

# ARQUS

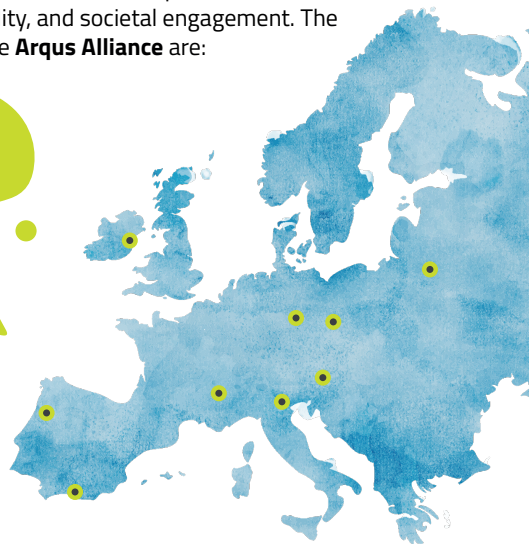
ALUMNI  
MENTORSHIP  
PROGRAMME

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European University Alliance



The Arqus Alliance is a strategic partnership between nine European universities aimed at enhancing academic excellence, mobility, and societal engagement. The current member universities of the **Arqus Alliance** are:

*University of Granada*    *University of Minho*  
*University of Graz*      *University of Padua*  
*Leipzig University*      *Vilnius University*  
*University of Lyon 1*    *University of Wrocław*  
*Maynooth University*



As part of its commitment to fostering lifelong learning and professional development, the Arqus Alliance, through its Arqus Student Agora, is launching the Arqus Alumni Mentorship Programme.

The Arqus Alumni Mentorship Programme is an online programme that connects **Arqus alumni**, regardless of their field of study or current profession, with **current students and recent graduates** to provide **mentorship, career guidance, and networking opportunities**.

The programme aims at supporting students in work-integrated learning and in transition to the world of work in transnational contexts.

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# WHAT IS THE STUDENT AGORA



The Arqus Student Agora aims at promoting student participation and enhancing student engagement at Alliance level, enhancing the students' Arqus experience through student-led creative projects, accelerating students' personal and professional development, enhancing Arqus student services.

Arqus Student Agora has a very unique feature. Each university forms a group of "student contributors" who meet and work with the team to design the student-centred programmes included in the Agora. The contribution does not stop at the moment of implementation, but rather goes beyond the process and implies the yearly monitoring and updates of the deliverables.

## AN ARQUS ALUMNI MENTORSHIP PROGRAMME *MENTOR*

is an Arqus Alumni who volunteers to guide and support a mentee in their career development.

*The mentor's role is:*

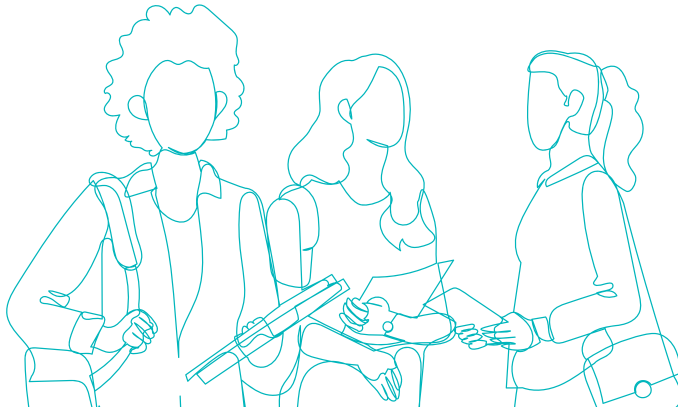
- ✓ To help their mentee develop skills, expand their networks, and achieve their career goals.
- ✓ To provide guidance and advice based on their own professional experience and knowledge.

## AN ARQUS ALUMNI MENTORSHIP PROGRAMME *MENTEE*

is a current student or recent graduate (up to one year) of one of the Arqus Alliance universities who seeks guidance and support in their career development.

*Mentees are expected to:*

- ✓ Be committed to their personal and professional development and to actively engage in the mentoring relationship.
- ✓ Set goals for themselves and work collaboratively with their mentor to achieve them.



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# OBJECTIVES

- ✓ To provide a platform for Arqus alumni and to support the personal and professional growth of current students and recent graduates.
- ✓ To facilitate meaningful connections and networking opportunities between alumni, and students or recent graduates.
- ✓ To offer guidance and support for participants to achieve their career goals, develop new skills, and enhance their personal and professional growth.
- ✓ To create a community of like-minded individuals who can share their experiences, knowledge, and skills.
- ✓ To enhance the cooperation between Arqus partner Universities and facilitate the mobility of students, graduates and young professionals among them.

# ELIGIBILITY

## ELIGIBILITY FOR MENTORS:

- ✓ Alumni of one of the Arqus activities (mobility, summer school, Arqus Cafè, etc.) held in all partner universities.
- ✓ At least one year experience in their field of expertise and be willing to share their knowledge and experience with their mentees.
- ✓ Availability to meet with their mentees regularly (at least once a month) throughout the duration of the programme.

## ELIGIBILITY FOR MENTEES:

- ✓ The mentorship programme is open to all current students and recent graduates (up to one year) of Arqus partner universities.

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# BENEFITS

- ✓ Professional development.
- ✓ Networking.
- ✓ Career advancement.
- ✓ Personal growth.
- ✓ Alumni engagement.
- ✓ Recognition.



Please note that all the available opportunities will be published on the Arqus Alliance's website:

[arqus-alliance.eu/our-communities/arqus-student-agera](https://arqus-alliance.eu/our-communities/arqus-student-agera)



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