

FACT SHEET BRIEFING

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1. ABOUT US

Universidade Lusófona is the largest private university in Portugal. The entity that is legally responsible for managing and developing the university is COFAC - Cooperativa de Formação e Animação Cultural, a not-for-profit educational entity, located in Lisbon, Portugal.

The name of the university comes from the term "Lusophony" - the peoples and nations that share the Portuguese language and culture -, which is the central landmark of its institutional mission.

The University has two university campuses, in Lisbon and Porto, which are located at the heart of the two main Portuguese cities.

In its core institutional mission Universidade Lusófona advocates tolerance, inclusion, and equal opportunities as its central values, presently gathering a students' body of more than 16,900 students and 1.671 teaching staff, articulated in the 15 Faculties, Schools and Institutes.

2. UNIVERSITY IN NUMBERS

LUSÓFONA OFFERS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMES IN A BROAD RANGE OF FIELDS, FROM THE EXACT SCIENCES TO THE HUMANITIES, FROM HEALTH TO ARTS AND TECHNOLOGIES.

15

Academic units

67

Undergraduate courses



04

Integrated Masters

72

Masters degrees

05

International Masters (Erasmus Mundus)

06

Professional Masters

12

Doctoral programmes

01

Master's EAD (Distance Learning)

16.900

Undergraduate and Integrated Master's Students

1379

Masters and Doctoral Students

COURSES CATALOGUE AND INTERNATIONALIZATION

All the University's courses meet the European higher education requirements, and comply with the **European Credit Transfer System (ECTS)**. Moreover, all **programmes are accredited by A3ES, the National Agency for Assessment and Accreditation of Higher Education.**

<https://www.ulusofona.pt/en/courses>

At international level, Universidade Lusófona positioning is becoming increasingly central and evident. In addition to an active participation in several research projects within the scope of, the European programmes Horizon and E+, the University is, since 2020, the leading Institution of one of the 4 existing thematic European Universities - FilmEU (European University for Film and Media Arts <https://www.filmeu.eu/>),

PRESENTLY THE UNIVERSITY WELCOMES MORE THAN

1700

International Students

of

84

Nationalities



3. CONTACTS

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International coordinators:

<https://www.ulusofona.pt/en/mobility/international-officers>

4. APPLICATION CALENDAR

Deadlines for Nomination - incoming students

Autumn/First Semester until the end of May.
Spring/Second Semester until the end of September.

Online Application

Autumn / first semester until the end of June
Spring /Second Semester until the end of October.

Additional information about application procedure at <https://www.ulusofona.pt/en/mobility/incoming>

5. HOW AND WHERE TO APPLY?

All the information at <https://www.ulusofona.pt/en/mobility/incoming>

6. LEARNING AGREEMENT

The Digital Learning Agreement (LAs) will be the preferred mode of submission. LAs must be prepared before the mobility. At Lusofona University, the International Coordinators are the responsible to accept and signed it (please see contacts above).

7. HOW MANY ECTS SHOULD I COMPLETE IN MOBILITY?

Within Portuguese Higher Education System, one academic semester corresponds to 30 ECTS and one academic year to 60 ECTS. The mandatory number of ECTS to be achieved should be defined before the mobility, through the LA's (see topic above) taking consideration students' needs and expectations.



Please find some of our accommodation partnerships:

A† LUC

<https://www.ensinolusofona.pt/en/general-information/accommodations>

A† PUC

residencias.universitarias@scmp.pt

9. VISA INFORMATION

All students, lecturers and researchers who are national citizens from a state outside the European Union and who aim to study, work or undertake research stays in Portugal need to obtain a visa at the Portuguese Consulate or Embassy nearest to their area of residence see here: www.portaldascomunidades.mne.pt

Important Note:

- Applicants are fully responsible for gathering and preparing all the documents requested by the consular services;
- Applicants are fully responsible for paying for pay for all charges associated with the visa application;
- Responsibility for the evaluation of the visa application files, their validation and visa emission falls exclusively on the consular services.
- All official information on visa may be obtained on the webpage of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, at www.vistos.mne.pt

10. STUDENTS SERVICES

Entire campus is covered with Wi-Fi networks, and all students have access to a wide range of on-line services, both for educational and administrative purposes. Universidade Lusófona offers its students state-of-the-art-laboratories and equipment for education and research library cafeterias fully equipped Student's Hall study rooms opened 24h a day computer labs.

INSURANCE

EU CITIZENS - Students from EU countries should obtain the European Health Insurance Card in their country of origin before to traveling to Portugal. The European Health Insurance Card gives access to the Portuguese public health system sns.gov.pt.

NON- EU CITIZENS - Students who are not European Union citizens must obtain a valid private health insurance, (a copy of the insurance policy will be demanded in order to enroll at the University).

11. COST OF LIVING

The cost of living for a student at the University depends on a series of factors (type of accommodation, meals, individual interests). Anyway, an approximate cost of living would be between € 400 to € 600 per month.

12. IN SHORT

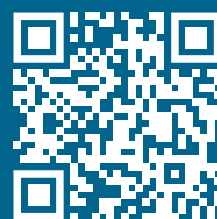
Academic Calendar: <https://www.ulusofona.pt/en/calendars> (different schools have different calendars)
1° Semester: Middle September
2° Semester: Beginning of February

Language of instruction: Recommended English B1.

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Further information

