



FACT SHEET FOR PARTNER INFORMATION

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Name of University	University of Almería
Erasmus ID Code	E ALMERIA01
Website	http://www.ual.es/ http://cms.ual.es/UAL/universidad/organosgobierno/vinternacional/index.htm
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APPLICATION INFORMATION	
Nomination Process	Exchange student should be first nominated by their home institution providing with basic information: name, field of study, expected period of stay and –very important- an e-mail address so we can contact students directly.
Application Process	Online: Once the student has been officially nominated by their home university International Office, they will receive an e-mail with a password and instructions to complete the application on-line. No paper applications must be submitted.
Application Deadlines	Semester 1 and full year: 30th June Semester 2: 15th January
Definitive Registration of Courses	Online. Enrolment is made through a self enrolment on-line system by the student in the month of July. Students will receive an e-mail with a password and user name to access the self-enrolment on-line and information about available courses. Semester 1 and full year: July Semester 2: January



LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Spanish / English	<p>Although there is a range of courses taught in English, most of them are delivered in Spanish. Therefore, all incoming students should have sufficient language skills to attend lectures and sit examinations.</p> <p>We do not require evidence of their level of Spanish; however, we strongly recommend students to have at least a B1 of Spanish.</p>
Spanish Course	The Language Center of the University of Almeria offers a free intensive language course for Erasmus Incoming Students at the beginning of each semester.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Course Information	<p>Exchange students can take any courses from any official degree of the University of Almeria during 2014/15, with the exception of Master's degrees Courses.</p> <p>http://cms.ual.es/UAL/estudios/grados/index.htm</p> <p>Courses in English: http://cms.ual.es/idc/groups/public/@vic/@vinternacional/documents/documento/relintin12.pdf</p>
Course sign-up	<p>Fall semester: in July</p> <p>Spring semester: in January</p>
Full-time Workload	<p>30 ECTS per semester</p> <p>60 ECTS for the full year</p>
Courses offered	Exchange students are entitled to enroll in any course forma any official degree imparted at the UAL (EXCEPT MASTER)
Courses questions	Should be addressed to the academic coordinators. Contact details can be obtained from our web.
Mobility questions	<p>Should be addressed to the International Office.</p> <p>erasmusual@ual.es</p>
Date for Academic Year 2014/15	<p>First Semester:</p> <p>Lectures start: 22nd of September 2014</p> <p>Christmas Break: From 20th December 2014 to 7th January 2014</p> <p>Examination Period: From 24th January to 11th February 2014</p> <p>Second Semester:</p> <p>Lecture Start: 12th February 2015</p> <p>Easter Break: From 30th March to 7th April 2015</p> <p>Examination Period: From 6th June to 22nd July 2015</p> <p>Academic calendar: Academic calendar</p>



ACCOMMODATION

Type of Accommodation	Private Shared self-catered flats
Accommodation web site	www.alojamientoual.com
Help with accommodation	In case the student does not book accommodation in advance, the ERASMUS ALMERIA NETWORK of the University of Almería will help the student on arrival to contact other students and landlords. http://www.esnalmeria.org/
Youth hostel	For the first days in Almería: http://www.inturjoven.com/albergues/almeria/albergue-inturjoven-almeria.html
Approximate cost of housing	Housing estimated on the basis of a single student living in a self-catering shared flat: 180 – 280€

COMPUTING FACILITIES

Available Computers	At the University Library and open-access labs.
Wireless	Students will be given a user name and password upon registration so they can make use of the computer facilities and wifi

UNIVERSITY FACILITIES

Food and drinks	Dining hall and cafes
Sports Centre	Sport facilities, activities, program of leisure and recreation programs, competitions, etc.
Bicycle	Bicycle rental and repair
Child Care	Homeroom, dining room, playroom, school, etc.
Libraries and archive	Library acquisitions, user training, book loan, use library space and equipment, laptops loan.
Language courses	German, Arabic, English, Russian, etc. Free Spanish Language courses are provided for Erasmus Students.
Student Job Service	Self-employment and business creation, internal grants, employment office, career guidance, internship, etc.
Culture and Leisure	The theater and cinema club.
Orientation Days	Orientation days are organized at the beginning of each Semester. It includes an Reception of International Students by International Office Staff and different activities of introduction to UAL and the city of Almería.