

EUROWEB Project Academic offer for 2014---2015

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4. Local EUROWEB web page(if any): -
5. Which system do you have? (Semester /Trimester etc) : Åbo Akademi University has two terms per academic year, each divided into two teaching periods. The periods end with examinations and a few days reserved for self study.
6. Provide details of each semester/trimester in following table

Academic Year

The academic year begins on 1 August and last until 31 July. Abo Akademi University follows a two term (semester) system with four teaching periods according to the model below:

Autumn term:

Period I 1 September - 24 October 2014

Period II 27 October - 19 December 2014

Spring term:

Period III 7 January - 13 March 2015

Period IV 16 March - 29 May 2015

Examinations will still be conducted during the last week of May.

7. In the following table use one row per subject area (and also specify the numbers & durations you can support) Please provide as much detail as possible. Any constraints/ concerns also may be added, in remarks or as notes below the table. Please provide information as per the EUROWEB application themes. You may breakdown to more detailed themes (or add other subject areas if essential) by adding more rows.

Mobility that can be supported by the Åbo Akademi University for EUROWEB during 2014-2015

FOR UG/MASTERS STUDENTS INTERESTED TO GET A FULL DEGREE

We cannot accept degree students for the academic year 2014-2015

Undergraduates: 0

Master Degree: 0

FOR UG/MASTERS STUDENTS INTERESTED TO ATTEND COURSES, WITHOUT GETTING A DEGREE (I.E., EXCHANGE STUDENTS)

Undergraduate Level: 0 – we can host only master students.

Masters Level: 5 students in Computer Science, Computer Engineering or Information Systems for a duration of one or two semesters.

FOR PH.D. STUDENTS

Åbo Akademi University can host in total of 5 PhD students, duration flexible.

Available research subjects and areas can be found here: https://www.abo.fi/institution/it_amnen

FOR POST---DOC RESEARCHERS

Åbo Akademi University can host in total of 5 Post Doc researchers, duration flexible.

Available research subjects and areas can be found here: https://www.abo.fi/institution/it_amnen

FOR STAFF

Åbo Akademi University can host 3 staff members per year, duration flexible.

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8. State any special eligibility requirements you have such as TOEFL etc:

In the interest of a meaningful and useful study abroad experience at Åbo Akademi University, we ask that incoming students have a good command of the English language, both written and spoken, so that they will be able to follow lectures, work with English-language textbooks, participate in small-group coursework, and write their assignments and examinations without undue difficulty.

We expect from all our incoming non-native English speaking exchange students that their level of English is good (corresponding at least B2 in CEFR, Common European Framework of Reference for Languages, min. 78 points in TOEFL, or 6,0 in IELTS).

Student will need to submit a certificate of English proficiency issued by their home university's language centre.

9. Tuition fees for international students staying one academic year: There is no tuition fee

10. Can you have fee-waiver for less than 10 month mobility? n/a

11. If not, up to what duration can you support without fees? n/a

12. If no fee-waiver possible, state details of your tuition fees? n/a

13. Can UG/Master's thesis works be done without fees? n/a

14. Can your University pay scholarships? no

15. Are scholarships taxable in your country?

Scholarships are tax-free if the total maximum scholarship sum that can be granted to an individual applicant does not exceed the taxation limit for scholarships in Finland (€19 728.90 per year or €1649.77 per month (2013). However, if you receive other scholarships or other income simultaneously with scholarship, you may be liable to taxation. For tax-related queries, please contact the Finnish tax administration www.vero.fi

16. Does your university follow ECTS grading system? Yes

17. Any other information you would like to add:

- General information for incoming exchange students at Åbo Akademi University is available from: <http://www.abo.fi/student/exchange>
- The list of all courses taught in English at Åbo Akademi University and general academic information are available from: <http://www.abo.fi/student/en/courses>
- Exchange students at Åbo Akademi University have the possibility to also take courses from the neighboring university, the University of Turku. For more information, please see <http://www.utu.fi/en/studying/exchange-students/courses/Pages/home.aspx>
- You can get a clear picture of the different study modules in computer science, computer engineering and information systems from the study information and guides of the following programmes: http://www.abo.fi/institution/en/it_magister

Exchange Period and Scholarship for Master's students in Computer Science Computer Engineering Information Systems



Åbo Akademi University is located close to the city centre, in the heart of the old part of the city of Turku. The campus offers a safe, friendly and welcoming environment for students. The university is characterised by its small size, good student-teacher relations, rich traditions and its highly flexible study environment.



- Exchange period in Finland
- Academic year 2014-2015
- Lectures in English
- Scholarship available
- International exposure

List of available courses :

<http://www.abo.fi/student/en/courses>

Important dates:

Application deadline for the scholarship: **April 10**

Applicants' acceptance of nominations: **April 27**

Online application form:

<http://www.mrtc.mdh.se/euroweb>

Detailed information about the application process and studies is available from **euroweb@abo.fi**

Åbo Akademi University was founded in 1918, and has approximately 6700 students of which around 1000 are international students coming from more than 80 countries. Åbo Akademi University is an internationally acknowledged research university and is committed to research and research-based education of the highest quality.

