

## University of Limerick Information Sheet 2022-23

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Relevant websites	General (university) information for Erasmus students:      Nomination & Application   UL - University of Limerick      University of Limerick website: <a href="http://www.ul.ie/">http://www.ul.ie/</a>
Dates for academic year 2022/3	Autumn Semester: Orientation: 29 <sup>th</sup> August – 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2022 Teaching Term (including exam period): 5 <sup>th</sup> September – 17 <sup>th</sup> December 2022  Spring Semester: Orientation: 16 <sup>th</sup> January – 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2023 Teaching Term (including exam period): : 23 <sup>rd</sup> January – 15 <sup>th</sup> May 2023

Application deadlines	Full Academic Year: 31 <sup>st</sup> May  Autumn Semester: 31 <sup>st</sup> May  Spring Semester: 31 <sup>st</sup> October
Application Form	Application is an online process.  Firstly, coordinators must nominate students and send the names of nominees and contact details to email address incoming.erasmus@ul.ie  The application link will be sent to the international education administrator to forward to students.  Applications will not be accepted after the deadline.
Language requirements	All incoming Erasmus students are required to possess sufficient English language skills to attend lectures and sit examinations. Students should be competent to communicate through the medium of English prior to arrival at the University of Limerick.
Intensive Language Course	The Language Centre of the University of Limerick offers an intensive language course prior to the start of the semester.  Language Centre website: <a href="www.ul.ie/languagecentre">www.ul.ie/languagecentre</a>
Insurance requirements for incoming Erasmus students	All students are advised to obtain private health insurance either from institutions in their home countries or from institutions in Ireland. Private health care can be obtained from the following Irish Health Insurance companies, VHI ( <a href="www.vhi.ie">www.vhi.ie</a> ) or Laya Healthcare ( <a href="http://www.layahealthcare.ie">http://www.layahealthcare.ie</a> ). Further information can be found at <a href="https://www.ul.ie/global/outgoing-students/preparing-study-abroad/erasmus-programme//health-and-travel-insurance">https://www.ul.ie/global/outgoing-students/preparing-study-abroad/erasmus-programme//health-and-travel-insurance</a>
Immigration	All Non EU students attending the University of Limerick are required by the Irish Department of Justice <a href="http://www.garda.ie/controller.aspx?page=31">http://www.garda.ie/controller.aspx?page=31</a> to register with the local Gardai (Irish police).  VISA applications should be made through the Irish Embassy in the home country.  Immigration Fee €300

On Campus Accommodation	Once your placement at the University of Limerick is confirmed, and you have received your UL ID number you may apply online for on-campus accommodation <a href="https://studentliving.ul.ie/">https://studentliving.ul.ie/</a> Please note accommodation cannot be booked until your placement at the University of Limerick has been confirmed. A number of single rooms have been reserved for Erasmus students in the 5 student villages on campus. Campus accommodation is limited and is allocated on a first come first served basis. Booking forms must be accompanied by a 250 Euro booking deposit in order to reserve your accommodation. Queries relating to on-campus accommodation bookings should be directed to:  Accommodation Office accommodation @ul.ie  Off-campus residences are available within walking or cycling distance of the campus. For more information on accommodation on campus, see <a href="http://www.campuslife.ul.ie/">http://www.campuslife.ul.ie/</a>
Off Campus Accommodation	There are several off-campus residences, details of which are provided at <a href="https://studentliving.ul.ie/index.jsp?p=116&amp;n=141">https://studentliving.ul.ie/index.jsp?p=116&amp;n=141</a> The accommodation office will assist with private off-campus accommodation. A list is available on request either from <a href="mailto:accommodation@ul.ie">accommodation@ul.ie</a> You are advised to view before paying a deposit.
Approximate cost of living per month	The total cost of living for students in Ireland is estimated at approximately €1,000 per month.
Orientation:	The Orientation Programme, organised by UL Global, introduces students to the various services and systems in operation at the University of Limerick e.g. enrolment, module registration and other facilities such as health services, sports, clubs and entertainment. The Orientation Programme takes place prior to the beginning of the semester.  Please note it is compulsory for all students to attend Orientation.
Modules:	The normal workload per semester is 5 modules. Students are normally required to take at least 3 modules from within the subject area of the Exchange Agreement and may take a further two modules outside this subject area. Acceptance on these modules is subject to academic prerequisites, timetabling constraints and number of students enrolled.
ECTS Credits:	The normal course load at the University of Limerick is 5 modules per semester. Erasmus students are limited to a <u>maximum</u> of 6 modules and a <u>minimum</u> of 3 modules per semester. Each course is awarded 6 ECTS credits.