

“INTERNATIONAL WEEK AT OSAU”

26–29 May 2026

Venue: Academic Building No. 2, 13 Panteleimonivska Street

From 26 to 29 May 2026, the first “**International Week at OSAU**” was held. Initiated by Tetiana NEBOHA, Vice-Rector for Scientific Work and International Relations, and implemented with the active participation of all faculties, the Educational and Scientific Institute of Biotechnology and Aquaculture, and the organisational support of the Department of Social and Humanitarian Sciences, the event brought together academic staff, higher education students, along with Ukrainian and international partners of the University.

Day 1

26 May 2026

Opening of the International Week

Round table “International Projects and Programmes in the Context of Higher Education Internationalisation”

Working languages – Ukrainian and English

The first day of the International Week began with the opening of the photo exhibition “Beyond Borders: Global Engagement and International Experience”, which showcased the results of international cooperation of Odesa State Agrarian University, as well as photographs dedicated to international contacts, academic mobility, participation in conferences, and the implementation of international projects

The key event of the day was the round table discussion “International Projects and Programs in the Context of the Internationalization of Higher Education”.

The discussion commenced with a minute of silence in memory of those who lost their lives as a result of the Russian aggression against Ukraine. During the opening session, participants were acquainted with the programme, working regulations, and safety procedures in the event of an air raid alert.

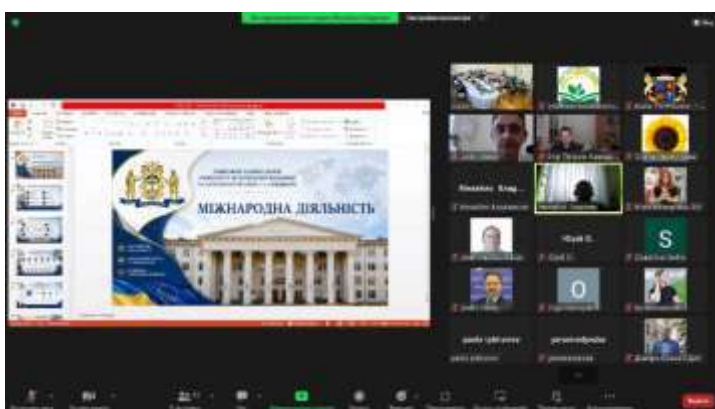
Tetiana NEBOHA, Vice-Rector for Scientific Work and International Relations, delivered the welcoming address. She emphasised the importance of international cooperation for the development of a modern university and the integration of Ukrainian higher education into the European educational area.

Within the framework of the round table discussion, presentations were given on the international activities of universities, academic mobility programmes, and opportunities available for students and researchers.

- Andrii MAIEV, Associate Professor of the Department of Social and Humanitarian Sciences, Head of the International Relations Department, made a presentation “Implementation of International Projects at Odesa State Agrarian University”. The speaker highlighted the key achievements of OSAU’s international activities, including the University’s participation in Interreg NEXT programmes and other international initiatives.
 - Maka TSERTSVADZE, International Cooperation and Erasmus+ Mobility Manager, Central University of Europe (Kutaisi, Georgia), presented opportunities for students within Erasmus+ Mobility programmes.
 - Yana MEDYNSKA, Junior Researcher of the National Contact Point “European Innovation Council (EIC) and European Innovation ecosystems” of the Horizon Europe Programme, based at the State Organization "Institute Of Market And Economic&Ecological Researches of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine”, delivered a presentation on the opportunities of the Horizon Europe Programme for Ukrainian researchers in 2026.
 - Mykhailo PODOLIAK, Vice-Rector for Scientific-Pedagogical Work and International Cooperation at Stepan Gzhytskyi National University of Veterinary Medicine and Biotechnologies Lviv, explored the global dimension of a modern university and the international activities of the institution.
 - Andrii GLADYR, Director of the Center for International Activity at Kremenchuk Mykhailo Ostrohradskyi National University, presented the achievements and future prospects of the university’s international activities.
- The first day concluded with outcomes review and discussions on the prospects for further international cooperation.







**Day 2
27 May 2026**

**Day of European Unity and Cultural Diversity:
“European Campus of Cultures”**

Working language – English

The second day of the International Week was dedicated to intercultural dialogue and European values. As part of the programme, the “European Campus of Cultures” event was held to mark Europe Day in Ukraine.

