



# Information for exchange students

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Radboud University



# Why Radboud University, the Netherlands?

## 10 reasons to choose Radboud University for an exchange period

1. Radboud University is a truly international institution with students from all over the world.
2. Radboud University prides itself on its personal approach to learning an education.
3. Radboud University offers excellent services to its students: a variety of facilities on campus as well as a state of the art sports centre.
4. Radboud University offers a wide range of English taught courses to exchange students.
5. Students are offered extensive possibilities to do additional courses at other faculties!
6. Radboud University is the only Dutch university to have all teaching and research take place on its own green campus.
7. Radboud University mediates in finding housing.
8. If you are from outside the EU, the visa department will take care of the visa application for you!
9. Radboud University has an excellent Orientation week and an extensive and fun social programme throughout the year!
10. Radboud University has been awarded 'Best University in the Netherlands' 4 times in a row!

## Academic Calender

- 1st semester: 29 August 2016 - 27 January 2017  
2nd semester: 30 January - Friday, 14 July 2017

## Nomination deadlines for coordinators

- First semester: May 15  
Second semester: November 15

## Application deadlines for exchange students

- First semester: June 1  
Second semester: December 1

## Useful links

You can find detailed information on application, visa and housing on [www.ru.nl/exchangestudents](http://www.ru.nl/exchangestudents)

1. course information: [www.ru.nl/exchangecourses](http://www.ru.nl/exchangecourses)
2. Radboud Minors programme: [www.ru.nl/radboudminors](http://www.ru.nl/radboudminors)
3. accommodation: [www.ru.nl/exchangestudents/housing](http://www.ru.nl/exchangestudents/housing)
4. visa: [www.ru.nl/english/visa](http://www.ru.nl/english/visa)
5. Orientation: [www.ru.nl/ris-orientation-programme](http://www.ru.nl/ris-orientation-programme)



## Scholarships

For students from the EU and outside of the EU Erasmus+ offers good scholarship opportunities, check

[www.ru.nl/exchangestudents-and-scholarships](http://www.ru.nl/exchangestudents-and-scholarships).

The Netherlands Ministry of Education offers several scholarships to nationals from a wide range of countries.

Check <https://www.epnuffic.nl/en/scholarships>.

Please note that you have to apply for these scholarships yourself and not via Radboud University.

## Orientation

At the beginning of each semester there is an Orientation week especially for our new international exchange and (pre) Masters' students which is organised by the International Office in cooperation with Radboud International Students (RIS).

The Orientation includes fun activities such as: tours of the university and the city, sports, parties, etc. By participating in this programme you will quickly get to know both Nijmegen and Radboud University, and make new friends from all around the world!

## Social Activities

During the year, several social activities are organised for international students in order to get to know the Netherlands, Nijmegen and other international students. Excursions and social activities, e.g. to the Keukenhof, visits to a cheese farm or local football club and also debates and lectures are announced frequently on the RadboudInternationalStudents facebook page.

## The city of Nijmegen

The city of Nijmegen is the oldest city in the Netherlands, but was also named the safest Dutch city to live and study.

It has a very active student life and is also a host to countless festivals and sports activities like the Four Day Marches. Nijmegen has great train connection to e.g. Amsterdam (only 1,5 hours away). Brussels, Paris and Berlin can also easily be reached by train.



# Faculty information

## Faculty of Arts

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## Faculty of Law

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[www.ru.nl/law](http://www.ru.nl/law)

## Faculty of Philosophy, Theology and Religious Studies

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[www.ru.nl/ptrs/](http://www.ru.nl/ptrs/)

## Faculty of Social Sciences

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s.nieuwenhuijze@socsci.ru.nl

[www.ru.nl/socialsciences](http://www.ru.nl/socialsciences)

## Nijmegen School of Management

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[www.ru.nl/nsm/imo](http://www.ru.nl/nsm/imo) & [www.ru.nl/nsm](http://www.ru.nl/nsm)

## Faculty of Science

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## Faculty of Medical Sciences

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## Radboud University

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## Download the app

Radboud University has created a new app for international students. Learn more about the application procedure, housing and living in the Netherlands, as well as information on the Radboud University campus. If you select 'prospective exchange' as your category, you will find the information specific for your category. You can find it in the App store (Apple) and the Play store (Android).

## Social Media

facebook: [RadboudInternationalStudents](https://www.facebook.com/RadboudInternationalStudents)

Instagram: [RadboudInternationalStudents](https://www.instagram.com/RadboudInternationalStudents)

Flipboard: [www.ru.nl/studentexchange](http://www.ru.nl/studentexchange)

Nijmegen: [www.summercapital.nl](http://www.summercapital.nl)

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