



UNIVERSITY	
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Erasmus Placements	Contact the host department or company directly. University of Turku does not organise any Erasmus or any other internship training.

APPLICATION	
Nomination Deadlines	Two weeks before the application deadlines: 1 April / 1 October for non-EU partners 15 May / 15 October for EU partners
Application Deadlines	For Autumn Semester / Academic Year • April 15 for non-EU/EEA students • May 31 for EU/EEA students For Spring Semester • October 15 for non-EU/EEA students • November 1 for EU/EEA students
Application Requirements	Nomination from partner university, good English skills, and previous studies in related subject area www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/apply/Pages/Eligibility.aspx
Application Form	Electronic: www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/apply/Pages/Application-Form-and-Enclosures.aspx



	The enclosures of the student (Transcript of Records and Language Certificate, e.g. Language Assessment Sheet as PDF files) must be submitted with the electronic application form.
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ACADEMIC MATTERS

Academic Year	Autumn Semester: end of August – end of December Spring Semester: beginning of January – end of May www.utu.fi/en/studying/academic-matters/
Orientation	At the end of August and in the first week of January www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/courses/Pages/Orientation-Course.aspx
Language of Instruction	Finnish or English
Recommended Language Skills	English: Minimum level B2. Language certificate from the home university or e.g. TOEFL or IELTS is required.
Courses in English	www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/courses/
Selecting Courses	Exchange students can take courses over faculty borders quite freely if they have previous knowledge in the subject area. The courses at the Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Law and Turku School of Economics are not available for students registered into other faculties.
Credit and Grading System	ECTS credits; Grading 1-5 www.utu.fi/en/studying/academic-matters/Pages/Credit-and-Grading.aspx
Transcript of Records	Will be issued within five weeks after the assessment period has finished.
Fees	No tuition, course or registration fees for exchange students. Voluntary Student Union Membership approx. 50€ / semester.
Language Courses	During Semester: Finnish and also other language courses are available at the University's Language Centre www.utu.fi/en/units/language-centre/Pages/home.aspx

PRACTICAL MATTERS

Accommodation	Exchange students can apply for housing at student housing providers TYS, Retrodorm or TVT. www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/housing/Pages/Exchange-Students.aspx
Cost of Rent	280-400€ / month
Cost of Living	600€ / month (depending on rent and excluding leisure time activities) www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/Pages/Living-Costs.aspx
Residence Permit / Visa	Students outside EU/EEA will need a Residence Permit www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/Pages/Recidence-Permit.aspx
Insurance	The students are responsible for their insurances www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/Pages/Health-Care-and-Health-insurance.aspx
Student Tutors	Each exchange student will have a Finnish student tutor (volunteer) who helps them with practical matters.
Campus Facilities	Computer Labs, Wireless Internet, Libraries, University Sports, Student Cafeterias
Distances from the University	City centre 1 km, Turku Airport 15 km, Railway station 2 km Campus Map: www.utu.fi/en/university/campuses/turku/