The event was moderated by Mariia KHOLOD, Lecturer at the Department of Social and Humanitarian Sciences. Associate Professor Svitlana NASAKINA also contributed to its preparation.

OSAU students delivered presentations in English on European countries, their culture, traditions, education systems, and contemporary development:

- Yana TARAKANOVA, third-year student majoring in “Geodesy” – Germany;
- Diana MOZHYN, second-year student majoring in “Geodesy” – the United Kingdom;
- Kyrylo VERKHOMII, second-year student majoring in “Geodesy” – Liechtenstein;
- Daniel DUMBADZE, first-year student majoring in “Agroengineering” – France;
- Viktoriia SHAPOVALIUK, first-year student majoring in “Technology of Production and Processing of Animal Husbandry Products” – Poland;
- Daria SYCHENKO, fourth-year student majoring in “Veterinary Medicine” – France;
- Andrii PRETSULENKO, first-year student majoring in “Technology of Production and Processing of Animal Husbandry Products” – France.

The event contributed to the development of students’ English-language communication skills, the enhancement of intercultural competence, and the promotion of European values among young people.



Day 3
28 May 2026

**Student Dialogue on International Academic Mobility:
“International Experience for Practice-Oriented Learning”**

Working language – English

The central event of the third day of the International Week was a student videoconference “International Experience for Practice-Oriented Learning”, held with the participation of partner higher education institutions.

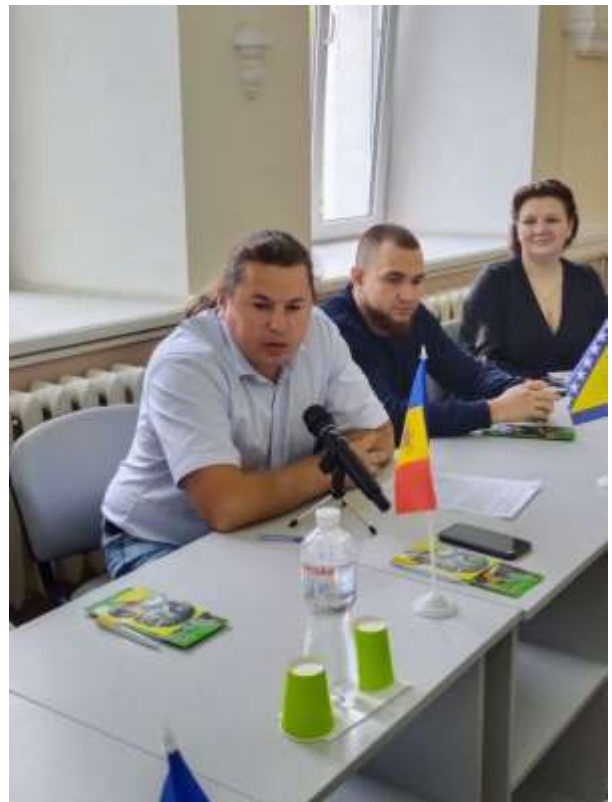
The conference was moderated by Andrii MAIEV, Associate Professor of the Department of Social and Humanitarian Sciences, Head of the International Relations Department. During the conference, participants shared their experience of international academic mobility, participation in Erasmus+ programmes, and other international educational initiatives. Special attention was paid to practical experience, intercultural communication, adaptation to different countries, the importance of language training, and related aspects.

Speakers:

