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Exchange Student Service

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Homepage	http://www.uni-muenster.de/international/incoming/ - German http://www.uni-muenster.de/en/international_students/ - English	
Departmental Coordinator	http://www.uni-muenster.de/ERASMUS/Partner/index.html	
Nomination	In order to be informed about the online application procedure, the students need to be nominated by their home university. An email with names and the students email addresses is to be sent to admin.ess@uni-muenster.de For winter semester: 1 May For summer semester: 1 November	
Application deadline	Students have to hand in Applications for admission to the Exchange Student Service : For winter semester: 1 June For summer semester: 1 December	
Language of instruction	Most courses are taught in German, only very few lectures and seminars are taught in English or other languages. There are no additional courses for exchange students. Please make sure to acquire some German skills before you arrive to Münster or concentrate on language courses at our university.	
Academic calendar	The academic year is divided in two semesters. The winter semester starts in October, exams take place in February. The summer semester start in April, exams take place in July and August. Exact term dates change from year to year. The current academic calendar can be found at http://www.uni-muenster.de/studium/orga/termine.html	
When does the winter term “Wintersemester” start/end?	Start of	End of
	semester: 1 October	semester: 31 March
	lectures: approx 2 nd week of October	Lectures: approx. 3 rd week of February
When does the summer term “Sommersemester” start/end?	Start of	End of
	semester: 1 April	semester: 30 September
	lectures: approx 1 st week of April	Lectures: approx. 3 rd week of July
Course catalogue	You can find the course catalogue – “Vorlesungsverzeichnis” at: http://www.uni-muenster.de/studium/orga/vorlesungsverzeichnis.shtml [the course catalogue for the winter semester is usually available in August, the course catalogue for the summer semester in February] Contact your departmental exchange coordinator for further information on lectures and creditpoints.	
Language Courses	The Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität Münster offers Intensive German language Courses for its exchange students at the beginning of each semester and a large variety of German languages courses during the semester. Further Information and application forms for the Intensive German Language Course will be send to all incoming exchange students via e-mail. For general information: http://spz.uni-muenster.de/en/home	

Student housing	The University of Muenster is not a campus university and does not offer accommodation to students. The housing situation in Münster is very tense and students should search for housing right after their nomination. Exchange students should apply for a room with the association Internationale Studentenwohnheime e.V., a private provider who is especially offering rooms for international students. Information can be found here: http://www.uni-muenster.de/en/international_students/exchange/living/index.html
Individual room offers by ERASMUS outgoing students	Please note that the Exchange Student Sercie at our university collects housing offers from Outgoing students from Muenster who would like to sublet their rooms during their study abroad period. These offers are mostly rooms in shared flats together with other students and vary in terms of costs and location. You can find the offers in the forum at the following website http://erasmus-muenster.de/lang/en/wohnenaccommodation/ If you are interested in one of the offers, please contact the students directly.
Private Accommodation	http://www.studenten-wg.de another German platform for flats and shared flats http://www.muenster.org/wohnheime private halls of residence in Muenster http://www.nadann.de a weekly magazine with small advertisements for rooms and shared flats in Muenster http://www.kshg-muenster.de/index.php?myELEMENT=107388 catholic student community http://esgmuenster.de/profil.html protestant student community http://www.wohnboerse.ms accommodation agency of the Student Union http://www.muenster.de/stadt/wohnungsamt/tipps.html City of Muenster, advice for students http://www.muensterschezeitung.de local newspaper with small advertisements http://www.westfaelische-nachrichten.de local newspaper with small advertisements http://www.wg-gesucht.de a German platform for flats and shared flats
<i>In order to facilitate the planning for your stay, we have compiled the most important information for you at our homepage.</i> http://www.uni-muenster.de/international/incoming/austausch/index.html <i>Should you have further questions, please don't hesitate to ask and we will be happy to help you.</i>	

Special Activities for Exchange Students

Exchange Student Service – Social Support / ERASMUS Münster e.V.

The Exchange Student Service organizes a **Welcome Week for exchange students** at the beginning of each Semester. Detailed information will be sent to all incoming exchange students before semester starts.

Social Support

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The Social Support organizes the “student semester program” [Excursions, Party, ERASMUS Cinema and a lot of **other leisure activities**] and the “Buddyprogramm”. You can find further information about these activities and events at: <http://erasmus-muenster.de>.

Furthermore, the University of Münster offers a language tandem program in Cooperation with the language Center. For further information please contact: language.tandem@uni-muenster.de or check the following link: <http://spz.uni-muenster.de/tandem>