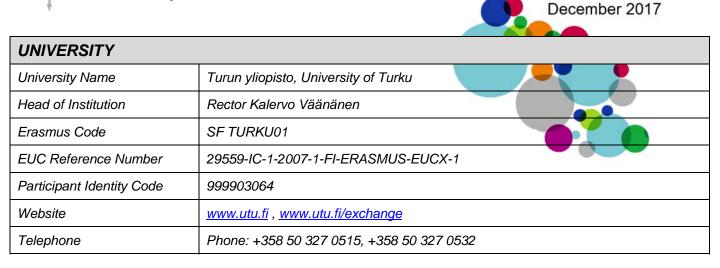


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Erasmus Placements	Contact the host department or company directly. University of Turku does not organise any Erasmus or any other internship training.	

APPLICATION		
Nomination Deadlines	Two weeks before the application deadlines:	
	1 April /1 October for non-EU partners	
	15 April / 15 October for EU partners	
Application Deadlines	For Autumn Semester / Academic Year	
	April 15 at 23.59 Finnish time for non-EU/EEA students	
	April 30 at 23.59 at Finnish time for EU/EEA students	
	For Spring Semester	
	October 15 at 23.59 Finnish time for non-EU/EEA students	
	October 31 at 23.59 at Finnish time for EU/EEA students	
	Nomination from partner university, good English skills, and previous studies in	
Application Requirements	related subject area	
	www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/apply/Pages/Eligibility.aspx	
Application Form	Electronic: www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/apply/Pages/Application-	
	Form-and-Enclosures.aspx	
	The enclosures of the student (Transcript of Records and Language Certificate,	
	e.g. Language Assessment Sheet as PDF files) must be submitted with the	
	electronic application form.	



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ACADEMIC MATTERS		
Academic Year	Autumn Semester: mid of August – end of December Spring Semester: beginning of January – end of May www.utu.fi/en/studying/academic-matters/	
Orientation	At the end of August and in the first week of January www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/courses/Pages/Orientation-Course.aspx	
Language of Instruction	Finnish or English	
Recommended Language Skills	English: Minimum level B2. Language certificate from the home university or e.g. TOEFL or IELTS is required. More information http://www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/apply/Pages/Application-Form-and-Enclosures.aspx	
Courses in English	www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/courses/	
Selecting Courses	Exchange students can take courses over faculty borders quite freely if they have previous knowledge in the subject area. 50 % studies must be courses if wanting to do the Master's Thesis or participating the research project. The student must find the supervisor by him/herself. The courses at the Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Law, Faculty of Education and Turku School of Economics are not available for students registered into other faculties.	
Credit and Grading System	ECTS credits; Grading 1-5 www.utu.fi/en/studying/academic-matters/Pages/Credit-and-Grading.aspx	
Transcript of Records	Will be issued within five weeks after the assessment period has finished.	
Fees	No tuition, course or registration fees for exchange students. Voluntary Student Union Membership approx. 55€/ semester.	
Language Courses	During Semester: Finnish and also other language courses are available at the Centre for Language and Communication Studies www.utu.fi/en/units/language-centre/	

PRACTICAL MATTERS		
Accommodation	Exchange students can apply for housing at student housing providers TYS and Retrodorm. www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/housing/Pages/Exchange-Students.aspx	
Cost of Rent	285-400€ / month	
Cost of Living	600€/ month (depending on rent and excluding leisure time activities) www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/Pages/Living-Costs.aspx	
Residence Permit / Visa	Students outside EU/EEA will need a Residence Permit www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/Pages/Recidence-Permit.aspx	
Insurance	The students are responsible for their insurances www.utu.fi/en/studying/info-accepted/Pages/Health-Care-and-Health-insurance.aspx	
Student Tutors	Each exchange student will have a Finnish student tutor (volunteer) who helps them with practical matters.	
Campus Facilities	Computer Labs, Wireless Internet, Libraries, University Sports, Student Cafeterias	
Distances from the University	City centre 1 km, Turku Airport 15 km, Railway station 2 km Campus Map: www.utu.fi/en/university/campuses/turku/ Pori Campus 150 km from Turku	