

## LLP / Erasmus

## **Information Sheet 2011/12**

Name of institution	Universität Zürich
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Departmental coordinators	http://www.int.uzh.ch/in/programme/erasmus/fachkoord_en.html
Websites	http://www.uzh.ch http://www.int.uzh.ch http://www.int.uzh.ch/in/programme/erasmus_en.html
Online application	http://www.int.uzh.ch/in/programme/erasmus/anmeldung_en.html
Application procedure	Incoming students have to fill in our application form and hand it in to the departmental Erasmus coordinator at their home university. Their departmental coordinator has to countersign the application. After having received the application we will send the students a confirmation and information on the further steps.
Academic calendar 2011/2012	Fall Semester 2011: 19.09.2011 – 24.12.2011 Spring Semester 2012: 20.02.2012 – 02.06.2012 <a href="http://www.uzh.ch/studies/dates_en.html">http://www.uzh.ch/studies/dates_en.html</a>
Deadline for application and nomination	April 15, 2011
Language requirements	Courses are mainly conducted in German. Some courses in English are offered in specific fields of study. Students should have around level C1 of the Common European Framework (CEFR) in German or English depending on the language of instruction of their courses. It is primarily in



	the responsibility of the partner universities to nominate students that have the according language skills. It is however possible, that we don't accept students, if we perceive that they don't have the necessary knowledge to successfully follow courses and exams.  Students who would like to take courses offered by the English Department need to fulfill the requirements published at: <a href="http://www.es.uzh.ch/teaching/studyabroad.html">http://www.es.uzh.ch/teaching/studyabroad.html</a>
Language courses	Before the beginning of the semester it is possible to participate in an Intensive German Course. The intensive course takes place two weeks before the beginning of the semester. Application deadlines apply and places are limited.  http://www.sprachenzentrum.uzh.ch/angebot/kurse_ba/index_en.php
Online course catalogue	http://www.vorlesungen.uzh.ch/FS11/lehrangebot.html  By the end of May, the course catalogue for the fall semester is available at:  http://www.vorlesungen.uzh.ch/HS11/lehrangebot.html
ECTS	ECTS has been introduced in all faculties at the University of Zurich. At the University of Zurich, one ECTS credit corresponds to a workload of 30 hours (including presence at lectures, self-study, preparing for and taking examinations).
Accommodation	The University of Zurich does not own student dormitories. However, the International Relations Office might help students finding accommodation. Students can find useful addresses at <a href="http://www.uzh.ch/studies/studentlife/accomodation_en.html">http://www.uzh.ch/studies/studentlife/accomodation_en.html</a> Following agencies also help students finding accommodation in flat share: Housing Office of University and ETH Zurich: <a href="http://www.wohnen.ethz.ch/index_EN">http://www.wohnen.ethz.ch/index_EN</a> Woko Studentische Wohngenossenschaft: <a href="http://www.woko.ch/en">http://www.woko.ch/en</a> A room in a student house costs 300 to 620 CHF per month.
Insurance	For anyone staying in Switzerland longer than three months, health insurance is compulsory. Students from an EU state who are legally insured in their home country can apply for exemption from this obligation by using the European Health Card or a provisional certificate issued by the health insurance company in their home country. The Student's Advisory Office (ReBeKo) offers help concerning health insurance matters. Further information is available at <a href="http://www.uzh.ch/krabe">http://www.uzh.ch/krabe</a>
Living costs	Monthly costs of living, in Swiss Francs: Rent: 400 to 650 Health care/insurance: 100 Food: 450 Transport: 100 Study materials: 100 Leisure: 300 Total: CHF 1'450 to 1'700