



Erasmus+



Eesti Maaülikool

Estonian University of Life Sciences

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Erasmus + learning mobility of individuals (Key Action 1) – Higher education student and staff mobility between Programme and Partner Countries

## Guidelines for incoming students

### Basics

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Erasmus+ credit mobility is an exchange programme between Estonian University of Life Sciences (EMÜ) and University of Tehran (UT). Student can come to Estonia for one semester (5 months) in:

**Academic year 2021/2022.**

During their stay in Estonia, students are required to take courses and collect at least 15 ECTS credit points.

### Who can apply?

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EMÜ can accept one Master or PhD level student in **environmental sciences**.

### Application Procedure

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Interested students should:

1. See the list of courses offered by EMÜ [here](#).
2. Submit following documents to the coordinator at UT:
  - a. Transcript of records in English
  - b. Motivation letter in English
  - c. Copy of Passport
  - d. Curriculum Vitae in English
  - e. Language certificate issued by the university or copy of an international language test certificate.

After UT has selected the students according to their performance (weighed average grade, English skills, commitment and motivation), a nomination must be sent to [erasmus@emu.ee](mailto:erasmus@emu.ee). The nomination should contain student's name and surname, field of study, date of birth, e-mail address.

After receiving the nomination the coordinator at EMÜ will contact the student and instruct him/her of the following procedures. The student is required to follow the application steps described [here](#).

EMÜ does not require to send any originals of the documents beforehand. We ask the students to have the originals of their documents when they arrive to EMÜ.

Upon successful submission of abovementioned documents, an **acceptance letter** will be sent to the students' e-mail.

### Application Deadline

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<b>Deadline for</b>	Autumn semester	April 15
<b>Nomination</b>	Spring semester	November 15
<b>Deadline for</b>	Autumn semester (or the entire year)	1st of May
<b>Applications</b>	Spring semester	1st of December

Acceptance letters will be sent by January (for Spring semester) or July (autumn semester).

## Arrival in Estonia

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Accepted students are expected to arrive in Estonia **one week before** the start of the semester. There is always an orientation week for the new students organized during the previous week before the beginning of the studies. Participation is very recommended.

## Scholarship

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Participating students will receive a scholarship consisting of **travel support and monthly scholarship**.

Travel grant for students is **530 EUR** per participant.

Monthly scholarship is **800 EUR** per participant.

All payments are made by EMÜ directly to the students' bank account in Estonia or in home country.

## Estimated Cost of Living

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<b>Accommodation</b>	Dormitories: 85 – 150 euro + communal costs Independent flat rent: 250 – 500 euro + communal costs
<b>Food/meals</b>	150 – 300 euro per month
<b>Local Transportation</b>	15 euro per month
<b>Health insurance</b>	200 – 400 euro per year

## Visa and Residence Permit Requirements

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Non-EU students who come to Estonia for one semester need to apply for long-stay visa (D visa, 5 months) at the Estonian Embassy in Ankara, Turkey ([LINK](#)). Students are expected to submit their visa application immediately after they have received the acceptance letter from EMÜ. EMÜ will send the visa invitation letter directly to the Embassy.

## Health insurance

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Students are expected to have a valid health insurance coverage, EMÜ is not offering any insurance plans.

## Contacts

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<b>Coordinator for non-EU exchange students</b>	<b>Anastassia Safonova</b> +372 7313074; <a href="mailto:anastassia.safonova@emu.ee">anastassia.safonova@emu.ee</a>
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**Web-page for incoming students:** <https://www.emu.ee/en/admissions/>