



INFORMATION FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS 2020-2021



VILNIUS GEDIMINAS
TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

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[Erasmus+ Student Charter](#) highlights your rights and obligations and tells you what you can expect from your sending and receiving organisations at each step of your Erasmus+ experience.

ADMISSION PROCEDURE

Students from our partner universities interested in exchange studies for a semester or two at **Vilnius Gediminas Technical University (VGTU)** have to be nominated by a home university to start the admission procedure.

Nominated students should follow [admission guidelines](#). For admission, please make sure you complete the following parts of the application process and provide us with necessary documents.

APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

Documents to be uploaded while completing the [online application](#):

- 01 Transcript of records in English - containing already obtained academic credits and results at home (sending) university
- 02 Passport/ID copy
- 03 English language certificate
- 04 Bachelor/Master diploma copy (for Master/PhD students only)

After the application and selected study plan is confirmed by **VGTU** faculty coordinator, students have to upload a signed Learning Agreement.



DEADLINES

NOMINATION

Autumn semester – **April 30**

Spring semester – **November 15**

APPLICATION

Autumn semester – **May 15**

Spring semester – **November 30**

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

AUTUMN SEMESTER

Orientation days:

2020-08-27 – 2020-08-31

Lectures:

2020-09-02 – 2020-12-23

Examination Session:

2021-01-04 – 2021-01-24

Retakes:

2021-01-25 – 2021-02-07

SPRING SEMESTER

Orientation days:

2021-01-27 – 2021-01-31

Lectures:

2021-02-01 – 2021-05-23

Examination session:

2021-05-24 – 2021-06-20

Retakes:

2021-06-21 – 2021-06-27



ACADEMIC INFORMATION

COURSE CATALOGUE

List of courses taught in English is updated by mid-March and mid-October, and is available in our [website](#).

LANGUAGE COURSES

VGTU offers Lithuanian language course (**3 ECTS**) for International students during the semester. Lithuanian language course is free of charge.

LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY

Applicants are required to provide an English language certificate confirming a minimum **B2** level (according to **CEFR**) of language skills. Certificate has to be issued by the language department of the sending institution. **TOEFL** and **IELTS** certificates are also accepted as long as the score is equivalent to **B2** level. The certificate must be issued not earlier than **1** year prior the application.

LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

English.

RESTRICTIONS

- Master cycle students are allowed to take Bachelor cycle courses. Bachelor cycle students can take Master courses only if they have the basic knowledge on a topic.
- Students are welcome to combine courses from different faculties, however they should be aware of possible timetable conflicts.
- Final project or thesis can be taken only after having a prior agreement with the **faculty coordinator**.

We recommend to take not less than **20 ECTS**
and not more than **35 ECTS** per semester.



GRADING SYSTEM

VGTU GRADE	ECTS SCALE	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS
10	A	EXCELLENT - exceptional knowledge and skills
9	B	VERY GOOD - strong, good knowledge and skills
8	C	GOOD - above the average knowledge and skills
7	D	HIGHLY SATISFACTORY - average knowledge and skills, including unessential shortcomings
6	E	SATISFACTORY - knowledge and skills (abilities) are below average, shortcomings are present
5		SUFFICIENT - Knowledge and skills (abilities) meet minimum requirements
4 and less	FX/F	INSUFFICIENT - Knowledge and skills do not meet minimum requirements

MENTOR PROGRAMME

A month before the student arrival, [Erasmus Student Network \(ESN\)](#) finds a mentor – local student – for each incoming student to give a support with further integration.

Students and their mentors are very welcome to participate in events organized by [ESN VGTU](#) throughout the semester.

HOUSING

[VGTU](#) offers several types of housing for international students. For additional information on housing, please visit our [website](#). Please note, that students must be admitted to [VGTU](#) before applying for an accommodation at [VGTU](#) dormitory.

Accommodation prices at VGTU dormitories are **150 EUR** monthly.

IMMIGRATION REGULATIONS

NON-EU CITIZENS

Information on [national D visa](#) application

EU CITIZENS

Information on [registering residence abroad](#)



ESTIMATED COST OF LIVING

PRIVATE APARTMENTS	200 – 400 EUR monthly
FOOD	~200 EUR monthly
CITY TRANSPORTATION	6 EUR monthly with International Student Card (ISIC) .
ACADEMIC EXPENSES	~15 EUR monthly

USEFUL INFORMATION

UNIVERSITY MAPS	Saulėtekis campus & faculties maps are here
OTHER INFORMATION	Read more about Vilnius, National holidays, food, climate & more here



CONTACT DETAILS

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