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Candidate to Erasmus – Stage 3

Faculty of Architecture of the Oporto University

Dear Local Coordinator, Claire Chidgey-Carmichael,

I am interested in applying for an Erasmus' mobility at Glasgow Architecture School because of the tradition and world recognition in the area of architecture and art that the institution still preserves. The feedback of students that once did an exchange for this faculty is very positive, they refer not only to the pedagogic qualities of the tutors but also to the easy integration and location of the school in the heart of the city of Glasgow.

I find this experience extremely profitable for my curriculum since it will give me the opportunity to live, for nearly a year, in an English speaking country, and to make a new approach with the teaching of architecture, especially concerning new methods and practices, even considering that Studio Work is regarded as the main discipline of the course.

Taking the considerations stated above, I look for this opportunity with the highest expectations.

Yours sincerely,

Maria Isabel Lopes de Mendonça