

Nomination

To be eligible for an exchange programme you must be nominated by your home university. A nomination is an email confirming you have been chosen as an exchange student and your home university will send it to inbound@exeter.ac.uk.

Application

Deadline:

Semester 1 and full year: **30 May**

Semester 2: **31 October**

You need to complete an [online application](#) which includes submitting copies of the following documents:

- **Official Academic Transcript** from your home university (and English translation if applicable)
- Copy of the ID information page of your **passport** (dual nationality students should submit both passports)
- Evidence of **English language** level. EU/EEA: English language competency statement
Non EU/EEA: official English language certificate
- **Personal statement** (your reasons for choosing Exeter)
- **Exeter Study Plan** (list of requested modules on Exeter's module template)

Use the application guide when submitting your application. Applications submitted without ALL supporting documents will not be processed.

What happens next?

When we have processed your application, you will first be sent an acceptance email which contains your Exeter ID number. Later, you

Will be sent another email. Attached to this second email will be a letter of acceptance which you may print out - non EU/EEA students will need this if you apply for a Short Term Study Visa/Entry Clearance at the airport.

Study Load

Full year study period: 120 Exeter credits/60 ECTS

One semester study period: 60 Exeter credits/30 ECTS

Students are expected to take the full course load – additional credits are not permitted.

Students must choose 75% of credits in the subject area of the Erasmus agreement. Modules chosen in other departments will be considered at the discretion of that department. The University cannot guarantee module availability until arrival, so you should ensure that your home university is flexible with your study options and that you complete all eight modules preferences on the Exeter Study Plan document.

Where possible, modules will be pre-allocated near to your arrival. Modules will be finalised upon arrival and registration. There is usually a two-week period in which to finalise your modules.

Understanding module descriptions

Full module descriptions are available online by clicking on the link from the Study Abroad Inbound webpages. They include subject content, prerequisites, study time, teaching/learning methods and how the module is assessed. You will also see details such as the credit value and duration of the module.

You need to check that the module you wish to study is running in the correct semester. A module running in Semester One (September-January) will be listed under 'Term 1'. A module running in Semester Two (January-June) will be listed under 'Term 2'.

Students are expected to be in Exeter during assessment/exam periods

Alternative assessments *may* be offered to semester one students if your home university's academic calendar clashes with Exeter's and you must return for classes. Evidence will be required.

Exeter's Psychology department will not offer alternative assessment – semester one students be present for the January exams.

English Language Requirements

If you hold an EU/EEA passport then you will be required to submit a statement of English language Competency from your university, which confirms you meet the minimum language requirement specified in our agreement with your university. If you hold a non EU/EEA passport and require a visa to study in the UK then you will need to submit official proof (such as IELTS/TOEFL) of your English language proficiency. Our minimum requirements and **accepted English Language tests** can be found on the [Undergraduate Study entry requirements](#) page. Please note that some departments require a higher level of English than others. Students requiring a visa should apply to Exeter as soon as possible so that your application can be processed

with sufficient time to apply for the visa.

Semester Dates

Semester 1

Arrival: Saturday/Sunday

12/13 September, 2020

Orientation & Freshers' Week:

Monday 14 September – Sunday 20 September, 2020

Classes: Monday 21 September – Friday 11 December, 2020

Break (no classes): Saturday 12 December, 2020 – Sunday 3 January, 2021

Examinations:

Monday 4 January – Saturday 9 January, 2021*

***Exams are likely to take place on Saturday 9 January. Take this into consideration when booking travel.**

Semester 2

Arrival: Sunday 10 January, 2021**

Orientation*:** Monday 11 January, 2021

Classes: **Monday 11 January – Friday 26 March, 2021

Easter break (no classes): Saturday 27 March – Sunday 25 April 2021**

Revision/Examination period:

Tuesday 4 May – Friday 11 June 2021

** for some programmes e.g. Drama, the dates of required attendance may vary.

*** semester two students may be offered a pre-orientation session on Friday 8 January, check website for details

Our campuses

The University of Exeter has three campuses located in the South West of England. The Streatham Campus and St Luke's Campuses are both in Exeter in the county of Devon. St Luke's Campus in Exeter houses Sport and Health Sciences. The Penryn campus is located in the county of Cornwall, close to Falmouth.

Modules taught at the Penryn Campus are usually indicated on the

module selection page on the Inbound Study Abroad webpages.

Students cannot study modules at both campuses as they are 2.5 hours apart. Details about our campuses can be viewed at: exeter.ac.uk/undergraduate/life/our/campuses/

Housing

Full Year: If you are studying for the full academic year starting in September you are guaranteed university-owned or managed accommodation as long as you apply by the 31 July deadline.

Semester at Penryn: you are guaranteed university-owned housing, usually on campus.

Semester in Exeter: There are limited university-owned rooms for students studying for one semester, the majority will seek accommodation in the private sector. A list of privately-owned houses close to the University are advertised online, follow the link on the Inbound Study Abroad webpages.

Single semester university accommodation is usually more readily available in semester 2 than in semester 1.

Exeter is a safe, student-friendly city with good bus routes to the University. Students could also consider sourcing accommodation outside of the city centre which is likely to be less expensive. For accommodation queries visit the Inbound Study Abroad webpages and follow the link.

Students cannot apply for university-owned accommodation until your completed application has been approved and accepted by the Study Abroad Team.

Student Support

University of Exeter has a wide range of support services. A full list can be found on the Inbound Study Abroad webpages under 'student life'. Please note that if you have a specific learning, physical or mental health difficulty we strongly encourage you to declare this on your application so that our dedicated [AccessAbility](#) team can put support in place prior to your arrival.

Immigration

If your passport is from a country outside the EU/EEA, then you will need to apply for a visa to study in the UK. The visa type will depend on your nationality, the length of your study and what you wish to do while you are here. You will be asked on your online application which visa you intend to apply for, so you should research which is best for your needs before you submit your application: <http://www.exeter.ac.uk/internationalstudents/immigration/>. If you require a visa to study in the UK then you may also be required to provide an official language certificate such as IELTS/TOEFL. Email any visa enquiries to SID@exeter.ac.uk

Orientation

It is important that you attend the orientation programme as you will be given information about the University, the support available and you will finalise your modules.

More Information:

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