

International Mobility of the Academic Staff, 2018–2022

Name	Purpose of the trip	Resource of finance	Time and place
Vallo Ehasalu <i>Lecturer of Bible Sciences</i>	Conference of Finno-Ugric Theologians "Let the Children Come to Me"	EELC	Turu, Finland 10.–13.08.2022
Naatan Haamer <i>Lecturer of Practical Theology</i>	Participating in consultation of European Network of Health Care Chaplaincy "Nurturing spirituality in healthcare chaplaincy"	Institute of Theology of the EELC	Blankenberge, Belgium 15.–19.06.2018
	Participating in webinar consultation of European Network of Health Care Chaplaincy "With hope in our hands: being chaplains through challenging times"	Institute of Theology of the EELC	Online 12.–14.05.2021
	Participating in consultation of European Network of Health Care Chaplaincy "Connecting heart to heart – being a chaplain & being with others"	Institute of Theology of the EELC	Kolymbari, Greece 11.-15.05.2022
Annika Laats <i>Lecturer of Practical Theology</i>	Participating in consultation of European Network of Health Care Chaplaincy "Nurturing spirituality in healthcare chaplaincy"	Institute of Theology of the EELC	Blankenberge, Belgium, 15.–19.06.2018
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Karin Kallas-Pöder <i>Lecturer of Systematic Theology</i>	German language studies	Martin-Luther-Bund	July 2019 Wittenberg, Germany
	Modern Hebrew language studies at the Haifa University Ulpan	Israel Ministry of Foreign Affairs	August 2019 Haifa, Israel
	American Academy of Religion Annual Meetings 2020 – participation without paper	-	29.11.2020–10.12.2020 Online (Boston, USA)
	Tenth Annual RefoRC Conference on Early Modern Christianity 2021 - Presentation "Christian Life in the Context of Divine Predestination. Experiential and Affective Themes in Martin Luther's De servo arbitrio"	-	6.5.2021–8.5.2021 Online (Budapest, Hungary)

	Research visit at the University of Greifswald (conducted online)	-	8.5.2021–1.7.2021 Online (Greifswald, Germany)
	Helsinki Analytic Theology Workshop 2021: Free Will – participation without paper	-	26.5.2021–27.5.2021 Online (Helsinki, Finland)
	European Academy of Religion Annual Conference 2021 – participation with 3 presentations: “Reformation theology as mode of living? Methodological issues” (joint paper with Prof. Risto Saarinen); “Christian Theology as Comparative Theology: Investigating and comparing Christian and Jewish theologies”; Author Meets Critique panel by Prof. V.-M. Kärkkäinen "A Constructive Christian Theology for the Pluralistic World"	University of Helsinki	30.8.2021–2.9.2021 Münster, Germany
	American Academy of Religion Annual Meetings 2021 – participation with presentation "Emotions, Experience, and Perceptions in the Context of Predestination"	The Kristjan Jaak programme of the Estonian Ministry of Education and Research and the Education and Youth Board	20.11.2021–23.11.2021 San Antonio, Texas, USA
	Research Conference in Theology and Religion – participation with presentation “Lived theology perspective in systematic theology”	-	18.5.2022–20.5.2022 Helsinki, Finland
	14th International Congress for Luther Research – participation with presentations “Perceptions, emotions, and attitudes in Martin Luther’s “De servo arbitrio””; “Luther’s understanding of freedom interpreted through the concept of perspectivity”	University of Helsinki	14.8.2022–19.8.2022, California, USA
	Visiting research fellowship at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem	The Kristjan Jaak programme of the Estonian Ministry of Education and Research and the Education and Youth Board; Israel Ministry of Foreign Affairs	1.10.2022–30.6.2023 Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel
Ingmar Kurg <i>Lecturer of Practical Theology</i>	Visiting Scholar in Philosophisch-Theologische Hochschule Sankt Georgen	Stiftung Renovabis	Frankfurt am Main 01.03.–30.07.2018
Jaan Lahe <i>Prof. of Religious Studies</i>			

