek.cz and use Mrs Mensikova as a reference in order to get a discount www.cafeplaczek.cz
- Hotel Arte 4* - walking distance 10 minutes, www.hotelarte.cz
- Hotel International 4* - not within walking distance, about 30 minutes by public transport, city centre, www.hotelinternational.cz
- University dormitories - <https://skm.mendelu.cz/en>

For Mobility Agreements, please use the following information:

The Receiving Institution

Name	Mendel University in Brno	Department/unit	International Relations Department
Erasmus code (if applicable)	CZ BRN002		
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Consent to the capture and use of personal photographs and videos - to [download](#)

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