

FACT SHEET 2022/2023

INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS



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FACULTY OF SPATIAL SCIENCES

(Human Geography, Spatial Planning, Demography)

University	University of Groningen, City of Groningen, The Netherlands, www.rug.nl	
Erasmus code	NL GRONING01	
Faculty	Faculty of Spatial Sciences, www.rug.nl/fss Exchange: https://www.rug.nl/frw/education/international/exchange-students/	
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Academic calendar	Autumn 2022 (Semester 1)	Introduction for exchange students: September 1-2, 2022 1st teaching term (semester 1-a): September 5 – November 11, 2022 2nd teaching term (semester 1-b): November 14, 2022 – February 3, 2023 <i>Departure before Christmas possible if home university semester starts in January</i> <i>Christmas break: December 26, 2022 – January 6, 2023</i>
	Spring 2023 (Semester 2)	Introduction for exchange students: February 2-3, 2023 3rd teaching term (semester 2-a): February 6 – April 14, 2023 4th teaching term (semester 2-b): April 17 – June 23, 2023 (Re-exams July 3 - July 14, 2023)
Nomination (deadline)	Nomination and language proficiency requirements: Information for partner universities Nomination window: - for Autumn 2022 or academic year 2022/2023: March 1 - April 1, 2022 - for Spring 2023: March 1 - October 1, 2022 Nominations after April 1 / October 1 can be discussed, but housing options in international student housing may be minimal.	
Acceptance	Accepted nominated students receive an email, explaining all necessary next steps .	
Application	See Application	
Student Housing	Overview www.athomeingroningen.com (incl. international student houses through SSH). For more information see Practical information & dates	
Courses	- Accepted incoming exchange students are required to take the course “Spatial Problems and Spatial Policies” (10 EC), offered two times in each academic year. - Exchange students can choose from many courses delivered in English at the Faculty of Spatial Sciences, and can request to take courses with a maximum of 10 EC at other Faculties of the University of Groningen. Bachelor students can not take master level courses. - See also Courses	