

<b>Contact Information</b>	
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Departmental Exchange Administrators	<a href="http://www.soton.ac.uk/international/studyexchange/contacts/school_administrators.html">www.soton.ac.uk/international/studyexchange/contacts/school_administrators.html</a>
<b>Admission Requirements – Erasmus</b>	
Erasmus English Language Requirement	Level B2
<b>Admission Requirements – Non-Erasmus</b>	
Minimum GPA	3 out of 4 (on a 4 point scale) or equivalent
Language Requirement for Regular Academic Session	IELTS 6.5* or equivalent  *This can vary according to programme, for more information about requirements and exemptions please visit: <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/international/entry_reqs/english_language.shtml">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/international/entry_reqs/english_language.shtml</a>
<b>Available Courses</b>	
Please have a look through our undergraduate prospectus online by visiting: <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/undergraduate/courses/</a>	
The postgraduate options can be browsed here: <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/postgraduate/pgstudy/programmes/">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/postgraduate/pgstudy/programmes/</a>	
For more information on which are available for you to study please check with your institution's international co-ordinator or contact our Study Abroad and Exchange team on either <a href="mailto:studyabroad@soton.ac.uk">studyabroad@soton.ac.uk</a> or <a href="mailto:erasmus@soton.ac.uk">erasmus@soton.ac.uk</a>	
<b>Restricted Courses</b>	
Medicine, Health Sciences and Biological Sciences	
<b>Workload Requirements</b>	
Workload per semester	European Credit Transfer Scheme (ECTS) points: 30, or Credit Accumulation Transfer Scheme (CATS) points: 60 Modules vary and can be worth 10, 15 or 20 ECTS points
Contact hours per module	3 hours per module per week
Assessment style	A variety of assessment methods are used; typically exams, coursework, presentations, group work and computer-based assessment
<b>Tuition Fees for Study Abroad Students</b>	
For Study Abroad students a tuition fee will be payable, please speak to your institution's international co-ordinator or email our Study Abroad and Exchange team on <a href="mailto:Studyabroad@soton.ac.uk">Studyabroad@soton.ac.uk</a> for full details.	

Tuition fees can be paid in 2 instalments due in October and January. Exact dates will be confirmed on offer of a place.			
<b>Application Process</b>			
Nomination	All Exchange Students must be nominated through an i-survey tool which will be sent to Coordinators	Deadlines	
		<b>Semester 1 and Full Year</b>	<b>15 March 2015</b>
		<b>Semester 2</b>	<b>15 August 2015</b>
Application Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Decide which subjects and units you would like to study in line with our agreement</li> <li>Complete all the required forms (listed below) . .</li> <li>Attach all the required supporting documents (listed below)</li> <li>Send via email to appropriate address below</li> <li>You will then receive confirmation of receipt</li> <li>On receipt of the offer letter by email, you will receive further information on applying for accommodation and visas, and also more general information about student societies and life at the University of Southampton</li> </ul>		
Required Forms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Application Form</li> <li>Academic transcripts showing most recent study</li> <li>Visiting Student Ethnicity Form</li> <li>English Language Test results (non EU students only)</li> </ul>		
Required Supporting Documents	All students applying to Winchester School of Art : Portfolio of work		
Application Deadlines	<b>Semester 1 and Full Year (Sep 2015)</b>	<b>15th May 2015</b>	
	<b>Semester 2 (Jan 2016)</b>	<b>15th October 2015</b>	
Application Submission	Email to: <a href="mailto:erasmus@soton.ac.uk">erasmus@soton.ac.uk</a> for Erasmus applications <a href="mailto:Studyabroad@soton.ac.uk">Studyabroad@soton.ac.uk</a> all other Study Abroad/Exchange applications  <b>Please note: Only electronic copies are accepted. Please do not send paper applications in the post. Applications must be typed; we will not accept hand written ones.</b>		
<b>Visa Application Process</b>			
Is a visa required?	For detailed and up to date information, please visit: <a href="http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/">http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/</a>		
Non-EU Students coming to the University of Southampton for 1 semester	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Student Visitor Visa required</li> <li>Covers study in the UK for up to 6 months</li> <li>Application Fees information: <a href="http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/visiting/student/apply/">http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/visiting/student/apply/</a></li> <li>Students on a Student Visitor Visa CANNOT switch and apply to extend their stay as a Tier 4 (General) student</li> <li>Students on a Student Visitor Visa CANNOT work during their stay in the UK</li> </ul>		
Non-EU Students coming to the University of Southampton for 2 semesters (full year) of regular academic courses	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tier 4 (General) Visa required</li> <li>Application Fees information: <a href="http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/visa-fees/">http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/visa-fees/</a></li> </ul>		
Non-EU Students coming to the University of Southampton to	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tier 4 (General) Visa required for Pre-Sessional course</li> <li>Application Fees information:</li> </ul>		

