



## International Office

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## Academic Year 2011-2012

<b>Semester 1</b>	Teaching	from Mon 26 Sep 2011
	Exams	from Mon 31 Jan 2012
<b>Semester 2</b>	Teaching	from Mon 20 Feb 2012
	Exams	from Mon 9 Jun 2012

[More information](#)

## Academic Information

[Graduate Study Programmes](#) (4 years programmes)

### Health Sciences:

Nursing  
Physiotherapy  
Psychology

### Experimental Sciences

Mathematics  
Chemistry  
Environmental Sciences

## **Social and Legal Sciences**

Law  
Economics  
Finance and Accounting  
Management and Business Administration  
Marketing  
Labour Relations and Human Resources  
Social Work  
Tourism  
Public Management and Administration  
Social Education  
Teacher Training in Child Education  
Teacher Training in Primary Education

## **Science and Technology**

Agronomic Engineering  
Electronics Industrial Engineering  
Industrial Chemical Engineering  
Computer Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering

## **Humanities**

English Studies  
History  
Spanish Studies  
Humanities

## **3- and 5- Year Bachelor Degrees and Engineering Degrees**

-to be extinguished-

On our web site is also available [further information](#) about courses, contents, timetables, academic calendar, etc.

**Exchange students are entitled to enrol in any course from any official degree imparted** at the UAL - Master courses excluded-.

Nevertheless, students should ensure that the majority of their subjects are in the agreed subject area of the Erasmus agreement and that for any courses they must meet the equivalent of stated prior study requirements and Spanish language requirements.

Exchange students are expected to take the normal ECTS academic load of 30 credits/semester or 60 credits/year.

Specific questions about available courses should be addressed to the academic coordinators. Contact details can be obtained from our web.

Questions regarding other aspects of mobility should be addressed to the International Office -Please find contact details above-

## Application Procedure

**Nomination:** Exchange students should be first nominated by their home institution providing with basic information: name, field of study, expected period of stay and –very important- an e-mail address so we can contact students directly.

**Admission:** Confirmation of acceptance will be sent by e-mail to students with the knowledge of their home institutions. Should you still need an original signed Letter of Acceptance, please contact [erasmusual@ual.es](mailto:erasmusual@ual.es) providing a postal address, e-mail and/or fax number where the letter should be forwarded.

Details of how the Erasmus students should apply for the academic year 2011-2012 that are not available now and will be sent directly to students as well as found on our web page at a later stage:

<http://internacional.ual.es>

## Application Deadlines

Applications should be submitted on-line by

**24th June** for students starting September 2011 -**Semester 1**-  
and  
**20th December** for students starting February 2012 -**Semester 2**-

Late applications may not be accepted

**DEFINITIVE REGISTRATION OF COURSES** will be available for students on-line from the 5<sup>th</sup> to the 10<sup>th</sup> of July for year and first semester students and from January the 10<sup>th</sup> to the January the 20<sup>th</sup> for students arriving on the second semester.

## Spanish/English

Attached you can find a list of courses taught in English

The rest of official courses are imparted in SPANISH. Nevertheless, in particular cases and depending only on teacher's criteria, facilities to study in English are provided.

We do not insist on students producing evidence of their level of Spanish; however, students should have a Spanish language proficiency which will allow them to follow all their course lectures and to complete any course assignments and examinations.

Erasmus Incoming Students and exceptionally non-Spanish speaking international students are welcomed to attend a 40 hours free Intensive Spanish Course either in October or in March. Courses Start after the beginning of each semester so students are not required to arrive in advance for this reason.

The UAL Languages Center **-CENTRO DE LENGUAS MODERNAS-** also holds Spanish courses to assist international students studying at the University

## Accommodation

Students in Almería normally live in shared self-catered flats. The University of Almería has no dormitory rooms or halls of residence so we cannot guarantee accommodation to all incoming students.

The [ERASMUS ALMERIA NETWORK](#) of the University of Almería will help you on arrival to contact other students and landlords so you can settle down as soon as possible. Nevertheless to find the right place to live could takes a few days depending on needs and budgets.

