

## *Study Abroad – Get started!*







# Agenda

- *Introducing the Study Abroad Team*
- *Exchange Abroad: Why, Who, When and What to consider?*
- *Applying for exchange: Requirements, procedures, tips and tricks*
- *Upcoming Study Abroad events*
- *More information*

# *Who are we?*

## **International Partnership Managers at DTU**

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Jeppe Duus Dolriis – US and Canada

Laura Hammerschmidt – Asia, Australia and Latin America

# *Exchange and Covid-19*

- Effects on student mobility so far
- What to consider?
- Online, blended or in person?





## Why?

- Boost your CV
- Experience new academic approaches
- Improve your language skills
- Build an international network
- Experience and learn to adapt to a new culture
- Get the experience of a lifetime!

*Check out student take overs on Instagram: DTU Study Abroad*



# Who?

- *All DTU students have the option of studying abroad!*
- *“Do I need a very good GPA?”*
  - *Not necessarily .... DTU has many exchange places without GPA requirements*
  - *However, some places have requirements or are very popular*
- *“Is it a lot of work?”*
  - *Team up with a fellow student and work together*
  - *Students returning say: It is 100% worth it!*

# When?

## Who and when?

*BSc:*

- *5<sup>th</sup> and/or 6<sup>th</sup> semester*

*BEng:*

- *5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup> semester*
- *Internship*

*MSc:*

- *1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> semester*

## Planning your stay:

- *Start early: approx. 1 year before you go!*
- *Be aware of DTU application deadlines!*



# *Where can I go?*

- DTU has around 120 partner institutions worldwide
  - Asia
  - Australia
  - Europe
  - Latin America
  - North America

Check out all exchange opportunities on [DTU Beyond Borders](#)





# *Choose your destination – things to consider*

- *Close to DK or far away? (Culture shock, family /relationship ties)*
- *Career building or personal growth?*
- *Visa considerations (e.g. citizenship)*
- *Budget / Financial matters (SU, scholarships)*



# *Exchange and finance*

## **Income**

- No tuition fee
- You can (usually) bring your SU
- Erasmus+ grant
- External funding/ private scholarships

It all depends on where you go and your spending habits 😊

## **Expenses**

- Plane ticket
- Accommodation and living costs
- Books
- Insurance
- Administrative fees
- Visa fees, etc.

Save up for travel and fun!



# Requirements

- *Be enrolled at DTU at the time you apply*
- *Complete a minimum of 110 ECTS of university studies before departure*
- *You must be actively studying during your time abroad*
- *Enrol in and transfer 20-30 ECTS abroad*
- *An exchange stay must be incorporated into your general study plan!*





## *Other options abroad*

- [Internship](#)
- [Summer University](#)
- [Self-arranged study abroad](#)
  
- [International Joint Programmes \(MSc-level\)](#)
  - 2-years: 1 year at DTU and 1 year at another institution
  - Get the best from two universities

*To learn more, go to: [www.studyabroad.dtu.dk](http://www.studyabroad.dtu.dk)*



# *Study Abroad in Fall 2023*

## **Deadlines**

1<sup>st</sup> application round:  
December 1, 2022

2<sup>nd</sup> application round:  
February 1, 2023

- Late and incomplete applications will not be considered!
- Online Application Workshop:  
November 22





# *Application Deadlines*

## ***Fall semester 2023***

*December 1, 2022*

*February 1, 2023*

## ***Spring semester 2024***

*June 1, 2023*

*August 15, 2023*

## ***Summer School 2023***

*February 15, 2023*





## *How to apply*

- [Process and requirements](#)
- [Exchange agreements, travel reports and online application](#)

Apply online and upload

- Transcript (karakterudskrift)
- GPA Calculation Sheet
- Language proficiency documentation, if required

# *How to prepare your application?*

- *You can apply for any destination on DTU Beyond Borders!*

*But be aware of the agreement details:*

- *Is it university wide? Or with a specific faculty/school/department?*
- *Undergraduate or at graduate level?*
- *How many courses do they have in English?*
- *Are there enough relevant courses for me in the agreement?*

# *Application priorities*

- *You may apply for as many agreements as you want*
- *You only get one offer*
- *Do your research well:*
  - *Once selected you cannot change your priorities/destination*
  - *If you cancel your exchange position, it will be lost*

*So, only apply for exchange agreements that you really want!*



# *Upcoming Study Abroad Events*

<i>October 24</i>	<i>Study in Australia</i>
<i>October 26</i>	<i>Study in Asia</i>
<i>October 27</i>	<i>Study in Latin America</i>
<i>October 31</i>	<i>Study in Europe</i>
<i>November 1</i>	<i>Study in North America</i>
<i>November 22</i>	<i>Application Workshop</i>

*Sign up on Facebook: DTU Study Abroad*



## *More Information...*

- [www.studyabroad.dtu.dk](http://www.studyabroad.dtu.dk) and [www.beyondborders.dtu.dk](http://www.beyondborders.dtu.dk)
- **International Student Services**  
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E-mail: [international@adm.dtu.dk](mailto:international@adm.dtu.dk)
- **Book a meeting! Study Abroad -> Contact Us**





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The background image shows a city skyline at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a warm orange glow over the scene. The sky is filled with soft, wispy clouds. In the foreground, a river flows through a green, grassy area. The water reflects the colors of the sunset and the buildings in the background. The buildings are modern, multi-story structures with balconies. The overall atmosphere is peaceful and scenic.

*Questions?*

Thank you for listening!

After the meeting

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Walk-ins Wednesdays from 12-2pm in Studiecenteret