<p>take an English Language course (Pre-Sessional) and one semester/ two semesters of regular academic courses</p>	<p><a href="http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/visa-fees/">http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/visa-fees/</a></p> <p>On successful completion of Pre-Sessional course, students will then need to apply for a;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renewal of their Tier 4 (General)</li> </ul> <p>This can be completed within the UK</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Application fees for renewal within the UK information: <a href="http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/visa-fees/">http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/visas-immigration/studying/adult-students/visa-fees/</a></li> </ul>
<p>Required Documents for Visa</p>	<p>See Visa Guidance Team Website for details: <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/sais/visa/">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/sais/visa/</a> Application Forms - <a href="http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/">http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/</a></p>
<p>Visa Application Deadlines</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If you are applying for Entry Clearance as a Tier 4 student visa holder from overseas, you are permitted to APPLY for your visa 3 months in advance of your course start date</li> <li>• The earliest start date for a visa is 1 month before the course starts</li> <li>• To check on Visa processing times in your country, search for your country on the UKBA website: <a href="http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/">http://www.ukba.homeoffice.gov.uk/</a></li> </ul>
<p>Contact Details for Visa Guidance Team</p>	<p>Visa Guidance Team</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• By phone on +44 (0) 2380 599599</li> <li>• By email on <a href="mailto:visa@soton.ac.uk">visa@soton.ac.uk</a></li> <li>• By post to: Visa Guidance Team, Student Services Centre (37) Highfield Campus, University of Southampton, SO17 1BJ, UK</li> </ul>
<p><b>Accommodation</b></p>	
<p>Availability of University Accommodation</p>	<p>In 2015/16 the University of Southampton cannot guarantee on-campus accommodation for exchange and study abroad students, but will use its best endeavours to accommodate students. Please see our accommodation website for details on how to apply: <a href="http://www.soton.ac.uk/accommodation">www.soton.ac.uk/accommodation</a></p> <p>Deadlines for applying to University accommodation is as follows: Semester 1 entry: 1<sup>st</sup> August 2015 Semester 2 entry: 1<sup>st</sup> December 2015</p> <p>If students wish to live off campus or are unsuccessful in applying for University accommodation, there is plenty of provision within Southampton for students to find shared accommodation in private rented housing with other UK and international students.</p> <p>It is imperative that all students have booked temporary accommodation before their arrival in the UK for at least 7 days prior to the start of the semester to allow enough time to secure more permanent accommodation. Please also note that the <a href="#">Southampton Boat Show</a> usually takes places around the start of semester 1 in September and Southampton's hotels and guest houses are extremely busy during this period.</p>
<p><b>Health Care in the UK</b></p>	
<p>NHS care and Health Insurance</p>	<p>The University of Southampton does not provide any health care insurance for incoming exchange students. It is therefore imperative that all students take out travel insurance. Students staying for less than 6 months must also take out health/medical insurance. Please see the <a href="#">UKCISA website</a> for more advice.</p>

<b>Enabling Services at University of Southampton</b>	
Our Enabling Services team provide support for students with a wide range of specific learning differences, disabilities and health conditions. Contact details: <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/edusupport/">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/edusupport/</a> and <a href="mailto:enable@soton.ac.uk">enable@soton.ac.uk</a>	
<b>Academic Dates</b> <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/studentadmin/about_saa/term_dates_and_planned_year/">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/studentadmin/about_saa/term_dates_and_planned_year/</a>	
<b>General Information</b>	
Airport Pick-Up	A Meet and Greet Service is available for students arriving in semester 1 and semester 2. please visit: <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/international/welcome/">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/international/welcome/</a>
Cost of Living	£7,200 to £8,800 per year for accommodation, food, books, stationary and other items. For a useful budget calculator, visit: <a href="http://international.studentcalculator.org.uk/">http://international.studentcalculator.org.uk/</a>
Additional Information	It will be worth it - listen to some of our international students in the video on this link: <a href="http://www.southampton.ac.uk/international/living_soton/">http://www.southampton.ac.uk/international/living_soton/</a>