IMPORTANT DATES

Nomination periods:
Instructions will be sent to partners via email
15 March - 15 April  fall semester and full academic year
15 September - 15 October spring semester

Student application periods:
1-25 April    fall semester and full academic year
1-25 October   spring semester

2020 AUTUMN SEMESTER
18 August   arrival day
18-30 August orientation programme international students
31 August   start of the semester
17 January   end of the semester

2021 SPRING SEMESTER (preliminary dates)
11 January   arrival day
11-24 January orientation programme international students
18 January   start of the semester
6 June       end of the semester

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

How to apply

General information

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Academic structure:
5 years MSc in Engineering programmes
5 years MSc in Architecture
3+2 years Bachelor/Master of Fine Arts in Design
2 years international Master’s programmes

Language of instruction:
Undergraduate/first cycle: mostly Swedish
Graduate/Second cycle: mostly English

Language requirements:
Exchange students must have a high English proficiency in order to succeed with their academic studies at Lund University. Read more here.

Academic system:
Full time workload: 30 credits/semester (1 credit = 1 ECTS)
Two semesters (autumn/spring) in one academic year, with two study periods per semester.

Autumn semester:
Study period 1 (August-October) and 2 (October-December)

Spring semester:
Study period 3 (January-March) and 4 (March-June)

Grades are often based on a combination of written exams, labs, projects and groupwork with an informal study climate. Read more here.

Grading system:
All grades at Lund University are criterion-referenced, i.e. awarded in relation to the student’s performance relative to the learning objectives set out in the course syllabus. They do not grade how well the student performs in relation to other students, but how well they fulfils the objectives of the course. ECTS grades are not awarded. Read more here.

Official Transcript of Records:
Verifiable official transcript of records can be downloaded or printed at the end of the semester. Read more here.

Considering the environmental impact, we will not send hard copies of the official transcript of records, unless required by the home institution.
Courses

Incoming exchange students are required to register for 30 credits per semester, with at least 15 credits at the Faculty of Engineering - LTH. Read more here.

NB: Course eligibility is based on fulfillment of the course prerequisites.

Important! Students need to think carefully when making the study plan and study the course syllabus and schedule thoroughly. LTH does not have an Add & Drop period after Arrival.

Schedule

The schedule generator can be used to plan the semester. Please note that clashes between lectures are often not possible. Read more here.

Swedish courses

Available for exchange students. Free of charge with limited number of seats. Read more here.

Accommodation

Acceptance to exchange studies does not guarantee housing. Students can apply for housing through LU Accommodation. It is possible to apply for housing at different agencies. Read more here.

Student application via LU Accommodation:

1 - 25 April  autumn semester
1 - 25 October spring semester

Living costs

Before arriving in Lund, students need to make sure that they have sufficient funds to cover living expenses. Read more here.

Life in Lund

Lund is considered the number one city for students in Sweden, Lund offers an exciting campus environment with a vibrant student life, an international atmosphere and memorable student traditions. Read more here.