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UAB Universitat
Autònoma
de Barcelona

FACT SHEET 2024/25



Erasmus+ & UAB Exchange Programmes

CONTACT INFORMATION

Mailing Address for Exchange Programmes:

- Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Àrea de Relacions Internacionals. Mobility and Exchange Unit. Edifici N, Campus UAB 08193 - Bellaterra (Barcelona) Spain

Erasmus+ Programme

Partners & students contact: erasmus@uab.cat // +34 93 581 3155 / +34 93 586 8499

Incoming teachers & staff: erasmus.staff@uab.cat // +34 581 3780

Agreements: [Exchange Offices](#) at the Faculties

Erasmus+ Third Countries: erasmus.ka171@uab.cat // +34 581 8256

UAB Exchange Programme

Partners & students contact: uab.exchange.programme@uab.cat // +34 93 586 8499

Agreements (non-Erasmus): Internacional.pr@uab.cat // +34 93 581 4252

Web and Social Media

General UAB

Mobility & International Exchange

Incoming Students:

Erasmus IN // UAB Exchange Programme IN // Erasmus Third Countries IN

Social Media: Social Networks

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

First term:

- Starting: 9 September 2024
- Ending date: 7 February 2025

Holiday breaks:

- Christmas: 20 December - 7 January
- Easter: 14 - 21 April 2025

Second term:

- Starting: 10 February 2025
- Ending: 4 July 2025

These dates are tentative. The Official Academic Calendar will be available [here](#)

DEADLINES

NOMINATION (by home university)	First semester or whole year*	15 February - 1 May
	Second Semester	15 September - 1 November
APPLICATION (by the student)	First semester or whole year	15 February - 15 May
	Second Semester	15 September - 15 November
MEDICINE STUDENTS (Learning Agreement)	All exchange periods	30 June
STUDENTS APPLYING TO ESCOLA MASSANA (portfolio and additional documents)	All exchange periods	1 May

- Nominations are done **via an online form** that will be sent to partners by e-mail.
- **Medicine** students MUST send their Learning Agreement to intercanvis.medicina@uab.cat by the **30th of June**.

***Nominations for Medicine or Escola Massana** must be submitted during this period only, even if the students wish to apply for the second semester. Students will have to apply within the first period too.

GENERAL APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Students must be nominated by their home university through an online form. Afterwards, students must register and complete their online application through this site: sia.uab.es > Mobility and Exchanges > Incoming exchange students: sign-up and application.

Learning Agreements are managed by the **Exchange Offices** directly. Any issues related to LAs should be addressed to the Exchange Offices.

Applications to Design Studies (EINA & Massana)

Students wishing to apply to EINA School of Design and Art or Escola Massana Arts and Design School must complete an additional application. It should be sent directly to each school:

EINA internacional@eina.cat **MASSANA** internacional@escolamassana.cat

**Please note that other affiliated schools (like Gimbernat or EUSS) can have their own or additional application procedures/requirements (check their webpages or contact them for more info).*

Important remarks

- **Minimum 50%** of the total credits must be enrolled **at your host faculty** at UAB. The remaining 50% can be enrolled in a different faculty only if there is availability.
- **Admission to Master's level courses:** It is only possible to enrol in master's courses if the agreement between UAB and your home university includes the master level. Moreover, **the coordinator** of the master's must give the **final approval** for your enrolment. Exchange incoming students at Master level can enrol a maximum of 30 ECTS.
- **Thesis:** most faculties **do not accept** students who intend to prepare their **final thesis project** at UAB or do some research for it. Please discuss it with the Exchange Office, and they will assess your case.
- **Complementary Insurance:** A small fee of 4,48€ (in 2023-2024) will be required in order to take out a complementary insurance, addressed to all students enrolled at the UAB, that covers accidents and civil liability.
- **Depending on the faculty**, you will need to complete a **pre-enrolment** on an **online** platform. Just follow the instructions sent by the Exchange Office at your faculty.

