

# ERASMUS +/ICM Collaboration UNiWA & Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdellah University Morocco

Prof. Maria Tsirintani, Director of Social Policy sector and Prof. Spyridon Binioris, Director of MSc program from Business Administration Department of UNIWA, visited Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdellah University in June 2022 under the framework of the Erasmus+/ International Credit Mobility Program. During their mobility several meetings with academic staff from the faculty of Law, Economics and Social Science took place discussing about sharing innovative educational strategies, exchanging teaching and internship for incoming students, exploring the feasibility of a MSc program with double diploma and joint research projects in the areas of common interest, with the aim of a long-term collaboration. Professors from UniWA had also the chance to meet and discuss with MSc and PhD students about their scientific interests and their willing to participate in Erasmus mobility program. Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdellah University is one of the biggest Moroccan public universities and ranked top 1 in Morocco by Times higher education ranking for many times in a row. Its mission is to provide education and support scientific research in the fields of technology, economics, social, legal and human sciences for more than 99500 students in the region of Fez. All this gives it a special place in the academic map of the Moroccan Kingdom.





On July 2023 Prof. El Hiri Abderrazak, Director of the laboratory in Economics, Finance and Management of Organizations (LIREFMO) from Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdellah University (USMBA), visited the Business Administration Department, Faculty of Business, Economics and Social Sciences, University of West Attica, under the framework of the Erasmus+/ International Credit Mobility Program.

During the mobility, prof. Abderrazak had several teaching and training activities having the chance to present the Moroccan higher education system as well as its new development model and its policy of human development. It was the chance to discuss the educational priorities for the future of the partnership between our two universities (USMBA of Morocco and UNIWA of Greece) in the fields of Economics and Business Administration, exploring also the feasibility for participation in joint research networks. The faculty of Law, Economics and Social Sciences of USMBA has more than 33500 registered students in fundamental and professional licence, 1400 students in Master and 1250 in PhD diploma.







