

Room No. I-302





EXCHANGE TO MYKOLAS ROMERIS UNIVERSITY (ACADEMIC YEAR 2017/2018)

INSTITUTIONAL INFORMATION

Full Legal Name of Institution: MYKOLAS ROMERIS UNIVERSITY **Institutional Code: LT VILNIUS06 ECHE No. 78018**

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APPLICATION DEADLINES

- **31 May** for **Autumn Semester or Academic year** arrivals
 - **30** *November* for **Spring Semester** arrivals

Nominations of students should be received before 20 May and 20 November to e-mail erasmus@mruni.eu and include family and given names, gender, e-mail address, subject area and cycle of studies and period of mobility.

After nominations, students receive a link to on-line application package and other relevant pre-arrival information which is also available on the the below web-page:

http://www.mruni.eu/en/norintiems_studijuoti/erasmus/

After the nomination by home institution, the on-line application package for students is available at https://incoming.mruni.eu/

Application package incudes Application form, Study plan, and a Request for Accommodation. Only when ALL FIELDS of the Application form are completed, the on-line application system allows to SUBMIT it. The submitted study plan is afterwards generated into the Learning agreement (according to Erasmus+ LA template) by MRU academic coordinator of the relevant host faculty. The student is required to print out the Learning agreement, sign it, collect mandatory signature of home University coordinator, and return the signed and scanned Learning agreement via the on-line application system.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Autumn semester (20 weeks): from 1 September, 2017 to 21 January, 2018 Introductory week: from 29 August, 2017 to 3 September, 2017

Date of arrival: 28 August, 2017

Lectures: from 1 September, 2017 to 18 December, 2016 Christmas holiday: from 18 December, 2017 to 26 December 2017 Examinations: from 27 December, 2017 to 21 January, 2018 Holidays: from 22 January, 2018 to 28 January, 2018

Deadline for Applications: 31 May, 2017

Spring semester (20 weeks): from 29 January, 2018 to 24 June, 2018 Introductory week: from 23 January, 2018 to 28 January, 2018

Date of arrival: 22 January, 2018 Lectures: from 29 January, 2018 to 27 May, 2018 Easter holiday: from 2 April, 2018 to 8 April, 2018

Examinations: from 28 May, 2018 to 24 June, 2018 Summer holidays: from 25 June, 2018 to 31 August, 2018 Deadline for Applications: 30 November, 2017







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Visas and Immigration Procedures

Students who are citizens of any country in the **EU**, **EEA**, **EFTA** do not need a visa to enter the Republic of Lithuania. The students who are citizens of any EU country and stay in Lithuania longer than for 3 months, will have to apply for the Statement of the European Union Member States citizen of his right to live in the Republic of Lithuania. The procedure will be explained after the arrival.

For all non-EU, EEA or EFTA countries citizens who will study and reside in Lithuania, a National Visa (D-type) is compulsory.

Students from countries who's citizens do not require visas for entrance to the Republic of Lithuania (http://consul.mfa.lt/) can enter the Lithuanian territory, BUT after the arrival such students will have to apply for National Visa (D-type) at the Migration Department in Vilnius. **Below listed documents are compulsory to bring to Lithuania.** The procedure will be explained after the arrival.

Students from countries who's citizens require visas for entrance to the Republic of Lithuania must apply for National Visa (D-type) beforehand. National Visas are issued at the diplomatic missions or consular offices of the Republic of Lithuania abroad.

In order to get a National Visa (D-type), the Student must submit:

- A special Mediation Letter from Mykolas Romeris University (written in Lithuanian language);
- a valid travel document (Passport) (its validity must be no less than 1 more year longer after the last day of stay in Lithuania);
- a completed form of application for National Visa;
- one photo of 35x45 mm, corresponding to the age of the Student;
- the receipt of the paid consular fee;
- a valid document certifying his/her health insurance coverage;
- a document certying his/her sufficient subsistence means;
- Additional documents can be requested.

In order to get a special Mediation Letter from Mykolas Romeris University the Student has to send a copy of the passport by e-mail (except if a copy of passport has already been uploaded in the on-line aplication form).

Students with D-type visas can reside in Lithuania for up to 12 month. If the period of stay in Lithuania is longer, all international students will be required to apply for a temporary residence permit.

Registration

New students are required to register the arrival at the registration desk during the Introductory week or at the International Office (room No. I-302).

Make sure that you bring these documents:

- Passport
- Visa (if required)
- Letter of acceptance
- European health insurance card or health insurance policy
- Confirmation of accommodation
- Three passport-size photographs
- ECTS Learning Agreement

Mentor System

A student mentor is assigned to every international exchange and visiting student at MRU. The mentor is a Lithuanian fellow student who helps new exchange students in solving all necessary things, such as:

- Meet the arriving students at Vilnius International Airport, Bus or Train stations;
- housing in the Students' House;
- finding a flat to rent if it is necessary;
- helping to register at the Migration Office;
- applying for LSP (Lithuanian student ID) or ISIC;
- helping to pay for the dormitory or open an account in the bank;
- helping to register for health care services and etc.

