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(Note that as a non-academic user she can only access this particular BAS resource via single-sign-on, not other resources marked as 'RES' or 'ACA'.)

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| Resource | Listed Fee | ELRA | Subtotal | BAS Discount | Total |
|----------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| BAS ALC | Eur 1.050 | - 50% | Eur 510 | - | Eur 510 |
| BAS PD1 | Eur 8.180 | - 12.5% | Eur 7.158 | 30% | Eur 5.010 |
| BAS SI100 | Eur 1.278 | - 50% | Eur 639 | 30% | Eur 447 |
| BAS TAXI | Eur 255 | - 0% | Eur 255 | - | Eur 255 |

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