

## Intercultural Communication Skills – Basics "Fit for the Exchange"

In interactive self-awareness exercises, role plays and phases for reflection, you will experience yourself in this seminar as a culture bound individual. You will anticipate what „Culture Blues“ might feel like and learn techniques to analyse intercultural challenging situations competently and effectively, while developing functional communicative strategies.

This offer is for all nominated Erasmus and TUMexchange exchange students regardless of their country of destination.

Participants are recommended to take part in our TUMtandem program. In this program, students prepare themselves for their exchange in direct personal contact with international students from a country / language of their choice. Above all, the Tandem partners sharpen their awareness of cultural differences, and learn to understand and respect them. The Tandem partners are supervised by lecturers of the TUM Language Center for one or two semesters.

Check <http://www.sprachenzentrum.tum.de/lernen-im-tandem/> for further details and information on which languages are presently available for partnerships.