



# LUND UNIVERSITY



## INFORMATION SHEET 2016/2017

### Joint Faculties of Humanities and Theology

Contact Information	
Official website	<a href="http://www.ht.lu.se">www.ht.lu.se</a>
Website for exchange students	<a href="http://www.ht.lu.se/en/international/">http://www.ht.lu.se/en/international/</a>
Postal address	Lund University, Faculties of Humanities and Theology, International Office, P.O. Box 201, SE-221 00 Lund, Sweden
Visiting address (for courier delivery)	HT International Office, Sölvegatan 13 A, 223 62 Lund
Coordinators at the Joint Faculties of Humanities and Theology	<a href="http://www.ht.lu.se/en/international/information-for-nominated-exchange-students/international-coordinators/">http://www.ht.lu.se/en/international/information-for-nominated-exchange-students/international-coordinators/</a>

Academic Information	
Academic calendar	<a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/academic-calendar">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/academic-calendar</a>
Language of instruction	English and Swedish
Number of credits per semester and grading system	Undergraduate and graduate: 30 ECTS/semester, 60 ECTS/year  Bachelor's degrees: 3 years, 180 ECTS Masters' degrees: 1 year, 60 ECTS, 2 years, 120 ECTS  <a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/credit-system">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/credit-system</a>

## Nomination and Application Procedures

Nomination period	<p>Nomination of students is done online by the student's home university. Instructions are sent shortly before the nomination period.</p> <p>Autumn and academic year: 15–31 March Spring: 15–30 September</p>
Application period	<p>Once the nominations have been submitted students receive an email with the log in details that are required for the online application.</p> <p>Autumn semester: 1–25 April Spring semester: 1–25 October</p>
Supporting documents	<p>All supporting documents need to be uploaded in the application; no hard copies are to be sent to Lund University.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Official Transcript of Records including the courses the student is currently taking</li><li>• Statement of Purpose (in Swedish if your students want to study courses in Swedish)</li><li>• If the student wish to study modern languages at Lund university, then the Transcript of Records from upper secondary school needs to be attached as well</li></ul> <p>Swedish language certificate, CEFR level C is required if the student intends to study Swedish-taught courses.</p>
Application process for exchange studies	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Nomination completed by student's home university. The following information must be provided when a student is nominated:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- student's first name and last name</li><li>- student's email address</li><li>- which semester the student will arrive</li></ul></li><li>2. Email with application log in details sent to student by Lund University.</li><li>3. Submit application including supporting documents. Students should not forget to apply for the International mentor programme and the Introductory Swedish Course (SUSA)</li><li>4. Apply for housing via LU Accommodation.</li><li>5. Letter of Acceptance sent via email to the student by Lund University, along with the "Result of your application" showing the current status of course admission.</li><li>6. Apply for Swedish Residence Permit for Studies using the Letter of Acceptance.</li></ol> <p>Read more about exchange application and acceptance: <a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/exchange-application">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/exchange-application</a></p>

## Courses and Study Requirements

Course load	Exchange students are expected to study full-time, 30 ECTS/semester (excluding the SUSA course). Lund University will not allow students who are already admitted to full time studies to overload.
Courses for exchange students	Find courses in English: <a href="http://www.ht.lu.se/en/international/information-for-nominated-exchange-students/find-available-courses/">http://www.ht.lu.se/en/international/information-for-nominated-exchange-students/find-available-courses/</a>
Studying in Swedish	Students with a background in Scandinavian studies or who have studied in a Nordic school system may be able to apply for courses with Swedish as the language of instruction. Find courses: <a href="http://www.ht.lu.se/utbildning/kursutbud/">http://www.ht.lu.se/utbildning/kursutbud/</a>
Language requirements	It is recommended that the student's level of English language proficiency is equivalent to IELTS 6.5/ TOEFL 90.  The Swedish language requirement for exchange students wishing to study Swedish-taught courses is CEFR level C.
Specific requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Two semesters of studies at home university prior to registration at Lund University</li> <li>• The admission requirements (prerequisites) for each course can be found on the website of the relevant department. Many courses require at least 1 year of full-time studies within the subject area.</li> <li>• Courses taught in English at various departments usually require that students already have a certain background in the subject (at least one year of full-time studies in the subject before applying for courses). Students should therefore carefully read the specific requirements for exchange students on the website of the relevant department, to ensure that they meet the requirements of the courses they apply for.</li> </ul> <p>Lund University offers SAS-courses where there are no pre-requisites: <a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/international-admissions/exchange-study-abroad/exchange-studies/special-area-studies">http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/international-admissions/exchange-study-abroad/exchange-studies/special-area-studies</a></p>
Restrictions and limitations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Courses at Lund University School of Economics and Management (LUSEM) are very popular, therefore availability is limited. It is recommendable to add alternative courses from other faculties to be able to get a full time course load.</li> <li>• The Faculty of Performing Arts, the Malmö Art Academy and the Faculty of Medicine mainly admit students within specific faculty/department agreements.</li> <li>• Courses in Journalism are not available.</li> <li>• Please note that not all courses given in English are open to exchange students.</li> </ul>

## Student Accommodation

LU Accommodation	<p>Read about accommodation options and apply via LU Accommodation: <a href="http://luaccommodation.lu.se/node/107">http://luaccommodation.lu.se/node/107</a></p> <p>It is strongly recommended that students apply as soon as the application period opens.</p> <p>Application periods: Autumn semester: 1 – 25 April Spring semester: 1 – 25 October</p>
Alternative housing	<a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/student-life/housing">http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/student-life/housing</a>

## Preparing to come

Arrival and orientation weeks	<p>The orientation weeks for international students include a variety of activities that aim to help students settle in smoothly at the University and in student life. Read more about Arrival Day and orientation: <a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/arrival-and-introduction">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/arrival-and-introduction</a></p> <p>Sign up for the following activities offered during the orientation weeks within the application for studies:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• International mentor programme: <a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/mentors">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/mentors</a></li><li>• Introductory Swedish Course (SUSA) for exchange students (3 ECTS): <a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/exchange-swedish">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/exchange-swedish</a></li></ul>
Insurance	<p>All exchange and Study Abroad students are covered by the Swedish State's Insurance for Foreign Students. This coverage is restricted to the period of time that the students are in Sweden, as specified in the student's Letter of Acceptance and extends mainly to health claims arising while the student is physically within the Swedish borders. Find Terms and Conditions: <a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/insurance">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/insurance</a></p>
Learning support for students with disabilities	<a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/disabilities">http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/disabilities</a>
Money and living costs	<a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/living-costs">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/living-costs</a>
Residence Permit	<a href="http://www.lunduniversity.lu.se/residence-permit">www.lunduniversity.lu.se/residence-permit</a>

Lund University in social media

- [Lund University Facebook page](#)
- [International desk Facebook page](#) (events and updates for international students at Lund University)
- [Lund University International YouTube channel](#)
- [Lund University Twitter](#)
- [Lund University Instagram](#)
- [Lund University LinkedIn](#)