FACT SHEET: STUDENT EXCHANGE 2019/2020

FACULTAD DE TRADUCCIÓN E INTERPRETACIÓN (FTI) https://fti.ugr.es/pages/facultad/facultad_

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Autumn semester 2019
Courses: early September - late December
Exams period: mid - January to mid-February

Holidays and non-working days:
National Day: 12 October
Constitution Day: 6 December
All Saints Day: 1 November
Christmas: from 24 December to 7 January
Exams preparation week: from 7 January to 15 January

Spring semester 2020
Courses: mid February to late June
Exams period: late June - early July

Holidays and non-working days:
Easter: 15 April-22 April
May day bank holiday: 1 May - 3May

WELCOME DAYS

Mandatory for all exchange students
Autumn semester:
early September

Spring semester:
early February

To find out more, please see:
https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/movilidad/estudiantes/entrantes/jornadas-incoming?lang=en

UGR BUDDY PROGRAM

The programme kicks off in September every year and normally runs for a semester or full academic year. The UGR's International Office will pair you up with a UGR mentor, prior to your arrival, from the faculty or school where you will be undertaking your studies. Your mentor or buddy will provide you with on-going support both before and during your

time at our University. They will help you with everything from completing administrative procedures, searching for accommodation, and finding your way around the University campuses and Granada. They will also organize cultural activities such as visits to monuments and historical sites; guided tours; excursions; concerts; plays etc. (you can decide on these activities with your mentor). For further information, please see: https://www.ugr.university/pages/campuslife_outreach/student_services/buddyprogramme

ADMISSION APPLICATION PROCESS

In order to be an Erasmus at the UGR, the person in charge of the International Relations at the home university has to send a nomination of the students selected to take part in the Erasmus exchange programme to the Erasmus coordinator of the corresponding faculty / school at the UGR.

Autumn semester or full academic year:

1st April to 15th May: Online application and study plan proposal.
From 9th July on: Sending of acceptance e-mails

Spring semester:
From 1st to 31st October: Online application and study plan proposal
From 13th December on: Sending of acceptance e-mails

Selected candidates will receive a formal notification by email including an information pack (administrative formalities, orientation programme). Please see:
https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/instruonlineapplication_esp_eng

Online application procedure:
https://oficinavirtual.ugr.es/apli/intercambio/alumnos_in/index.html

HOUSING

Finding accommodation in the city of Granada is not very big issue. Usually, there are many types of accommodation for the international students. Don't forget that Granada is the number #1 receiving Erasmus in Europe! So, renting a flat is not difficult at all, but not always you can find what you were looking for. It depends on your budget, location, and facilities, but generally you won't have any problem. Granada has plenty of shared flats for students, local and international, the lifestyle goes around the University. The average would be 250€ for a student flat room in university neighbourhoods. If your budget is lower you can move to the outskirts for 120-180€.

There are also housing platforms such as ESN (European Student Network) which really helps the international students to find a flat for their exchange semester or year. During the first days, also known as Welcome Days, the Erasmus students can get a 25% discount on the fee. Please, see: https://www.esngranada.org/

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

The school's four year curriculum (Degree of Translation and Interpreting) and five year curriculum (Double Degree of Translation and Tourism) comply with the European higher education framework. The teaching modules follow the European Credit Transfer System (ECTS), facilitating exchanges with other universities abroad.

Full time study is equivalent to 30 ECTS per semester. One academic year is 60 ECTS.
Spanish marks: 10 is the highest mark. 5 is the minimum passing mark.

More information about course catalogue at http://grados.ugr.es/traduccion/

International students nominated to spend their mobility at the FTI can also take courses in other faculties at the UGR. The International Relations Office at the FTI is available to answer any questions you may have on this matter. Please contact the office at rriifti@ugr.es.

Language requirements: The regular language of instruction is Spanish. In order to be accepted as Erasmus student it is mandatory to demonstrate a **minimum level (B1)** of proficiency in the language of instruction: https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/ka107_2017_attachment_1_language_requirements_ugr

ESTIMATED COST OF LIVING (per month)

Accommodation: 250/300 euros +
Transportation: 20 euros
Meals (see *Comedores Universitarios*: http://scu.ugr.es/): 4 euros the menu.
There are also celiac and vegan options.

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