

Semester Periods Abroad

This is an overview of the semester periods abroad; semester times may vary!

Europe

Austria

- 1. Semester: Beginning of October – end of February
- 2. Semester: Beginning of March – end of September

Belgium

- 1. Semester: Middle/ end of September – end of January/ beginning of February
- 2. Semester: End of January/ mid-February – beginning/ end of September

Bulgaria

- 1. Semester: Beginning of October – end of January/ mid-February
- 2. Semester: Mid-February– end of June/ beginning of July

Croatia

- 1. Semester: Beginning of October - February
- 2. Semester: End of February/ beginning of March – end of June/ beginning of July

Czech Republic

- 1. Semester: End of September – end of February
- 2. Semester: 2. Semester: End of February – beginning of July

Denmark

- 1. Semester: End of August/ beginning of September – end of January
- 2. Semester: Beginning of January – end of June

Estonia

- 1. Semester: End of August – middle/ end January
- 2. Semester: End of January – beginning of June

Finland

- 1. Semester: End of August/ beginning of September – middle/ beginning of February
- 2. Semester: Beginning/ mid-January – middle/ end of May

France

- 1. Semester: September/ October – December/ January
- 2. Semester: January/ February – April/ May

Greece

- 1. Semester: September/ beginning of October – end of January/ beginning of February
- 2. Semester: Mid-February/ beginning of March – June/ beginning of July

Hungary

- 1. Semester: September – January/ February
- 2. Semester: February - June

Iceland

- 1. Semester: End of August/ beginning of September - December
- 2. Semester: Beginning of January – mid May

Ireland

University with Semester:

- 1. Semester: Beginning of September – mid December
- 2. Semester: January - mid May

University with Trimester:

- 1. Trimester: Mid/ End of September - Mid/ End of December
- 2. Trimester: Beginning / mid-January - end of March / April / May
- 3. Trimester: April/ May - June/ May/August

Italy

- 1. Semester: September/ October - February/March
- 2. Semester: February/ March - June/ July

Lithuania

- 1. Semester: Beginning of September - End of January
- 2. Semester: End of January/ Beginning of February - End of June

Netherlands

- 1. Semester: End of August/ Beginning of September- January/ February
- 2. Semester: End of January / February - June / July

Norway

- 1. Semester: middle/ end of August - middle/ end of December
- 2. Semester: Beginning / middle of January - Beginning / middle of June

Poland

- 1. Semester: Beginning of October - middle/ end of February
- 2. Semester: End of February - End/ Beginning of July

Portugal

- 1. Semester: September - February
- 2. Semester: February/ early March - June/ July

Rumania

- 1. Semester: End of September - beginning of February
- 2. Semester: End of February - end of June

Sweden

- 1. Semester: End of August/ Beginning of September - Beginning of February
- 2. Semester: End of January - Beginning / Mid-June

Switzerland

- 1. Semester: Mid/ end of September - beginning of February
- 2. Semester: Mid/ end of February - beginning of July

Slovakia

- 1. Semester: Mid-September - February
- 2. Semester: Mid-February - June

Slovenia

- 1. Semester: Beginning of October - middle of February
- 2. Semester: Mid-February - Mid-July

Spain

- 1. Semester: September/ October - February
- 2. Semester: February - June/ July

Turkey

- 1. Semester: September/ October - January
- 2. Semester: February - May/ June

United Kingdom

University with Semester:

- 1. Semester: September/ October - December/ January
- 2. Semester: January/ February - May/ June

University with Trimester:

- 1. Trimester: end of September/ beginning of October - end of November/ December
- 2. Trimester: Beginning/ Middle of January – March/ April
- 3. Trimester: April/ Beginning of May- June