

CORVINUS INFORMATION SHEET EXCHANGE PROGRAMS

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1. Institutional details	
Name of the Institution	Corvinus University of Budapest (Budapesti Corvinus Egyetem)
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3. Application procedure

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Online nomination – to be done by the Home Institution COORDINATORS!	 The exchange coordinators of the partner institutions nominate the selected exchange students in the MOBility Manager online system (MOB) of Corvinus University in the nomination period. Link to MOB for coordinators: <u>http://mob.uni-corvinus.hu</u> Nomination by coordinators can be completed for fall or fall+spring semesters: in April DEADLINE April 30 for spring semester: in October DEADLINE October 31 Prolongation of study period: DEADLINE April 30 / October 31
Online Student Registration – to be done by the STUDENTS!	 Once nominated, the exchange students receive an e-mail containing instructions and the login information to our on-line system (MOBility Manager). They complete their online registration (entering their personal data) in MOB and select courses in the so-called Neptun system (tool used by many HEI's in Hungary). The course registration works on a first come, first served basis. Students will be informed about the exact dates and deadlines.
Application materials	Two files to be uploaded by students in MOB: E-photo and English Language Certificate – level B2 according to CEF

4. Courses, subject areas, languages of instruction

Courses	<u>www.uni-corvinus.hu/eng</u> \rightarrow Exchange Programmes \rightarrow Courses
Subject areas	Agricultural Sciences (Food Science, Horticulture), Landscape Architecture, Business Studies and Management Sciences, Environmental Sciences, Public Administration, Natural Science, Social Sciences (Political Science, Sociology, International Relations), Economics, etc.
Languages of instruction and language requirements	English, Hungarian Please note that we require a level B2 English proficiency certificate

5. Academic calendar

Detailed academic calendar	Please visit our website at www.uni-corvinus.hu/eng → Exchange
	Programmes \rightarrow Academic Calendar.
	The 2012/2013 calendar will be available in May 2012.
	One semester consists of 15 weeks.
	Exchange students usually pass all their exams during the last week of
	the study period / first week of the exam period.
Fall semester in general	September – December
Spring semester in general	February – May
Orientation	An orientation programme is organised each semester before the start
	of classes. Details will be provided by the International Office.

6. Accommodation

	Corvinus University cannot offer on-campus (dormitory)
	accommodation, unfortunately. Therefore, it is suggested that students
	rent a flat or share a rented flat.
	The International Office provides information and assistance to
	exchange students on how to rent a flat in the city. There are individual
Accommodation offer	owners as well as real-estate agencies to be contacted.
	In addition, a group email service is offered for incoming students by
	which they can contact each other before arrival and find room-mates,
	flat-mates, or even apartments to rent.
	Each student is assigned a Hungarian 'buddy', the so-called Tandem
	partner. Tandem partners may help to find accommodation.

7. Other useful information	
Estimated costs of living	Monthly rents range from around EUR 250 – 400 /month/person, depending on the size and location of the flat and on the number of students sharing it. Food, transport, miscellaneous: EUR 200 – 400 per month. Books, student ID, photocopying, etc: EUR 50 – 100 per semester.
Tandem programme	Students automatically receive Hungarian partner students, who contact them by email and are ready to answer all the questions concerning life in Hungary, Budapest and at Corvinus University.
Health insurance	Students are requested to purchase health insurance in their home country.
Visa requirements for non-EU students	Students who are not EU/EEA citizens should turn to the relevant authorities at least 2 months before the beginning of their studies at Corvinus University to find out about the regulations. As soon as the applications are processed, the International Office sends a Letter of Acceptance to the non-EU/EEA citizens, which may be necessary when applying for a 'visa for residence permit'. The document is generally posted to the home university coordinator.
Further useful information	Please refer to our English website www.uni-corvinus.hu/eng \rightarrow Exchange Programmes
General request	Students are asked to check their mailboxes regularly and make enough space for new messages.