




Exchange Student Fact Sheet 2021/2022

GENERAL INFORMATION		
VISITING ADDRESS	Campus Kristiansand Universitetsveien 25 4630 Kristiansand	Campus Grimstad Jon Lilletuns Vei 9 4879 Grimstad
POSTAL ADDRESS	PO Box 422, 4604 Kristiansand, Norway	
WEBSITE	www.uia.no	
ERASMUS+ CODE	N KRISTIA 01	
INTERNATIONAL OFFICE	Aase Galteland Head International Education Office Jonas Lillemoen Skaalerud International Coordinator Janne Fladstad International Coordinator Elisabeth Balchen Grant International Coordinator Tonje Nielsen Rørly International Coordinator	Sissel Gjennestad International Coordinator Terje Thorsdalen International Coordinator, Erasmus+ Coordinator
INCOMING STUDENTS TEAM	int-office@uia.no	
OUTGOING STUDENTS TEAM	Int-kontor@uia.no	

ACADEMIC CALENDAR				
	NOMINATION PERIOD	APPLICATION PERIOD	SEMESTER DATES	ARRIVAL DAY
FOR AUTUMN SEMESTER	15 February 2021 – 20 April 2021	15 February 2021 – 1 May 2021	16 August 2021 – 17 December 2021	4 th and 5 th August 2021
FOR SPRING SEMESTER	15 February 2021 – 5 October 2021	15 February 2021 – 15 October 2021	5 January 2022 – 3 June 2022	To be announced
ACADEMIC CALENDAR	https://www.uia.no/en/about-uia/organisation/academic-calendar			

ACADEMIC INFORMATION	
LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS	A minimum of level B2 in English, however no official language certificate required.
ONLINE LEARNING AGREEMENT (OLA)	UiA is using from now onwards the Online Learning Agreement system (OLA). More information can be found on this link: https://www.uia.no/en/studies/exchange-students/online-learning-agreement-ola
GPA REQUIREMENTS	There is no minimum GPA requirement to participate in the exchange programme, but some courses will have certain prerequisites.
NOMINATION AND APPLICATION	UiA accepts nominations through its online system. Please use our online nomination and application system: https://www.uia.no/en/studies/exchange-students/how-to-apply-exchange-students
COURSE LOAD	The usual workload is 30 ECTS credits per semester (3 or 4 courses) The minimum workload required is 20 ECTS credits.
LEVEL OF STUDY	Both undergraduate / bachelor and graduate / master. Master level courses are only open to master level students.
COURSES OFFERED TO EXCHANGE STUDENTS	Students can choose courses across faculties, subject to approval. For full course descriptions see the following link: https://www.uia.no/en/studies/exchange-students/choosing-courses
ONLINE LEARNING AGREEMENT (OLA)	UiA is using OLA for all incoming and outgoing students. More information can be found on this link: https://www.uia.no/en/studies/exchange-students/online-learning-agreement-ola
OTHER INFORMATION	
ACCREDITATION	The School of Business and Law at UiA is one of only two AACSB accredited business schools in Norway. 
INSURANCE	All the students are required to bring insurance from their home country. Students from EU/EEA countries must bring a valid European Health Insurance Card (EHIC), obtainable in their home countries.
VISA AND RESIDENCE PERMIT	EU/EEA Students: Not required to apply for visa or study/residence permit, but will need to register with the police if staying for more than three months. Non-EU/EEA Students: Most nationalities need to apply for a study/residence permit before coming to Norway, check www.udi.no/en for updated information.

ACCOMMODATION	<p>International students from outside EU/EEA who are spending a minimum of one semester at the University of Agder are guaranteed student housing in shared or single rooms.</p> <p>More information: https://www.uia.no/en/life-on-campus/student-housing Housing Office Website: https://www.sia.no/housing/</p>
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SUMMER SCHOOL	
European Integration Summer School (EISS)	
DATES / MORE INFORMATION	https://www.uia.no/en/studies2/european-integration-summer-school-eiss
COST	Free for students from partner institutions