Welcome to this information session!

This information session will be recorded

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- There is a small chance that your name will be visible, this cannot be switched off.
Study Abroad
on exchange in 2021/2022

International Offices UU
A quick introduction round

On behalf of all the International Offices at UU
Tessel Arendsen – Exchange Coordinator
Cathelijne van Weelden – Exchange Coordinator
What are we going to discuss today?

First introduction to an exchange abroad
- What is it?
- Where can I go?
- Can I afford an exchange?
- Short overview of the timeline

What won’t we be discussing today?
- Take a closer look at programme specific questions

Register for your the information session organised by your own faculty
What is an exchange?

Studying for the duration of a semester or academic year at a foreign university that has an exchange agreement with UU.

• Courses can be integrated into your UU study programme
• No tuition fee at the foreign university
• Support from the International Office UU and host university
On exchange in times of corona

- Follow up session at 11:00
- Link to this meeting has been sent via email
  - Will be shared in the chat at the end of this session as well
  - Questions about this topic may be saved for that next session
What are the conditions for an exchange?

• Remain registered with Utrecht University as a full-time student
• Pay tuition fee at Utrecht University only
• Prior to your exchange: bachelor students must have completed min. 60 EC
• Full time study (30 EC per semester) at host university
• Possible additional conditions at host university (language requirement, GPA)
When can I go on exchange?

• How an exchange can be fitted into your study programme is something you check with your own programme / faculty. Attention will be paid to this during the faculty information sessions.

• In most studies there is space in your programme (e.g. free electives / as a replacement for a minor) and you won’t run into any study delays.
UU on Exchange

Top 10 Countries

Australia
US
UK
Canada
Italy
Spain
Norway
Ireland
China
Sweden

Number of UU- students

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Where can I go?

https://students.uu.nl/en/exchange-destinations
Why should I go on exchange?

1. Because of the *academic* challenge
2. For the *personal development* you will make
3. Because employers *value* international experience
4. Because you will increase your *language skills*
5. Because you will make *friends* all over the world
6. Because you will get to know another *country* and its *culture*
7. Because it is a *unique* opportunity
8. Because it's a *great experience*
### Is an exchange affordable?

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Support

• International Office(s) UU
• Study Advisor / contactperson abroad / tutor
• International Office host university
• Erasmus Office UU
• Board of Examiners
Now till ± half November

± Half November
First deadline 1 December
Extra deadlines on 1 March & 15 June

± end of January

I'm IN!

One day a mysterious mail appears...

Utrecht University

ARRANGING YOUR STUDY ABROAD IN FIVE STEPS

STEP 1. ORIENTATION
STEP 2. APPLICATION AT UU
STEP 3. HOST UNIVERSITY APPLICATION
STEP 4. PRE-DEPARTURE ARRANGEMENTS
STEP 5. TRAVEL TO HOST UNIVERSITY

CONGRATS!

Go to NEXT ROUND

After some time...
Step 1 orientation – what does UU do?

- Destination pages up to date
- Faculty information sessions
- Workshops (full)
- Regionspecific Q&A sessions
- Appointment with exchange coordinators (telephone / email)

Step 1 orientation – what do YOU do?

- Thinking about whether an exchange is something you would like
- Study Abroad website UU
  - Check the destination pages
  - Read the student reports on the website
- Faculty information
- Website host university
# Activiteiten / Activities
5 - 9 oktober / October 2020

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### Maandag/Monday
- **General Information**
- **Session Humanities (Bachelor students)**
- **Session Humanities (Master Students only)**

### Dinsdag/Tuesday
- **Study Abroad in times of Corona**
- **Voordracht Sociale Wetenschappen (Opleidingen: FED, ISW, FSY, OWW)**

### Woensdag/Wednesday
- **Algemene voordracht**
- **Voordracht Geesteswetenschappen**
- **Voordracht KEOS**
- **VOORLIGTING GEESTEWS**

### Donderdag/Thursday
- **Naar het buitenland in tijden van corona**
- **VOORLIGTING B&EW**

### Vrijdag/Friday
- **VOORLIGTING B&EW**

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Questions?
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