

UiO **University of Oslo**

Information Sheet - International Partner Universities 2020-2021

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We recommend you to send us an e-mail first, as written information in an e-mail often is more helpful.			
Website http://www.uio.no/english			
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	Academic Exchange Details		
Application	Students must be nominated for exchange through UiO's online nomination		
deadline for	service: http://www.uio.no/english/studies/admission/exchange/nomination.html		
incoming			
students	Application deadline for studies in the autumn semester: 1 May		
	Application deadline for studies in the spring semester: 1 November		
	Admission procedures:		
	http://www.uio.no/english/studies/admission/exchange/		
Language	Norwegian and English		
	Requirements:		
	- Successful completion of at least one year of University education		
	- International students who are not native speakers of English must		
	document their proficiency in English: For more information, please see		
	http://www.uio.no/english/studies/admission/exchange/english-		
	requirements.html		
Areas of Study	1. Can Undergraduate and Graduate students apply?		
	Yes, if the exchange agreement includes both levels		
	2. Are students allowed to enrol in courses from different departments (e.g.:		
	a student from the Business Department can enrol in courses of the		
	Economy Department)?		
	If there are no specific pre-requisites, yes.		
	3. Which courses/faculties are open for international students to enrol in?		
	Faculty of Theology		
	Faculty of Law		
	Faculty of Humanities		
	Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences		
	Faculty of Social Sciences		
	Faculty of Education		
	4. Which courses have restrictions for international students?		
	Courses in Medicine, Dentistry and Pharmacy (unless there is a specific		
	Faculty agreement).		
	5. Are there other courses with restricted access to international students?		
	Courses within Nutrition and Health Sciences, Geoscience, courses at the		
	University Centre in Svalbard and Psychology might have restrictions. If		
	students meet the general requirements and fulfil pre-requisites (if		

	applicable) they can usually apply to all courses listed at our web page:	
	http://www.uio.no/english/studies/courses/	
	Admission to courses is subject to availability and is not guaranteed.	
Academic	Most Faculties:	
Calendar Dates	Autumn semester: Early August - mid December	
	Spring semester: Early January - mid June	
	(http://www.uio.no/english/studies/about/academic-calendar/)	
Grading System	ECTS. For further information, please refer to	
	http://www.uio.no/english/studies/about/academic-system/credits/	
Transcript	Please refer to: <u>http://www.uio.no/english/studies/examinations/transcript-of-</u>	
availability	grades/	
Registration	1. How do students register for their courses?	
0	By using the Studentweb: <u>http://www.uio.no/english/studies/registrations/</u>	
	2. Can students pre-register for their courses?	
	Yes. Students are provided with log-on details for Studentweb by SMS.	
	3. What are registration deadlines?	
	Students must register their courses within 1 February for courses in the	
	Spring semester and 1 September for courses in the Autumn semester.	
	4. How can students access course syllabus?	
	The course descriptions also contain detailed descriptions:	
	http://www.uio.no/english/studies/courses/	
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	5. What is the minimum/maximum number of courses a student may register in?	
	The regular full-time course load per semester is 30 ECTS. Most courses	
	are 10 ECTS each so most students take three 10 credit courses	
	6. If problems arise during their registration, who can students contact for	
	help?	
	Each faculty and department has an international coordinator who can	
	help with these issues.	

Pre-Departure		
Visa Information	Students residing outside The European Economic Area must apply for a visa and residence permit immediately after they have received their Letter of Admission from the University of Oslo. For details, please see http://www.uio.no/english/studies/new-student/residence-permit/	
Does it cover the student if they travel to other countries outside of the country	No. Students must bring travel insurance or other adequate insurance from home if planning to go abroad while studying in Norway.	

of the host institution?	
For what period(s) of time does it cover the student?	For as long as they are registered as living in Norway.
Does it cover the student traveling to your country?	No. Students must have coverage from home for the travel to Norway and for the first time in Norway, until they are registered as residents in Norway and as students here.
If the student provides evidence of sufficient health care coverage from home, could they be exempted from purchasing Health insurance?	Yes.