Therefore, we always recommend to make a reservation for at least two days at Almería Youth Hostel [-ALBERGUE JUVENIL ALMERIA-](#) to allow you some time before moving to a definitive settlement. Please make a reservation on-line well in advance to your arrival date.

Additionally, our Student Information Department [-CIDU-](#) provides with alternative [HOUSING INFORMATION](#) and with an [ACCOMMODATION DATABASE](#) where properties to let or to share are listed with details so you can contact directly landlords or students wishing to let/share their flats.

It is not a good idea to come to Almería during the summer -particularly in August- to look for accommodation as apartments are occupied by tourist or owners with whom is difficult to contact due to holidays.

Nevertheless, if you and your family decide to come during the summer a list of Hotels in Almería area with an approximate guide to cost per night is available on the following links:

[Hoteles en Almería](#)

[Hostales en Almería](#)

### **Sharing flat with other students...**

They are normally private self-catered flats usually fully furnished with kitchen, bathroom, a living room and three or four bedrooms. The flats always have blankets but never towels and sometimes sheets.

The rent for a flat with 3 or 4 bedrooms range from €500 - €700 per month. Bills for supplies (electricity, water and gas) are not included and they must be paid every two or three months. A single room costs, on average, €200 - €300 per month depending on facilities available ( some options affecting cost include: en-suite facilities, telephone lines and network connections. )

You should be required to sign a tenancy agreement. The landlord or intermediate agency may ask for a deposit (usually one or two month's rent). The deposit is refundable if you do not damage the property and pay all bills on the property. It should be refunded to you in full at the end of the tenancy.

## Basic Living Costs (costs for 2011/2012)

Students residing in Almería should allow the following amounts to cover their expenses during the academic period.

<b>HOUSING</b> estimated on the basis of a single student living in a self catering shared flat	160-220 Euros
<b>LUNCHES</b> at the University Restaurant (Week days only)	100 Euros
<b>TEXT BOOKS</b> and basic stationery to attend courses	40-50 Euros
<b>TRANSPORT.-</b> Student Monthly Pass	24,90 Euros
Student 10-trip bus pass	5,00 Euros

## Computing Facilities

Apart from the University Library **[-BIBLIOTECA NICOLAS SALMERON-](#)** providing full study facilities to students, the University has a number of open-access labs and there is an extensive network of wireless points throughout the University campus.

Students will be given a user name and password upon registration so they can make use of the computer facilities and the open access laboratories. Every student will be also provided with an e-mail account.

## University Facilities



### [Food and drinks](#)

Cafes and dining.



### [Sports Centre](#)

Sports facilities, activities, program of leisure and recreation programs, competitions, etc..



### [Bicycle rental and repair](#)

Where provided, when it works, users.



### [Child care](#)

Homeroom, dining room, playroom, school, contact details.



### [Libraries and archive](#)

Library acquisitions, user training, loan, use library space and equipment.



### [Language courses](#)

German, Arabic, English, Russian and others.



### [Student accommodation](#)

What is, operation, housing search program, alternative accommodation with people, etc..



### [Student Job Service](#)

Self-employment and business creation, internal grants, employment office, career guidance, internship, etc..



### [Culture and leisure](#)

The theater and cinema club.

## Useful Links

### **Almería**

Links to tourist information

<http://cms.ual.es/UAL/en/universidad/organosgobierno/vinternacional/enlaces/index.htm>

### **ESN - Erasmus Almería –“Erasmus Students network” -**

Support to international students

<http://www.erasmusalmeria.com/>

### **C.I.D.U.**

UAL information for students

<http://cms.ual.es/UAL/universidad/serviciosgenerales/salumnos/servicios/TEMATICASERVICIO9254>

### **Centro de Lenguas Modernas**

Modern Languages Center

<http://nevada.ual.es:81/centrodelenguas/es/>

### **Biblioteca Nicolás Salmerón**

Nicolás Salmerón Library

<http://cms.ual.es/UAL/en/universidad/serviciosgenerales/biblioteca/index.htm>