COURSE INFORMATION

Exchange students

- Degree Offer: [Bachelors - Masters - PhD, Faculties & Schools](#)
- Subjects in English: [Undergraduate subjects in English](#)

International Students (fee paying)

- [International Tracks \(new!\)](#) - international.tracks@uab.cat - +34 93 581 4252
- [Selected Courses](#) - study.abroad.sc@uab.cat
- [UAB Barcelona Summer School](#) - summer@uab.cat

LANGUAGE INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

Lectures are **mainly taught in Catalan or Spanish**. The usage of either language depends on the lecturer who gives the course. Anyhow, the exams can be answered in any of the official languages (Spanish, Catalan or English). No Catalan certificate is required. Lectures offered in **English** are available on this [list](#).

As a general rule, it is **recommended** that students have a minimum language level of **B1** on the language of instruction of the courses. However, some faculties have specific language requirements:

- **Faculty of Economics and Business:** Minimum level of **B2 of the language of instruction** of the courses selected by the student. List of valid certificates available [here](#).
- **Faculty of Political Science and Sociology:** Minimum level of **B2 of the language of instruction** of the courses selected by the student. Keep in mind that there is a restriction on the number of courses you can attend in English and Spanish, a maximum of 2 subjects in English and 1 subject in Spanish per semester. See more information on the [faculty website](#).
- **Faculty of Communication:** Minimum level of **B1 of the language of instruction** of the courses selected by the student.
- **Faculty of Psychology:** Minimum level of **B1 in Spanish** to enroll in courses in Spanish and in courses in English as well. Keep in mind that the faculty's offer of courses in English is 2 subjects per semester and the demand to follow these courses is bigger than the room available, so all students should be able to take courses in Spanish too. See more information on the [faculty website](#).

Catalan and Spanish Language Courses

Exchange students have the right to enrol on an **Initial-level Catalan** course free of charge. Additional Catalan courses and all Spanish courses are also available and subsidised. Before your arrival at UAB you can discover Catalan Language in the EU academy academy.europa.eu/courses/discover-catalan.

UAB Languages Campus

[Catalan Courses & Spanish Courses](#)

ACCOMMODATION & LIVING

UAB offers **on-campus accommodation** through the student residence hall **Vila Universitària**. Vila Universitària also offers private accommodation options in shared apartments or host families.

Contact: +34 93 581 7004

internacional@vilauniversitaria.com

For accommodation in Barcelona city: +34 93 238 9072 - info@resahousing.com

[Barcelona Centre Universitari - Barcelona Housing Service for Students](#)

- Approximate cost of living: Accommodation: 250-500€. Food: 250-350€, Transport 50-70€, Personal-Leisure Activities: 160-220€

OTHER SERVICES AND CONTACTS

International Support Service

The ISS will help students with their **registration and visa** related procedures as well as other needs students may have when **settling into Barcelona and the UAB.**

International Support Service

+34 93 581 2210 international.support@uab.cat

Emergency Assistance

Information about various security protocols & tips can be found [here](#). (Consular registration, harrassment protocols, health insurance, etc.)

In case of emergency on campus, the campus **Security Service** must be contacted through this phone number: **+34 93 581 2525**

The European wide emergency number is the **112**.

Other Services on Campus

ESN Erasmus Student Network

[ESN UAB Facebook](#)
info@esnuab.org

Support to inclusion and students with special needs

[PIUNE](#)
fas.piune@uab.cat +34 93 581 4716

Community Involvement

[Dinamització Comunitària](#) info.participació@uab.cat

Volunteering, social action, and cooperation

[Fundació Autònoma Solidària \(FAS\)](#) fas@uab.cat

Sports Centre

[Servei d'Activitat Física \(SAF\)](#) saf.usuaris@uab.cat

Cultural Activities

[Cultura en viu](#) cultura.enviu@uab.cat

Health Service

[Servei Assistencial de Salut](#)
+ 34 93 581 1800 servei.salut@uab.cat