

Fact Sheet - Exchange Studies at the University of Applied Sciences Upper Austria

Name in English / Local language:	University of Applied Sciences Upper Austria (UASUA) / Fachhochschule Oberösterreich (FH OÖ)
Erasmus code:	A Wels01
Important inquiries:	Please note that FH OÖ is divided into 4 different campuses and departments. Students can only take courses from the campus they are admitted to. Exchange students can only be nominated to the campus stated in the partner agreement. Much information is general for all campuses, however the accommodation information and deadlines vary. Each campus has its own International Office, please see the contact details for each office on page 3-5.
Web page:	http://www-en.fh-ooe.at/
Web page for exchange students, admission procedure, application, course listing:	http://www.fhooe.at/incomings
Academic calendar (dates might differ between the study programs) :	<p>Winter semester: Lectures: ~October 1 – ~January 31 Christmas break: ~December 24 – ~January 6 Exams: Throughout semester until mid-February</p> <p>Summer semester: Lectures: ~March 1 – ~June 30 Easter break: Week before Catholic Easter plus Easter Monday Exams: Throughout semester until mid-July</p>
Orientation week:	Mandatory for all exchange students. In general 1 or 2 weeks before the lectures start (end of September/February)
Deadlines for applications (differs between the campuses):	<p>Winter semester (October-January): June 1 for Wels, Hagenberg, Linz April 15 for Steyr</p> <p>Summer semester (March-June): November 15 for Wels, Hagenberg Linz September 30 for Steyr</p>
Nomination:	Exchange students must be officially nominated by their home university before submitting their application.
Language requirements:	Certificate of English Proficiency B2 level (if applying for courses taught in English and if not mother tongue) Certificate of German Proficiency B2 level (if applying for courses taught in German and if not mother tongue)
German language courses	German ECTS-courses are offered to international students, both on beginner and on advanced level.
Courses	Exchange students are welcome to join all courses (both in English and German) given at their respective campus, under the permission that they have the right prerequisites. Hagenberg, Steyr and Wels Campus have a large selection of courses taught in English. The course listing is available online.
Insurances	Students are responsible to have their own health insurance. FH OÖ does not provide any insurance, but can help the student to register for the Austrian public health insurance which costs ~ 50€ per month.

Buddy program	Every international student will be put into contact with a local student (buddy) before arrival. Buddies will help the incoming students with setting up bank accounts, food-shopping, tours etc.
Arrival and pick-up service:	We recommend that students arrive in Austria shortly before the Orientation Days start. It can be arranged that the buddy meets up the student at the train station or airport.
Fees:	~18 € per semester for Student Union, mandatory for all students in Austria.
Scholarship supported to exchange students:	Scholarships are available for specific student groups. The International Office can provide further information. There is also a database of Austrian scholarships available: www.grants.at
Accommodation (differs between the campuses):	<p>Hagenberg: If students would like to live in a dorm they can apply online for housing after they have received their acceptance letter from the university. More information: http://www-en.fh-ooe.at/hagenberg-campus/international/international-exchange-students/accommodation/</p> <p>Linz: International Office Linz supports students with information of how to find accommodation. Information and online application can be found here: http://www-en.fh-ooe.at/linz-campus/international/international-exchange-students/accommodation/</p> <p>Steyr: International Office Steyr supports exchange students with accommodation. See link for more information: http://www-en.fh-ooe.at/steyr-campus/international/international-exchange-students/accommodation/</p> <p>Wels: International Office Wels supports students with dorm rooms in a student residence. More information and link to the accommodation form can be found here: http://www-en.fh-ooe.at/wels-campus/international/international-exchange-students/accommodation/</p>



Contact Details – Central International Office

Direct link: <http://www-en.fh-ooe.at/index.php?id=5548>

Information: The Central International Office is responsible for the further development and implementation of the UASUA's internationalization strategy. The office's main responsibilities include the administration of interfaculty projects, the German Preparation Program and international networking.

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