General Course Presentation: Harp

Title Awarded	Academic Diploma Level I: Harp
Duration of Course	3 Years
Number of Credits	180
National Title Equivalence, European Title Equivalence	Bachelor Degree EQF 6
Discipline Area (e. g., ISCED-F)	ISCED-F 0215 "Music and Performing Arts"
Course Prerequisites	High School Diploma or another title obtained internationally of the same level. An adequate initial musical preparation to be verified at the audition exam.
Recognition of Prior Learning (Formal and Informal)	Refer to the rules regarding recognition of prior learning.
Requisites and Rules for Obtaining the Title	Obligatory Attendance
Course Profile	The academic harp degree allows young musicians to obtain the 1st level Academic Diploma of Higher Education in Art and Music (AFAM), equivalent to a three-year university degree. The curriculum is structured in order to prepare a young musician to acquire mature artistic knowledge, including knowledge of the historical evolution of the instrument and compositional and analytical models of the musical language, including appropriate emotional and postural control techniques. The training course takes advantage of the opportunity to participate in the Erasmus+ program, carrying out some study periods abroad. Numerous performance opportunities allow students of higher courses to "test" their preparation during public concerts, participation in which is considered an integral part of the course.
Level of Attainment/Final Objectives	The first level academic diploma course aims to ensure adequate mastery of artistic methods and techniques, as well as the acquisition of specific disciplinary and professional skills
Study Mode	Full time and/or Part time
Exam Regulations and Grading System	Procedure: in the presence of a commission composed of Professors from the department or external persons summoned based upon specific skills Voting system: Mark out of 30 or Eligibility
Exchange Periods	Optional
Internships	Optional
Course Director or Equivalent	Head of Department

Graduate Employment Outcomes	The course offers graduates the possibility to work within the following fields: Solo instrumentalist - Instrumentalist in chamber groups - Instrumentalist in chamber orchestral ensembles - Instrumentalist in symphonic orchestral ensembles - Instrumentalist in orchestral ensembles for musical theater
Access to Further Studies	Master's / specialist degree; First level university master; Second level academic diploma; Academic diploma of specialization (I); Postgraduate Diploma or Master (I)