



## Universidad de Granada Library Staff Training Week 2025

As every year, the **University of Granada Library** (Spain) organizes its Staff Training Week from May 5 to 9, 2025, in collaboration with the **Vice-Rector for Internationalization**. This initiative is developed within the framework of the **Erasmus+ program of the European Commission** and the University of Granada's own **Internationalization Strategy**, and involves the visit and exchange of technical knowledge and professional experience of librarians from different countries and cultures, with the aim of continuous improvement of all the institutions.

The training will be conducted by professionals from the University Library, professors, and staff from other administrative units of the University of Granada. Visitors are also welcome to make presentations about their home institution or area of expertise.

**The training will be held in English.**

**Some of the topics we will discuss and the activities we will have in 2025 Week are:** digital repositories and transformative agreements, science policies in Spain and Europe, interculturalism in a bicontinental university, library adaptation for visual impairment, library services, interlibrary cooperation and networking, library premises visits, and cultural guided tours. **(See preliminary agenda below.)**

No registration fee required. Travel expenses, insurance, accommodation and meals not provided.

### **Application forms:**

**Application deadline: 12th January 2025.**

KA131 Programme visitors: EU Member States and third countries associated to the Programme (Iceland, Liechtenstein, North Macedonia, Norway, Serbia, Switzerland and Türkiye).

KA171 Programme visitors: other countries.

## **Provisional agenda:**

This agenda is subject to change.

### **Getting to know**

Welcome and introduction to the University of Granada

Welcome to the University Library

Introduction to the Week

Visitor's introduction: getting to know each other

Multiculturality at a bi-continental university

### **Strategy and development**

University of Granada strategy: looking forward 2031

Library strategy: main action lines

University of Granada's impact on the regional GDP and development

Library's support to local bookshops

Local development projects: Health Sciences campus, Sustainable campus, and IFMIF-DONES

### **Research**

Open science policy: the transformative agreements

Open science policy: the research gateways, and the Library repository

Open science policy: the Dialnet project

Science and science policy in Spain and the University of Granada

### **Proactive heritage and memory**

Hospital Real Library: heritage documents from/about visitors' cultures/countries

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A life at the university: juniors: becoming a young professional at a five-centuries-old university

A life at the university: seniors: changing the university to change the society

### **Social responsibility**

Data protection best practices: toolkit for libraries

Dyslexia and ease of reading

Visual impairment and library adaptation

### **Additional training**

Visitor's presentations about their institutions, or areas of expertise

Visitor's feedback

### **Branch libraries visits**

Hospital Real (heritage documents)

Engineering

Colegio Máximo (Communication, Documentation and Dentistry)

Education

Faculty of Sciences maker space

Health Sciences

### **Scheduled cultural visits**

Hospital Real building visit: development of hospitals construction over time

The collection of Federico Mayor Zaragoza (former University of Granada's Dean, and former UNESCO's Director-General)

### **Optional cultural activities**

These optional activities are due to take place on Monday and Thursday evenings. They are optional, but we encourage visitors not to book any other visit for these evenings on their own.

- Granada as capital of Muslim and Christian kingdoms: city free guided tours
- Fundación Rodríguez-Acosta: guided tour
- Farewell snack

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