Student Exchange Programs at TUM
Technical University of Munich
TUM Global & Alumni Office
Fit for TUM
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Zoom Etiquette

Interaction via **Q&A Button** in the ZOOM Menu

- Q&A / F&A Box: Questions regarding the exchange programs:
  - Please write your questions during the webinar in the Q&A / F&A Box
  - You can upvote the most interesting questions in order for us to answer them first
  - The best voted questions will be answered after each topic
  - At the end of the presentations, we will answer more questions, if necessary
Going abroad with TUM

- **Erasmus+** – Study stays and Internships in Erasmus+ program countries
- **SEMP** – Study stays in Switzerland
- **TUMexchange** – Study stays worldwide
- **ATHENS** – Study one week in Europe
- **Scholarships** for stays abroad
- **EuroTeQ** – Virtual course catalogue
- **TUMinternational** international experience@home
Good Reasons to Go Abroad

- Gain more awareness for global challenges
- Improve your language skills
- Increase your career opportunities
- Immerse yourself in a new culture
- Gain more awareness for global challenges
- Become a global citizen
Erasmus+ Study Stays and Internships
Erasmus+ Study Stays

350 Partner Universities
32 Countries
Erasmus+ Study Stays

- **Financial Support** for your stay abroad
- **Green Grant**: additional financial support for *climate-friendly travel*
- **Social top up** for students with fewer opportunities
- **Recognition** of academic achievements completed abroad
- Application possible from the **1st year of study**
- Required level of the **language** of instruction **B1/B2**

**Application period starting in December for the following winter and summer term**
Erasmus+ Internships

- Financial support for **self-organized fulltime** internships **within the EU and worldwide**
- Financial support for **graduate internships** up to one year after graduation

**Eligibility requirements**
- Regular internships, research internships, praxis-related final theses or semester theses
- Useful connection with the (completed) degree program
- Internship duration: 2 - 12 months; working hours: min. 30h / week

**Application possible at any time**
- Application deadline for an internship **within EU**: 4 weeks
- Application deadline for an internship **outside EU (from October 2023)**: 8 weeks
How to find an Internship?

- Offers from TUM Alumni & Career Service
- Student organizations: IAESTE e.V. und AIESEC e.V.
- Testimonials
- Links and tips on the website of G&A
- Contacts at the departments and schools
SEMP – Study Stays in Switzerland
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- Exemption of tuition fees at the partner university
- Financial Support for your stay abroad by the Swiss partner university
- Recognition of academic achievements completed abroad
- Application possible after two completed study semesters (Bachelor)

Application period starting in December for the following winter and summer term
TUMexchange – Study Stays Worldwide
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30 Countries
150+ Partner Universities
Exemption of tuition fees at the partner university
Recognition of academic achievements completed abroad
Application possible after two completed study semesters (Bachelor)
Selection will be made according to your grade point average (Bachelor grades only!),
your motivational letter and
your level of the language of instruction (English B2, Spanish/Portuguese/French A2)

Online application for winter semester 2024/25 and summer semester 2025:
October 17th, 2023 to October 31st, 2023

Important: Once you have officially accepted the place at TUMexchange, you are no longer eligible for other exchange programs (e.g. Erasmus+, Departmental Programs) for the corresponding period.
Scholarships for TUMexchange participants

Scholarship for equal opportunities

• For TUMexchange participants only
• Application via Wiki form after confirmation of the place
• Selection according to personal and socio-economic criteria
• Application in March (for the winter term), in October (for the summer term)
• Monthly rate of 400€ plus travel allowance of 1000€
Scholarships for TUMexchange participants

Erasmus+ scholarships

- Students selected for eligible partner universities automatically receive the scholarship
- Information about necessary documents for the scholarship sent via email from G&A
- Individual support: 700€/month
- Funded stay duration between 2 months and 12 months
Scholarships for TUMexchange participants

TUMexchange partner universities eligible for Erasmus+

- **Argentina:** Universidad Nacional del Sur
- **Brazil:** Universidade Estadual de Campinas
- **Brazil:** Universidade Estadual Paulista 'Júlio de Mesquita Filho' (UNESP)
- **Chile:** Universidad de Concepción
- **India:** Indian Institute of Technology Madras
- **India:** Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur
- **Colombia:** Universidad de los Andes
- **Mexico:** Universidad Autónoma del Estado de México
- **Morocco:** Al Akhawayn University
- **South Korea:** Pohang University of Science and Technology
- **South Korea:** Pusan National University
ATHENS – Study One Week in Europe
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24 Partner Universities
14 Countries
ATHENS – Study One Week in Europe

