



Dear New Student,

Welcome to the Erasmus University Rotterdam. To give your study time at the Erasmus School of History, Culture and Communication an extra dimension, you can become a member of the greatest faculty association in the Netherlands, ACE!

Members of ACE are free to join activities whenever they want. Your membership gives you the opportunity to connect with a lot of students who also study at the faculty and have the same interests. This will brighten your study time! Besides joining activities, you can also be a part of organizing events at our association. When you join a committee of the association, you can organize a lot of events with fellow members. Being member of a committee is not only a good time, it also looks good on your resume! You can gain a lot of experience in organizing, teamwork and you will also meet a lot of new people and enrich your network. If you are interested, fill out the application form for committees! In this letter and on the site you can read the descriptions of the different committees.

Moreover, members of ACE receive a 10 till 20 % discount on their study books. The book sale of term 1 will open in the beginning of Augustus and close on the last day of the first term. To order your books, you will have to go to [www.ifaace.nl](http://www.ifaace.nl). Click on the button 'book sale' and you will find the web shop. Select your study and you will find the books of your courses in your first term. For questions about the book sale, send an e-mail to [internalrelations@ifaace.nl](mailto:internalrelations@ifaace.nl).

ACE Furthermore offers plenty of career opportunities with the launch of our new Job and Internship database which offers students internships and possible job opportunities at some of the most leading companies of today.

Being a member of ACE costs only 20 Euros per year. So, ace your future and enjoy your time as a student and join ACE!

Take a look at our website or like us on Facebook to get to know us a little better! See you soon!

With kind regards,  
The 37th Board of International Faculty Association ACE

**Become a member!**

2018-2019 – ACE your future

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## Appendix: Committees 2018-2019

**These are the committees. Everyone can sign up! If you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask!**

### **Event Committee (IBCoM, Cultural Studies and History)**

There are three event committees, one for each study. The committees are focused on bringing people together with common interest in culture, history or media & communication. The activities cover a variety of fields, want to bring people closer to study-related events and last but not least, they are lots of fun!

### **Career Committee**

This committee brings students and companies closer together. Every year, the Career Days are organized by the Career Committee. The Career Days are hosted to inspire companies and students alike to think about their ambitions and talents. Furthermore, students get the opportunity to orientate themselves on the job market. The events include company presentations, case studies, trainings, workshops, lunches, networking drinks and in-house visits. Besides the Career Days, the committee will organize three other in-house visits during the year.

### **Freshmen Committee**

The Freshmen committee organizes great activities, where freshmen can get to know each other, but also people from other studies. The freshmen weekend is a big task of this committee. A new study is a new start, and there is no better way than to start your academic year with a committee full of new people!

### **Party/Social Committee**

This committee organizes some great parties and social drinks during the year! The last couple of years we had international parties, Novemberfest (we know) a karaoke night and our Annual end of the Year party. An opportunity for talented and outgoing members to grab their moment of fame and share their talent with the rest of us!

### **Erasmus EXPO committee**

Every year, an exhibition is organized in the city. If you want to know what it's like to set up an exhibition, want to be creative and you think outside of the box, join this committee and put your theoretical knowledge into practice.

### **EmbrACE committee**

This committee is responsible for publishing all embrace magazine issues. Join this committee if you are an inspired writer, or creative in any other way. Every year, we have brainstorm sessions in which we decide in direction to go for the next 4 issues. If you want to be a famous photographer or are super skilled with illustrations, or just want to contribute to an amazing editorial team, don't hesitate to sign up!

### **Short Trip Committee**

Each year, the Short Trip Committee organizes a trip of 3 or 4 days abroad. This trip usually takes place in Europe. For example, we have visited Vienna, Budapest and Lisbon in the last couple of years. The trip takes place in February. During the trip, you organize study-related activities, but of course, there is always time for some social activities!

**Long Trip Committee**

Every summer, we go on a ten-day trip to a special destination. The locations are always different, and most of the time not well known. The last couple of years we went to Russia,, Italy, Albania, Malta and Montenegro! As a committee member, you make sure there is a lot to learn during these 10 days, but also that it will be an unforgettable experience for everyone who joins!

**International Committee**

The International Committee is, as the name already states, the committee for our international students. However, this does not mean that the committee is only for internationals to join, as there are also Dutch students who are interested in organizing events that will make the differences between the nationalities smaller.