

**To: Heads of higher education
institutions in Wales**

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REIMBURSEMENT OF FEES FOR ERASMUS/SOCRATES STUDENTS

Each year the Welsh Assembly Government makes funds available within the Council's grant to allow for the remission of fees of students studying abroad as part of the Erasmus/Socrates scheme.

The Council asked institutions to provide information on the numbers of such students through the 2005/06 HESES Survey (Circular W05/59HE). The data from that Survey has now been verified and we are able to make the fee remission payments for this year. The payments are set out in Annex A, together with the corresponding enrolment numbers for each institution. The amounts have been calculated on the basis of the full-time undergraduate fee for 2005/06: £1,175. Payments will be made in February.

If you have any queries about his payment, please direct them to Leanne Holborn (tel: 029 2068 2259/e-mail: leanne.Holborn@hefcw.ac.uk).

Yours sincerely

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