	<p>Since January 2018, has a collaboration with The Berlin working group for Coptic-Gnostic writings (at the Humboldt University of Berlin, Seminar for New Testament Studies), with The International Association for the History of Religions, with The Vergilius Society (USA, Italy, Hungary) and with The Association for Iranian Studies. He has worked as a visiting fellow at the Universities of Heidelberg, Erfurt, and Bonn, but also in the Roman-Germanic Museum in Cologne and in the German Archaeological Institute in Rome. He has published two international monographs (including a monograph in the series <i>Nag Hammadi and Manichaean Studies</i> (Leiden, Boston: Brill) and a monograph in the series <i>Kasion</i> (Münster: Zaphon). He has published articles in magazines <i>Theologische Rundschau</i>, <i>Theologische Revue</i>, <i>Zeitschrift für Religionswissenschaft</i>, <i>Forschungen zur Anthropologie und Religionsgeschichte</i>, <i>Studien und Texte zu Antike und Christentum</i>, <i>Acta Antiqua</i> (Hungary) and <i>Nouvelles Assyriologiques Brèves et Utilitaires</i>. He is responsible for the topic "Gnosticism" at the <i>Theologische Rundschau</i> (publishing Mohr-Siebeck, Tübingen). He is the main editor of the German-Estonian special issue of Theological Journal 2018 about religions in antiquity (this is the result of cooperation between the Theological Institute of EELC, University of Tartu, University of Münster, University of Potsdam and Technical University of Darmstadt) and the main editor of the Spanish-German-Russian-Estonian special issue of Theological Journal 2019 about religion in Roman empire (the result of cooperation between the Theological Institute of EELC, Complutense University of Madrid, University of Bamberg, University of Münster, University of Bochum, University of Potsdam, Technical University of Darmstadt and St Petersburg State University). Jaan Lahe was an organizer an international conference ("Religion - Continuations and Disruptions") of EASR 2019 in 25.-29. Juny in Tartu. Jaan Lahe also works at Tallinn University, where he teaches History of Religions and Ancient History and at University of Tartu, where he teaches Biblical Studies. He is also active as a translator, who has translated from the English and German languages the religious-historical and theological literature into Estonian.</p>		
Thomas- Andreas Pöder <i>Prof. of Systematic Theology</i>	Meeting of the Redactory Group of the Doctrinal Conversation "Church Communion" of the Community of Protestant Churches in Europe.	CPCE	18.-21.01.2018, Strasbourg/France.
	The 9 th Meeting of the Council of the Community of Protestant Churches of Europe (CPCE)	EELC/CPCE	22.-25.02.2018, Warsaw/Poland.
	Invited paper at the 62. European Conference of Ecumenical Studies "Europe and the Churches" + meeting of the Scientific Advisory Board of the Protestant Institute for Ecumenical Studies in Bensheim (Germany).	The Protestant Institute for Ecumenical Studies in Bensheim (Germany)	2.-4.03.2018, Bensheim, Germany.
	Visiting professor at the Theological Seminary of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Russia, St. Petersburg (Novosaratovka)	Theological Seminary of the ELC in Russia	22.08–29.08.2018, St. Petersburg, Russia
	Participation at the General Assembly of the CPCE.	CPCE	13.-18.09.2018, Basel/Switzerland

	Participation and two presentations at a research seminar on Systematic Theology at the University of Greifswald	Dora Pluss, Institute of Theology of the EELC	25.-26.01.2019, Greifswald, Germany
	Participation as an invited discussant at a scientific consultation of the Strasbourg Institute for Ecumenical Research	Strasbourg Institute for Ecumenical Research	17 - 20.09.2019, Château Klingenthal, France.
	Invited presentation and participation in panel discussion at the annual conference of the Council of the Christian Churches in Baden-Württemberg	Council of the Christian Churches (ACK) in Baden-Württemberg	18.10.2019, Bad Boll, Germany
	Visiting lecture at the Basel private theological university (STH Basel) in the framework of the official cooperation between the Institute of Theology of the EELC UI and STH Basel.	STH Basel	18.11.2019, Basel, Switzerland
	Visiting professor at the Faculty of Theology, University of Helsinki	Dora Pluss, Institute of Theology of the EELC, University of Helsinki, University of Tartu	01.01.-31.12.2020, Helsinki, Finland
	Kone Foundation Fellow at the Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, University of Helsinki	University of Helsinki	18.01.2021–17.06.2021, Helsinki, Finland
	Visiting scholar at the Faculty of Theology, University of Helsinki	Lutheran World Federation, University of Tartu	01.08.-31.12.2021, Helsinki, Finland
	Participation at the official theological dialogue between the Catholic Church (Vatican) and the Communion of Protestant Churches in Europe (CPCE)	CPCE	19.-21.04.2022, Basel, Switzerland
	Participation and two presentations at the 14th International Congress for Luther Research at California Lutheran University	Institute of Theology of the EELC	14.-19.08.2022, Thousand Oaks, California, USA.
	Participation at the official theological dialogue between the Catholic Church (Vatican) and the Communion of Protestant Churches in Europe (CPCE)	CPCE	02.-5.11.2022, Augsburg, Germany.
	Participation at the consultation of member churches on Christian Speaking of God (a study process of the CPCE)	CPCE	01.-03.12.2022, Bad Vöslau, Austria
Priit Rohtmets <i>Prof. of Church History</i>	Participating in AABS conference and leading the division for religion.	Partly Institute of Theology of the EELC and partly by Archimedes Foundation	Stanford, USA, 01.–03.06.2018
	Participating in work-meeting Project RETOPEA Religious Toleration and Peace.	RETOPEA project	Mainz, Germany, 23.05.–25.05.2018