- Mariia KRYSHTALEVYCH, OSAU, a student majoring in “Management”: “Participation in the Erasmus+ Programme at VEVU, Croatia”;
- Cristina MORARI, PhD, Vice-dean of Faculty of International Relations, Political and Administrative Sciences of Moldova State University (Chisinau): “International Academic Cooperation and International Activities”.
- Viktoriia DISKANT, Kateryna HORNOSTAIEVA, Anna LVOVYCH, OSAU, students majoring in “Veterinary Medicine”: “Participation in the International Conference at Istanbul University - Cerrahpaşa, Turkiye”;
- Alisa BUDNIK, Istanbul University - Cerrahpaşa, Turkiye: “Presentation of Istanbul University - Cerrahpaşa”;
- Adelina RADU, Iasi University of Life Sciences, Romania: «A Taste of Research Excellence: My Erasmus Experience at CAISIAL, Naples»;
- Anamaria-Ioana DUMITRASCU, Iasi University of Life Sciences, Romania: “An Erasmus Journey in Applied Soil Science”;
- Mihai TUDOSE, Iasi University of Life Sciences, Romania: “Beyond the Research: How International Mobility Transforms Academic Theory Into Applied Engineering For Complex Ecosystems”;
- Polina MEZINOVA, OSAU, a student majoring in “Veterinary Medicine”: “Educational Trip to Romania: A Vet Student's Perspective “SMS-RO-UA: Development of screening and monitoring systems for emerging diseases and prevention of cross-border epidemics in the current context”, financed by the EU under the Interreg VI-A NEXT Romania-Ukraine Programme 2021- 2027 Project Code: ROUA00136»);
- Nino RAZHAMASHVILI, Central University of Europe, Kutaisi, Georgia, PhD student in Economics: “From Georgia to the World: My Erasmus+ Journey”;

- Baia Dodoshka JOKHADZE, Central University of Europe, Kutaisi, Georgia, a student majoring in “Business Administration”: “Beyond Borders: My Exchange Journey Across Europe”;
- Volodymyr DUMA, Andrii HOLIACHUK, students, Stepan Gzhytskyi National University of Veterinary Medicine and Biotechnologies Lviv: “Erasmus in Lithuania”.
- Mykola BALTA, OSAU, PhD student majoring in “Veterinary Medicine”: “Participation in the Agricultural Exhibition in Turkiye”;
- Serhii VYRVYKISHKA, OSAU, PhD student majoring in “Veterinary Hygiene, Sanitation and Expertise”: “Study visit to Spain”.

Participants in the video conference stressed the importance of academic mobility for students’ professional growth and the integration of Ukrainian higher education into the international academic community.



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BEYOND BORDERS: MY EXCHANGE JOURNEY ACROSS EUROPE

Introduction

Growth Through Mobility

Business mobility seen as a catalyst for strengthening productivity and growth

Conference in Tula
21.04.2020

The first day began with an extensive B2B exchange. The students also presented their research projects and had business meals.

We discussed the benefits of digital education and the shared challenges of the technological transition in the post-pandemic world.






Day 4
29 May 2026

**Day of Academic Writing and Research Integrity: Workshop:
“Plagiarism and Pseudoscience in Scientific Writing”**

Working language – English

The programme of the final day of the International Week focused on issues of academic integrity and research ethics. A workshop “Plagiarism and pseudoscience in scientific writing” was organised for OSAU academic staff and young researchers. The workshop was moderated and delivered by Haliia ZAMARATSKA, Associate Professor at the Department of Food Sciences, Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences (Uppsala).

The workshop covered the following topics:

- the concept of academic integrity;
- types of academic plagiarism;
- principles of academic writing;
- characteristics of pseudoscientific publications;
- international standards of research ethics;
- contemporary requirements for preparing scientific articles.

The participants received practical guidance on the preparation of high-quality research publications and the observance of academic integrity principles within the international scientific community. The lecture concluded with a question-and-answer session, during which Haliia ZAMARATSKA gave detailed answers to the audience’s questions.



The International Week confirmed the importance of international activities as one of the key drivers of a modern university's development and its integration into the global educational and research space. The events held during the week became an important practical step in implementing the Internationalisation Strategy of

OSAU for 2026–2030 and clearly demonstrated that internationalisation is not only a strategic objective defined in official documents, but also an effective instrument for advancing the university's educational, scientific and organisational activities.

The participation of representatives of foreign universities, international organisations, researchers, academic staff, and students created favourable conditions for professional dialogue, the exchange of experience, and the development of new areas of cooperation. The event contributed to strengthening OSAU's international academic partnerships, expanding opportunities for academic mobility, joint research, and participation in international educational and scientific projects.

The outcomes of the International Week demonstrated the growing role of OSAU as an open, modern and competitive university integrated into the European and global educational and research community. The event made a significant contribution to enhancing the university's international visibility, strengthening its reputation as a reliable partner, and broadening the prospects for further international cooperation.

The International Week also demonstrated the university's commitment to actively participate in global academic processes and to implement best international practices in education, research, and university governance. Such initiatives contribute to strengthening OSAU's international reputation and support its long-term vision of becoming a recognised educational and research centre with a strong international presence.