

#### STUDENT EXCHANGE **PROGRAM**

Fact sheet AY 2023-2024











## WHERE TO FIND US

Erasmus code

B ANTWERPO1

#### City campus

**Heart of Antwerp** 

Prinsstraat 13, 2000 Antwerp, Belgium

#### International office

Gratiekapelstraat 10, 2000 Antwerp

#### Exchange office

Prinsstraat 13 Room A.002, 2000 Antwerp







# If you have any questions on:

- Academic issues/study programs exchange.fbe@uantwerp.be
- Practical issues during your stay, visa, housing... incomingstudents@uantwerp.be

## WHOM TO CONTACT

### Head of international relations

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# Director international relations & development

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#### **Agreements**

agreements@uantwerp.be

#### International office

incomingstudents@uantwerp.be

## Exchange office (incoming and outgoing)

Mrs Véronique Sterkens exchange.fbe@uantwerp.be +32 3265 40 01

# IMPORTANT PROCEDURES

#### **NOMINTATIONS**

Fall 2023 and Full AY

15th of April 2023

Spring 2024

15th of October 2023

Nominations should be done by the institutional or departmental coordinator of the home institution or by an assistant at the International Office or Faculty. More information on nominations, please contact incomingstudents@uantwerp.be

#### **APPLICATIONS**

Fall 2023 and Full AY

15th of May 2023

Spring 2024

1st of November 2023

After you have been successfully nominated to the UAntwerp, you will receive an automated email that will contain all the information that you need to start with your application. More information on applications, please contact incomingstudents@uantwerp.be

#### **REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

- Copy of passport (non-EU and EU students) or national identity card (EU students only) valid during your entire stay
- Proof of your academic level by sending us your Transcript of Records in English
- Professors at the UAntwerp require their students to have a sufficient knowledge of English to participate in their classes. Proof of your English level (B2 CEFR) through certificate by language center at home institution (Erasmus only) or TOEFL score (minimum of 80) or IELTS score (minimum of 6.5) or Cambridge First Certificate. If English is your mother tongue please provide us with a statement from your home institution. More information about language requirements can be found on our website.

# **ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

#### Fall Semester

#### September

- Dutch language courses
- Orientation days
- First weeks of classes

#### October

- Deadline registration of your courses
- Classes

#### November

- Classes

#### December

- Classes

#### **CHRISTMAS BREAK**

#### January

- Exams

**ONE WEEK BREAK** 

#### Spring Semester

#### **February**

- Orientation days
- Dutch language courses
- First weeks of classes
- Deadline registration of your courses

#### March

- Classes

#### April

#### **EASTER BREAK**

- Classes

#### May

- Classes
- End of May is the start of the exam period

#### June

- Exams

#### August

- Retake exams at the end of the month - beginning of September

### COURSE INFORMATION

- A minimum of 20 ECTS
- Course catalogue open for exchange students
- Students can take up to 2 courses at another faculty (after approval)
- Languages of instruction are Dutch (only open for dutch speaking exchange students) and English



### **MISCELLANEOUS**

#### **STUDENT ACCOMODATION**

Exchange students can apply for a room via our international student housing offer or find student accommodation on the private market. Our international student housing department will assist you in this search.

#### **BUDDY SYSTEM**

The Faculty of Business and Economics has a system in place which facilitates meeting local students. Local students can help you with all matters concerning life as a student at the University of Antwerp.

#### **VISA AND RESIDENCE PERMIT**

International students can consult our international office with questions regarding their visa.

All international students who will be staying in Belgium for more than 3 months have to apply for a residence permit upon arrival.

#### **INSURANCE**

Registration as a student at the University of Antwerp includes accident and third party liability insurance.

If you need assistance with other insurance, please contact our international office.

#### **GRADING SYSTEM**

Results are based on a mark between 0 and 20

- ≥ 17: Greatest distinction (Maxima cum laude)
- 15-16: Great distinction (Magna cum laude)
- 13-14: Distinction (Cum laude)
- 10-12: Satisfaction (Pass with credit)
- < 10: Fail



# THE UNIVERSITY OF ANTWERP

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