- **One-week intensive course** on a wide range of topics, from engineering to social sciences
- Participation from the **3rd year of study** recommended
- **Two sessions** per year: mid March and mid November
- Complementary **European Dimension Activity** (cultural programme)
- **Recognition** of academic achievements of **2 ECTS** possible
- **ATHENS BIPs** - Blended Intensive Programmes – with the possibility to have recognised **3CTS**
- „**First come, first serve“**

**Application periods:**
- September (November session) and January (March session)
Double Degree – One study, two degrees

Advantages
• Acquisition of a second degree in addition to your TUM degree
• Mutual recognition of credits between both universities

Requirements
• Being enrolled at a TUM department offering a suitable Double Degree program
• Excellent level of the language of instruction at the partner university

For further information about the modalities of your application and the content and structure of a Double Degree program, please contact the International Affairs Delegate of your TUM school or department.
Scholarships for your stay abroad
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PROMOS individual scholarships (DAAD)

- Final thesis outside of Erasmus+ zone
- Stays abroad as part of the Practical Year (PJ) outside the Erasmus+ area.
- 2 application deadlines per year (31.05. und 30.11.)
- Financial support for up to 6 months (approx. 350 €/month)

PROMOS group travel

- Study- and competition related travel (group travel)
- Financial support for up to 12 days
TUM without Borders
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- Academic activities in developing countries
- For initiation or implementation of projects
- Up to three persons per trip (students, PhDs, or employees)
- Funding of up to €1000 per person according to the travel costs actually incurred
Virtual Learning Opportunities with EuroTeQ
EuroTeQ – eight excellent technical universities

- Technical University of Denmark
  Lyngby, Denmark
- Eindhoven University of Technology
  Eindhoven, Netherlands
- École Polytechnique
  Paris, France
- Czech Technical University
  Prague, Czech Republic
- Technical University of Munich
  Munich, Germany
- École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne
  Lausanne, Switzerland
- Technion Israel Institute of Technology
  Haifa, Israel
- Tallinn University of Technology
  Tallinn, Estonia
EuroTeQ virtual course catalogue

• 104 virtual courses at all EuroTeQ partner universities (WS 2022/23)

• Completely English-language course offering (except language courses)

• Participation free of charge

• Participation in up to three courses per semester

• Received of a course certificate after successful completion

• Possible recognition of achievements
Virtual Learning Opportunities with EuroTeQ

What’s in it for TUM students?
- Over 130 virtual and hybrid courses at eight EuroTeQ partner universities
- Completely taught in English (except for the foreign language course offers)
- Free Participation
- Certificate or transcript of records upon completion, credit transfer possible

International learning experience from the comfort of your own home!
Virtual Learning Opportunities with EuroTeQ

How to apply?
- Select a course from the joint platform: www.euroteq.eu/courses
- Complete the online application here

Prerequisites
• Enrollment at TUM before and during the entire course
• Sufficient English knowledge to follow the courses
• Specific academic course requirements

Application deadline for WiSe 2023/24: 1 August 23
Thinking Green – Climate Friendly Stay Abroad
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Tips and links for climate friendly travel

- Calculate your CO2 emissions
- Reduce and offset CO2 emissions

Photos und reports

- Examples of green travel
- Examples of sustainable local projects

Green grants and awards

- For submissions on sustainable travel or green projects on site

https://www.international.tum.de/global/thinking-green
Get involved with ESN TUMi Munich
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Advantages for TUMi tutors

• Experience an international atmosphere in Munich
• Develop language and intercultural skills
• Volunteer
• Continue to live in an international community

Apply before the start of each semester: https://tumi.esn.world/

All offers of TUMi are open to all students of TUM (not just to tutors)

• Language café, country evenings, game nights
• Excursions, trips, company visits, theater performances, sports activities & much more…
• Event dates published in the TUMi app: https://tumi.esn.world/
Housing Forum at TUM Global & Alumni Office
Rent your room / apartment to an international exchange student while you are away!

Your advantages at a glance
• Large selection of possible tenants
• Help for new exchange students
• No organizational effort

How it works
• Fill in the form for housing offers and send it to our incoming team
• All housing offers are published on the incoming website
• Interested exchange students receive your contact details via e-mail
• You decide who gets the accommodation
TUM Language Center
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- Courses in 18 languages
  - Free of charge for TUM students and staff
  - Courses during the semester and block courses during the semester breaks
  - Courses at all major TUM campuses

- Language Certificates (Level A1-C1)
- Intercultural Communication Trainings
- TUMtandem
- English Writing Center
Contact

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