

EURECA Project- Academic offer for 2009-2010

1. Name of EU Partner: University of L'Aquila, Italy
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3. Local EURCA web page(if any): <http://informatica.di.univaq.it/go/eureca>
this page contains a full set of information for students interested to come to our University
4. Which system do you have? (Semester /Trimester etc) : Semester
5. Provide details of each semester/trimester in following table

Study Period/ Term	Start date	End date	Exam period
1	end of September	end of January	February
2	end of February	mid June	June-July and September

6. In the following table use one row per subject area and show at least the numbers & duration. Please provide as much detail as possible. Any constraints/ concerns also may be added, in remarks or as notes below the table. The rows are as per our application themes. You may add other subject areas or breakdown to more detailed themes as appropriate by adding more rows.

Mobility that can be supported in EURECA
<p>Courses to be offered by the University of L'Aquila for EURECA</p> <p>visit the University of L'Aquila EURECA page at http://informatica.di.univaq.it/go/eureca</p>

7. State any special eligibility requirements you have such as TOEFL etc: an official TOEFL certification is not required, even if a good knowledge of English is required.

The University of L'Aquila participation to the EURECA project

The University of L'Aquila seeks for:

- **First Preference:** Master students in Computer Science, spending two semesters (starting Sept. 2009 - see EURECA Courses). You may attend two semesters of classes, or classes and Master Thesis. One semester is also acceptable. Undergraduate students are also acceptable, but they will have to attend master level courses (thus, only last years bachelor students are acceptable).

Students that want to come for two years are welcome, and they can also participate to our GSEEM Program, by spending one year in Italy and the second year in a different GSEEM University.

- **Second Preference:** Master students in Engineering or Business Administration (starting Sept. 2009 - see EURECA Courses). One or two semesters.



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Why Coming/Studying in L'Aquila?

L'Aquila:

L'Aquila is a medium size medieval town in the centre of Italy (see The University of L'Aquila page for more information). It is close to Rome (one hour), to the mountains (15 minutes), to the beach (45 minutes). In one hour driving, you can move from the white mountains to the warm beaches, thus offering a variety of different scenarios.

L'Aquila is quite unexpensive (if compared to many other towns in Italy). You can rent a single room for around 200 euros per month (compared to the 400-500 euros needed in Rome).

The University of L'Aquila:

The University of L'Aquila comprises 9 Faculties, 24.000 students, 644 teachers-researchers.

It has been ranked 1st in Italy for external fund raising (IISole24Ore, July2008).

Detailed information is provided at The University of L'Aquila page. (see

<http://informatica.di.univaq.it/go/eureca>)

The Computer Science Department is articulated in the following macro-sectors:

- Software Engineering
- Algorithms and data structures
- Programming Languages
- Optimization
- Intelligent Systems
- Web technologies

The Software Engineering Group, handling the EURECA project for the University of L'Aquila, is specialized on Software Architecture, Verification and Validation, Model-Driven Engineering, Performance Engineering, and Formal Methods.

The Software Engineering Group has been awarded 4 EU projects (in the last 3 years) and 4 italian projects.

Prof. Paola Inverardi, the Faculty Dean and head of the software engineering group, has been recognized as one of the best researchers world-wide in Software Engineering.

You can check the profiles of the Computer Science professors at <http://www.di.univaq.it/>



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