

## Nomination

To be eligible for an exchange programme you must be nominated by your home university. A nomination is an email confirming you have been chosen as an exchange student and your home university will send it to [inbound@exeter.ac.uk](mailto:inbound@exeter.ac.uk).

If you are a study abroad fee-paying applicant please contact [inbound@exeter.ac.uk](mailto:inbound@exeter.ac.uk) directly.

## Application

### Deadline:

Semester 1 and full year: **30 April**

Semester 2: **31 October**

You need to complete an [online application](#) which includes submitting copies of the following documents:

- **Official Academic Transcript** from your home university (and English translation if applicable)
- Copy of the ID information page of your **passport** (dual nationality students should submit both passports)
- Evidence of **English language** level (if applicable)
- **Personal statement** (your reasons for choosing Exeter)
- **Exeter Study Plan** (list of requested modules on Exeter's module template)

*Use the application guide when submitting your application. Applications submitted without ALL supporting documents will not be processed.*

## What happens next?

When we have processed your application, you will be sent an acceptance email.

Non EU/EEA students will be posted an acceptance letter which you will need if you apply for a Short Term Study Visa/Entry Clearance at the airport.

## Study Load

Full year study period: 120 Exeter credits/60 ECTS

One semester study period: 60 Exeter credits/30 ECTS

Students are expected to take the full course load – additional credits are not permitted.

Students are generally permitted a flexible choice of modules (courses/papers) across many departments and at any undergraduate level, as long as you meet all pre-requisites. Note: this will increase the likelihood of timetable clashes. The University cannot guarantee module availability until arrival, so you should ensure that your home university is flexible with your study options and that you complete all eight module preferences on the Exeter Study Plan document.

Where possible, modules will be pre-allocated near to your arrival. Modules will be finalised upon arrival and registration. There is usually a two-week period in which to finalise your modules.

## Understanding module descriptions

Full module descriptions are available online by clicking on the link from the Study Abroad Inbound webpages. They include subject content, prerequisites, study time, teaching/learning methods and how the module is assessed. You will also see details such as the credit value and duration of the module.

You need to check that the module you wish to study is running in the correct semester. A module running in Semester One (September-January) will be listed under 'Term 1'. A module running in Semester Two (January-June) will be listed under 'Term 2'.

**Students are expected to be in Exeter during assessment/exam periods.**

**Alternative assessments may be offered to semester one students if your home university's academic calendar clashes with Exeter's and you must return for classes. Evidence will be required.**

**Exeter's Psychology department will not offer alternative assessment – semester one students must be present for the January exams.**

**Alternative assessments are not offered in semester 2.**

## English Language Requirements

With the exception of students who are nationals of a majority English-speaking country, if you hold a non EU/EEA passport, for immigration purposes you are likely to have to submit official proof (such as IELTS/TOEFL) of your English language proficiency. Our minimum requirements and **accepted English Language tests** can be found on the [Undergraduate Study entry requirements](#) page. Please note that some departments require a higher level of English than others.

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Students requiring a visa should apply to Exeter as soon as possible so that your application can be processed with sufficient time to apply for the visa.

### Semester Dates

#### Semester 1

**Arrival:** Saturday/Sunday 14/15 September 2019

**Orientation & Freshers' Week:** Monday 16 September – Sunday 22 September 2019

**Classes:** Monday 23 September – Friday 13 December 2019

**Break (no classes):** Saturday 14 December 2019 – Sunday 5 January 2020

**Examinations:**

Monday 6 January – Saturday 11 January 2020\*

**\*Exams are very likely to take place on Saturday 11 January. Take this into consideration when booking travel.**

#### Semester 2

**Arrival:** Sunday 12 January 2020\*\*

**Orientation\*\*\*:** Monday 13 January 2020

**Classes:** \*\*Monday 13 January – Friday 27 March 2020

**Easter break (no classes):** Saturday 28 March – Sunday 26 April 2020\*\*

**Revision/Examination period:**

Monday 27 April – Friday 12 June 2020

**\*\* for some programmes e.g. Drama, the dates of required attendance may vary.**

**\*\*\* semester two students may be offered a pre-orientation session on Friday 10 January, check website for details**

### Our campuses

The University of Exeter has three campuses located in the South West of England. The Streatham Campus and St Luke's Campuses are both in Exeter, Devon. St Luke's Campus in Exeter houses Sport and Health Sciences. The Penryn campus is located in Cornwall, close to Falmouth.

Modules taught at the Penryn Campus are usually indicated on the module selection page on the Inbound Study Abroad webpages.

Students cannot study modules at both campuses as they are 2.5 hours apart. Details about our campuses can be viewed at: [exeter.ac.uk/undergraduate/life/ourcampuses/](http://exeter.ac.uk/undergraduate/life/ourcampuses/)

### Housing

**Full Year:** If you are studying for the full academic year starting in September you are guaranteed university-owned or managed accommodation as long as you apply by the 31 July deadline.

**Semester at Penryn:** you are guaranteed university-owned housing, usually on campus, if you apply by the deadline.

**Semester in Exeter:** There are limited university-owned rooms for students studying for one semester, the majority will seek accommodation in the private sector. A list of privately-owned or managed houses close to the University can be found by following the Accommodation link on the Study Abroad Inbound webpages.

**Single semester university accommodation is usually more readily available in semester 2 than in semester 1.**

Exeter is a safe, student-friendly city with good bus routes to the University. Students could also consider sourcing accommodation outside of the city centre which is likely to be less expensive. For accommodation queries visit the Inbound Study Abroad webpages and follow the link.

**Students cannot apply for university accommodation until your completed study abroad application has been approved.**

### Student Support

University of Exeter has a wide range of support services. A full list can be found on the Inbound Study Abroad webpages under 'student life'. Please note that if you have a specific learning, physical or mental health difficulty we strongly encourage you to declare this on your application so that our dedicated [AccessAbility](#) team can put support in place prior to your arrival.

### Immigration

If your passport is from a country outside the EU/EEA, then you will need to apply for a visa to study in the UK. The visa type will depend on the length of your study and what you wish to do while you are here. You will be asked on your online application which visa you intend to apply for, so you should research which is best for your needs before you submit your application:

<http://www.exeter.ac.uk/internationalstudents/immigration/>. If you require a visa to study in the UK then you may also be required to provide an official language certificate such as IELTS/TOEFL. Email any visa enquiries to [SID@exeter.ac.uk](mailto:SID@exeter.ac.uk)

### Orientation

It is important that you attend the orientation programme as you will be given information about the University, the support available and you will finalise your modules.

### More Information:

**Twitter:** Uoestudyabroad

**Instagram:** Exeterabroad

**Pinterest:** Search UoE Inbound Study Abroad

[exeter.ac.uk/international/studyabroad/inbound](http://exeter.ac.uk/international/studyabroad/inbound)

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