HELSINKI METROPOLIA UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES  
FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY

ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR THE FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY

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<th>Autumn semester</th>
<th>August 25 - December 19, 2014</th>
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<td>Orientation for incoming exchange students / autumn</td>
<td>August 20 - August 22, 2014</td>
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<td>Spring semester</td>
<td>January 12 - May 22, 2015</td>
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<td>Orientation for incoming exchange students / spring</td>
<td>January 8 - January 9, 2015 (to be confirmed)</td>
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<td>Time of arrival</td>
<td>All students are expected to arrive before the orientation for incoming exchange students begins.</td>
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Application process

Application documents for all students applying to the field of technology:
- Online application: [http://www.metropolia.fi/exchange](http://www.metropolia.fi/exchange)
- Transcript of Records in English (study transcript)
- Learning Agreement

These documents should be uploaded to the online application system.

See Metropolia’s Study Guide for specific requirements.

STUDIES AVAILABLE FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

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<th>Degree Programmes in the field of technology</th>
<th>Bachelor’s degree programmes in English: Electronics, Environmental Engineering, Information Technology, Media Engineering, Civil Engineering: Sustainable Building Engineering</th>
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<td>Semesters in English: Industrial Management international semesters (Autumn and Spring semesters of the 3rd year)</td>
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<td>Bachelor’s degree programmes in Finnish: Automotive and Transport Engineering, Automation Technology, Biotechnology and Food Engineering, Building Services Engineering, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Construction Site Management, Electrical Engineering, Health Informatics, Industrial Management, Information Technology, Laboratory Sciences, Land Surveying Technology, Materials Technology and Surface Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Media Technology</td>
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### Exchange Student Intake

Please note that some degree programmes have limitations to the intake for incoming exchange students. As previously, the Degree Programme in Industrial Management can take max. 10 incoming exchange students. Due to organisational changes, the Degree Programme in Environmental Engineering can only take 5 exchange students for each semester during the academic year 2014-2015 and the course list available will be limited.

However, please note that our Degree Programmes in Information Technology, Media Engineering, Civil Engineering: Sustainable Building Engineering and Electronics do not have similar limitations.

### Lists of available courses for each semester

Currently we offer five Bachelor's Degree Programmes and one Industrial Management international semester conducted in English. Please note that incoming exchange students are advised to primarily choose courses from the field of technology degree programmes where tuition is organised in English. Project opportunities may not be available in the degree programmes due to organisational development and curricula changes.

To avoid the risk of time-table clashes the incoming exchange students are recommended to take courses mainly from one degree programme. Students can also choose some courses from other field of technology degree programmes, provided that the study background of the student meets the prerequisites of the course and that there are places left.

For course lists and detailed information, see [Metropolia’s Study Guide](#). The course lists will be updated in April 2014.

### Summer School 2014

The Degree Programme in Information and Communication Technology organises a Summer School in August 2014, for the 14th time. Please note that there are courses available also for students studying other subjects. There are no tuition fees for the courses for students of Metropolia’s partner universities. All Summer School courses are taught in English.

More information about the courses in the Summer School can be found by May 2014, at the latest, at the [Summer School](#) website.
## FACT SHEET 2014-2015

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<th>Name of institution</th>
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<td>Erasmus University</td>
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<td>President</td>
<td>Ms Riitta Konkola</td>
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<td>Website</td>
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<td>List of partner institutions</td>
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### GENERAL INFORMATION FOR INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS

#### APPLICATION

**Application information**

www.metropolia.fi/exchange

**Application periods**

- Autumn semester and academic year: 15 March – 1 May
- Spring semester: 15 September – 1 November

**Required application documents**

- All students must be nominated by the international coordinator of the home institution.
- **Required application documents for all incoming students:**
  - Online application: www.metropolia.fi/exchange
  - Transcript of Records in English (study transcript)
  - Learning Agreement
  - Passport size photo
  - See additional requirements for the fields of culture and creative industries and health care and social services: www.metropolia.fi/exchange

All students are expected to be able to follow and take part in tuition in English. In order to successfully complete studies at Metropolia, level B2 in English on the CEF scale is highly recommended for all applicants. Please note that this evaluation is based on self-assessment; we do not require certificates of language skills.

#### ACCOMMODATION

**Information on accommodation**

Metropolia cooperates with the Foundation for Student Housing in the Helsinki Region (HOAS). Metropolia has reserved a limited quota of furnished HOAS rooms. More information about accommodation in Metropolia's Study Guide and www.hoas.fi

**Application periods for student housing**

- The application periods for exchange student housing are:
  - 1 April - 5 May for students applying for the autumn semester/full academic year
  - 1 October - 5 November for students applying for the spring semester.

NB! The available rooms are offered on first-come, first-served basis, in the
order the applications arrive. Due to the limited number of exchange student rooms, please note that applying by the deadline does not guarantee housing at HOAS.

## ARRIVAL INFORMATION

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<th>Immigration</th>
<th>See more about immigration in Metropolia’s Study Guide. The most up-to-date information is available at the Finnish Immigration Service website. We will also send immigration information to exchange students who have been accepted to Metropolia.</th>
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<td>Pick-up service deadline</td>
<td>An exchange student can apply for a pick-up service. The service includes the help of a student tutor who will bring the keys of the HOAS room to the airport and takes the exchange student to the apartment. In order to get the free service, the student should fill in the Electronic Arrival Form at the latest two weeks prior to arrival in Finland.</td>
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<td>Cost of living</td>
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## SERVICES FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

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<th>Student tutoring</th>
<th>The Student Union Metka organises student tutoring for incoming exchange students. Student tutors will meet the exchange students on their arrival and help them at the beginning of the semester and throughout their stay. If an exchange student wants a student tutor, s/he needs to fill in the Electronic Arrival Form at the latest two weeks prior to the arrival.</th>
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<td>Language courses</td>
<td>Possibility to take part in Finnish courses (3 ECTS). Several Finnish for Exchange Students courses are organised on different campuses at the beginning of each semester. The courses are free of charge.</td>
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<td>Extracurricular activities</td>
<td>Trips, excursions and events are organised regularly by the local ESN section. For further information, see ESN Metropolia on Facebook.</td>
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