

### CONCEPT FACT SHEET ZUYD UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES

## International Business School Maastricht School of European Studies School of Translation and Interpreting School of Oriental Languages and Communication

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#### **Contact info**

Institutional Information		
Name of University	Zuyd University of Applied Sciences	
Erasmus code	NL HEERLEN 14	
Websites	Zuyd: <a href="http://international.zuyd.nl/">http://international.zuyd.nl/</a>	
Address	Brusselseweg 150 – 6217 HB Maastricht – The Netherlands	
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Exchange programmes	<ul> <li>Maastricht School of European Studies (ES)</li> <li>International Business School Maastricht (IB)</li> <li>School of Translation and Interpreting (VAC)</li> <li>School Oriental Languages and Communication (OLC)</li> <li>Double Degree Programme (DD)</li> </ul>	

Student Exchange Office Staff		
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#### **General information for students**

<u>Important dates</u>		
	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester
Nomination deadline	1 June	1 October
Application deadline	1 July	1 November
Welcome session ☑ Compulsory	To be determined End of August 2022 09:30	03 February 2023 09:30
Zuyd international introduction	To be determined End of August 2022 11:00	03 February 2023 11:00
Beginning of classes	Official start academic year: 01 September 2022 Beginning classes: to be determined	06 February 2023
End of courses (including exams)	03 February 2023	07 July 2023

Academic calendar		
Autumn break	24 – 28 October	
Christmas break	26 December - 6 January	
Carnival break	20 – 24 February	
Good Friday	7 April	
Easter Monday	10 April	
Kings Day	27 April	
Spring break	1 – 5 May	
Ascension Day	18 + 19 May	
Whit Monday	29 May	

Your application		
Application documents	☑ Online application ☑ Copy valid passport/ID card ☑ Official passport photo	☑ English proof of English skills (if not a native speaker)
Type of agreement	<ul><li>✓ Student exchange</li><li>✓ Undergraduate</li></ul>	☑ Student exchange Double Degree
GMAT	☐ Compulsory ☑ Not requested	
TOEFL	☑ Compulsory ☐ Not requested An IELTS score of at least B2 for ES and OLC and preferably B2+ for IB or an equivalent of these scores or a statement of your home university.	
Learning agreement	Please note that it's not possible to change classes after the first week of the semester!	



#### Regarding your stay

Course Information/syllabus		
Link course packages	You can find the available course packages here:  - <u>European Studies</u> - <u>International Business</u> - <u>Vertaalacademie</u> - <u>Oriental languages and Communication</u>	
Course selection/procedure	Students will have to upload the required documents to the online application system. Required documents:  - English proof of English language skills (B2 for ES and OLC and preferably B2+ for IB) if not native speaker  - Valid copy passport/ID card  - Official passport photo	
Course load	Full study load amounts to ±30 ECTS credits per semester	
Language of instruction	English.  - B2+ for IB  - B2 for ES  - B2 for OLC	
Calculator	For some courses a Zuyd proof calculator (Casio fx82) is required, without it's not possible to take exams/resits.	
Visa	<ul> <li>✓ Compulsory for non-EU students (through International Office)</li> <li>✓ Not required for EU students</li> <li>Visit the following link for visa and residence permit:</li> <li><a href="https://international.zuyd.nl/studying/get-prepared/visa-and-residence-permit">https://international.zuyd.nl/studying/get-prepared/visa-and-residence-permit</a></li> </ul>	

Estimated expenses p/m		
Accommodation rent	+/- €450 (all services, including wireless internet included)	
Food	+/- €150	
Public transport	+/- €100 (incl. travelling through the Netherlands)	
Miscellaneous	+/- €250	
Total	+/- €950  * As bicycles are a very common way of transportation in the Netherlands, buying one will help the student to save money on transportation. (second hand bikes are from € 60 to €150). The money spent on public transport will be fairly high, as travelling by train is one of the easiest, though most expensive options.	

<u>Accommodation</u>		
☐ On-Campus	☑ Off-Campus	
• Zuyd does	not provide any on-campus accommodation	
Please contact : <u>internationaloffice@zuyd.nl</u> (Zuyd International Office)		

<u>Arrival information</u>		
➤ Pick-up assistance	☑ Yes* ☐ No	*only in September
➤ Where	☑ Maastricht-Aachen Airport	☑ Maastricht Railway station
<b>≻</b> Ву	Exchange students are linked to a buddy from Zuyd.	

<u>Upon Arrival</u>		
Personal liability insurance	☑ Compulsory (student should show proof of insurance)	
Residence permit pick up	② Compulsory for non-EU students (through Zuyd International Office (immigration@zuyd.nl))	
Registration at the municipality	☑ Compulsory (appointment will be made by Zuyd International Office (immigration@zuyd.nl))	
Student card	Will be handed out prior to the exam period	
Time table	Will be handed out during the Welcome Session for ES, VAC, OTC. Please note IB does not work with time tables.	
Exams	Exchange students have to be physically present, it's not possible to take exams/resits back home.  Exchange students automatically will be registered for exams/resits by the Office of Educational Affairs.	

<u>Campus facilities</u>		
Campus facilities	<ul> <li>✓ WIFI</li> <li>✓ Computer labs/silent areas</li> <li>✓ Printers/copying machines</li> <li>✓ Cafeteria</li> <li>✓ Library</li> <li>✓ Parking</li> <li>✓ Special needs assistance for people with disabilities</li> </ul>	
Miscellaneous	Health insurance;  ☑ students need to have a proper insurance coverage Maastricht;  For more detailed Maastricht information please check My Maastricht	

# We are looking forward to welcome you to Zuyd!