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	Eurel correspondents' meeting 2019	EUREL	Strasbourg, 02.–03. October 2019
	Participating in ReLEP conference Religion in European multi-level governance and in the European Parliament		Brussels, 30.–31 March 2022
	Eurel correspondents' meeting 2019	EUREL	Paris, 22.–23 Septemberr 2022
	<p>Participates in the work of the international network Eurel (http://www.eurel.info/) from 2017, which monitors the sociology of religion, legal and historical aspects of European religious life. Rohtmets contributes to the network with database that concerns Estonia. He also participates in the COST network (Cooperation in Science and Technology), in the work of Europe-wide network (European Network for the Study of Religious Belonging) from 2018. Rohtmets is responsible for management and compilation of the subject of religion in cooperation with the Stanford University, its library and AABS (Association for the Advancement of Baltic Studies) in the conference taking place in Stanford University in June 2018 (http://aabs2018.stanford.edu). Collaboration is also continued in the regional network of church historians (Network of Baltic Church Historians). In cooperation with the University and the colleague Dr Mikko Ketola from there, Rohtmets supervises the PhD work of Oona Huttunen that focuses on the recent history of EELC. Rohtmets is also a member of an international network (ReLEP), which focuses on gathering and analyzing data about Religion in the European Parliament.</p>		
Randar Tasmuth <i>Prof. of Bible Sciences</i>	Participating at the Conference of the British New Testament Society	External funding from the project "Uniprojekt" (Germany)	6-8 September 2018. Conference at St Mary University, Twickenham, London.
	Participating at the Conference of the British New Testament Society	External funding received by the project "Uniprojekt" (Germany).	5-7 September 2019. Conference at Liverpool Hope University.
	Participating at the Eight International East-West Symposium of New Testament Scholars. Giving a presentation in Pauline anthropology seminar: "Temple and Torah turned to Body and Spirit"	External funding received by the project "Personal and Pastoral Formation through Biblical Interpretation, 2019-2010" (Germany).	26-31 May 2019. Caramain Monastery, Romania
	Participating at the Exegetical Day of the Finnish Exegetical Society	Institute of Theology of the EELC	6 February 2020. Exegetical Day, Helsinki, Finland
	Participating at the Hybrid Conference of the British New Testament Society	Institute of Theology of the EELC	19-21 August 2021. Hybrid Conference at Durham University

Marko Tiitus <i>Lecturer of Practical Theology</i>	A study trip to the Diocese of Rochester with six <i>alumni</i> of the Pastoral Seminary of the Institute. The objective of the study trip was to make acquaintance with ministries, congregations and preparation of the clergy of the Church of England and the Diocese of Rochester, as well as St. Augustine's College of Theology in West Malling.	Diocese of Rochester	Rochester, England 25.02.–05.03.2020
Tauri Tölp <i>Coordinator of the Chair of Orthodoxy</i>	Participating as a speaker at the General Assembly of the Conference of European Churches (CEC): “You shall be my witnesses.” The title of the presentation: “The Therapeutic Witness of Christianity” Representative of the Orthodox Church of Estonia	Conference of European Churches	Novi Sad, Serbia, 31.05.–06.06.2018
	Participating at an international conference „Unfading Light: Conference on creativity and prayer in 20th Century Russian Orthodoxy“ Representative of the Centre of Arvo Pärt	Centre of Arvo Pärt	Oxford University, England, 07.03.–08.03.2019
	Participating at the International Workshop „Orthodox Theology in the 21st Century: New Trends and Methodologies“.	University of Eastern Finland	University of Eastern Finland, Joensuu, 01.–03.06.2022