



LLP / Erasmus
Information Sheet 2012/13

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Departmental coordinators	http://www.int.uzh.ch/in/program/erasmus/coordinator_en.html
Websites	http://www.uzh.ch http://www.int.uzh.ch http://www.int.uzh.ch/in/program/erasmus_en.html
Online application	http://www.int.uzh.ch/in/program/erasmus/application_en.html
Application deadline	15 April 2012
Academic calendar 2012/2013	Lectures: Fall Semester 2012: 17.09.2012 (Week 38) - 22.12.2012 (Week 51) Spring Semester 2013: 18.02.2013 (Week 8) – 01.06.2013 (Week 22) http://www.uzh.ch/studies/dates_en.html Exams: Depending on the faculty, at the end or after the lecture period.
Online course catalogue	The course catalogue for the fall semester 2012 is available at: http://www.vorlesungen.uzh.ch/HS12/lehrangebot.html (as of March 30) The course catalogue for the spring semester 2013 is available at: http://www.vorlesungen.uzh.ch/FS13/lehrangebot.html (as of October 19)
ECTS	At the University of Zurich, one ECTS credit corresponds to a workload of 30 hours (including presence at lectures, self-study, preparing for and taking examinations).



Language requirements	<p>Courses are mainly conducted in German. However, courses in English are offered in several fields of study. Students should have around level C1 of the Common European Framework (CEFR) in German or English, depending on the language of instruction of the courses. It is primarily in the responsibility of the partner universities to nominate students that have the according language skills. However, it is possible that we don't accept students, if we perceive that they don't have the necessary knowledge to successfully follow courses and exams.</p> <p>Students who would like to take courses offered by the English Department (English Literature and English Linguistics) need to fulfill the requirements published at: http://www.es.uzh.ch/teaching/studyabroad.html</p>
Language courses	<p>Students can participate in an intensive German course that takes place two weeks before the beginning of the semester. Other courses are offered during the semester. Application deadlines apply and places are limited. http://www.sprachenzentrum.uzh.ch/angebot/kurse_ba/index_en.php</p>
Accommodation	<p>The University of Zurich does not own student dormitories. However, the International Relations Office might help students finding accommodation. Students can find useful addresses at http://www.uzh.ch/studies/studentlife/accomodation_en.html</p> <p>Following agencies also help students finding accommodation in flat share:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Housing Office of University and ETH Zurich: http://www.wohnen.ethz.ch/index_EN- Woko Studentische Wohngenossenschaft: http://www.woko.ch/en <p>A room in a student house costs CHF 300 (shared room) to 690 per month.</p>
Insurance	<p>For anyone staying in Switzerland longer than three months, health insurance is compulsory. Students from an EU member state who are legally insured in their home country can apply for exemption from this obligation by using the European Health Card or a provisional certificate issued by the health insurance company in their home country. The Student's Advisory Office (ReBeKo) offers help concerning health insurance matters. Further information is available at http://www.uzh.ch/krabe</p>
Living costs	<p>Monthly costs of living, in Swiss Francs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">Rent: 300.- to 690.-Utilities: 140.-Meals: 450.-Health and other insurance: 100.-Transportation: 100.-Clothing, laundry, personal items: 100.-Study materials: 100.-Free time, miscellaneous: 150.- <p>Total: CHF 1'340.- to 1'730.-</p>