A student mentor meets the arriving student at the railway station, bus station or airport if she/he has been informed about the arrival a few days in advance. The student mentor is contacting his/her foreign student before arrival.

Introductory Week

The International Office strongly recommends for new international students to participate in the Introductory Week organised before beginning of Autumn and Spring Semester. During this week, students are aquainted with the University, student life and services for students, with Vilnius and wider area, offered to join trips (possibly overnight). Participating students are asked to pay only for their accommodation during the overnight trips.

Study Guides Published in English

Study related information in English is published at: http://www.mruni.eu/en/norintiems_studijuoti/erasmus/

The list of courses you can choose is published at: http://www.mruni.eu/en/norintiems studijuoti/erasmus/

The description of the courses are available on: http://www.mruni.eu/en/ects/

Practical information

For practical information on studying and living in Vilnius, please refer to a Guide for Foreign Students http://www.mruni.eu/en/norintiems studijuoti/erasmus/







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Health Insurance

All international students must have a valid health insurance during their period of stay in Lithuania.

Students who are citizens of any country in the European Union must have European Health Insurance Card.

All students from non-European Union countries can obtain their health insurance (travel medical insurance) policy at their home countries (please, check if the insurance is valid in Lithuanian territory) or they can obtain it in Lithuania. For the purpose of National D-type visa, a minimum insured amount of the medical insurance contract (policy) needs to be at least 5792,40 eur and the insurance contract shall guarantee that all basic medical assistance costs and travel expenses which may arise in connection with the return, for health reasons, of a foreigner to homeland (medical transportation, including escort by medical brigade or a doctor) will be covered.

Student Housing

Mykolas Romeris University offers accommodation for international students on campus - at student residence hall "Student house"- the twelve floor modern building. It takes 5 minutes on foot to come to the main University building. Due to the high number of international students, only shared rooms are offered. There are rooms to be shared by two or three students. Monthly accommodation fee of a place in a shared room at the "Student house" is 85 eur/month in a room shared by three students or 100 eur/month in a room shared by 2 students. Accommodation fee is subject to change. International students are required to pay for the accommodation for the entire semester at their arrival or during the introductory week (t.i. for all 5 months of the semester). It means that accommodation fee for entire semester of a place in a room shared by 3 students is 425 eur, or for a place shared by 2 students is 500 eur. An additional deposit of 100 eur is required, because student is responsible for reimbursing any damage done while living in the "Student House". Residents of the Student House are requested to comply with the rules of Students house. University has a right to evict any resident of the Student house who does not comply with the rules of Student house.

All rooms have wi-fi access to Internet. The "Student house" is also equipped with a computer lab and copy/printing facilities. Bathroom facilities are mostly shared by two rooms. There are two common use kitchens, a meeting room, a working room in each floor. Students are obliged to clean up and keep the order in the kitchen and rooms by themselves. Laundry room is also available for international students at the Student house (operated by external service provider). Reservation of rooms at the "Student house" is made through the International Office. The Request of Accommodation

may be found as part of On-line Application Form or at:

http://www.mruni.eu/en/norintiems_studijuoti/accommodation/

Information on Lithuanian Language Courses

At Mykolas Romeris University, Lithuanian language course may be taken by exchange students as an elective 6 ECTS course unit during the semester without fees.

While studying at Mykolas Romeris University

Information for current Erasmus and exchange students (schedules, events, announcements, etc.) is provided on dedicated internet page: http://www.mruni.eu/en/studentams/erasmus/ Follow Mykolas Romeris University on Facebook or Twitter or Linkedin

At the end of the mobility period

Students MUST complete a pre-departure declaration and leave it in the International office. Duration certificates, any other documents are being issued ONLY after pre-departure declaration is presented to International office.

After the period of studies at Mykolas Romeris University

The official transcript of records for the exchange/free-mover students will be sent within 5 weeks afther the assessment period is finished by post to the address, indicated in the pre-departure declaration.

Other information that may be useful

Official days in 2017/2018, when the University is closed:

November 1 (All Saints Day)

December 24-26 (Christmas)

January 1 (New Year's Day)

February 16 (Independence Day)

March 11 (Restoration of Lithuanian Independence Day)

April 2 (Easter Monday)

May 1 (International Labour Day)

June 24 (All John's Day)

July 6 (Day of Statehood - Coronation of King Mindaugas)

August 15 (the Assumption day)

Approximate cost of monthly budget

350 - 450 eur and more (depending on personal habits)

Housing: ~85-100 eur (at the MRU Residence halls) - >250

eur (in private sector)

Food, transport, books, leisure:

food: 150 - 200 eur

transport: 6,5 eur (student monthly public transportation

e-ticket) – 40 eur (other types of transportation)

leisure: 60 - 170 eur other: 50 - 100 eur







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