Framework of the Buddy Programme

I. What is the Buddy Programme

- An information-sharing programme between students.
- 2 groups : Buddy-Guide and Buddy

Buddy-Guides are senior students who are responsible for helping new students get to know the university, study programmes, student and local community.

Buddies are students who need to get their bearings, ask certain questions, get information about their program of study, discover the university.

II. Expectations

• All students are expected to show sympathy, altruism and respect.

For the Buddy-Guide :

- You will make a positive contribution to the university community and your study department, but also to the academic experience of other students.
- You will develop new knowledge (practice of a language, exchange of notions, concepts, sharing of activities)
- Giving a little of your time
- You will meet new people

For the Buddy :

- You will have a point of reference at the university
- You can ask questions about your program of study or about university life in general.
- You will be able to share activities together (discovering the culture, food etc.)
- You will meet new people

III. Information on the Buddy-Guides

The Buddy Guide	
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 A volunteer (=RESPECT !) 	- A teacher
- A student like you	- There to take your courses
 A point of reference on campus 	- A candidate for a love encounter 🕲
 someone who offers a little of their time 	- At your entire disposal

IV. The Matching

- Matching is done, <u>if possible</u>, on the basis of your course of study, then a common language and finally your common interests or comments (which you have filled in in the questionnaire).
- Once the matching is done by our team, you will receive an email with the contact information of your Buddy or Buddy-Guide.

- You will then be able to contact each other via the support of your choice (email or social networks).
- We will try as much as possible to suggest meeting places and activities to do.

V. After Matching

• 1 month after the matching, we will ask you for feedback on your experience.

In the meantime, you will always be able to contact the email address: <u>buddyprogram@uni.lu</u> if you have any questions or remarks. If your match does not work, contact us and we will re-match you.