

EXCHANGE PROGRAMME FACT SHEET

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CONTACT INFORMATION

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Dates may be subject to slight changes from one year to another.

SEMESTER 1	September 1st to December 16th
SEMESTER 2	January 2nd to May 31st
FULL YEAR	September 1st to Mays 31st

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

NOMINATION	A Nomination email from the partner university international office must be sent to the relevant coordinator by:
DEADLINE: SEMESTER 1	March 30th
DEADLINE: SEMESTER 2	October 15th
APPLICATION	Students must send their application documents to the relevant coordinator by:
DEADLINE: SEMESTER 1	April 15th
DEADLINE: SEMESTER 2	November 15th
FRENCH PROFICIENCY	B1 minimum (B2 strongly recommended) - C1 for law students - Assessed through a proficiency certificate
REQUIRED DOCUMENTS (sent by the student by e-mail)	Learning agreement Passport or identity card European Health Insurance card A resume (CV)

COURSE APPROVAL

FRENCH CLASSES	The Institute of French as a Foreign Language (IUL-FLE) offers foreign students the opportunity to improve their level of French. Any student enrolled at La Rochelle Université as part of an exchange program has free access to 6 hours of classes in French as a Foreign Language per week, giving them 6 ECTS credits per semester.
MODULES/ COURSES	Modules can be found at this link: https://www.univ- larochelle.fr/en/international/studying-at- la-rochelle-universite/exchange- students/programmes/ Student's modules choice on the learning agreement will then be analysed by the referent teacher from the University of La Rochelle before any decision.

FEES AND OTHER EXPENSES

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TUITION FEES	Students participating in an exchange programme are required to pay tuition fees to their home institution.
ACCOMMODATION	An accommodation offer will be provided to the student two months before his/her arrival (subject to availability).
HEALTH INSURANCE	Incoming exchange students must provide their own personal and travel insurance. Social security: Incoming exchange students must register online before their arrival at: <u>https://etudiant-etranger.ameli.fr/#/</u> This will ensure the student has a French social security number.
LIVING COSTS	Monthly budget: 800 euros Average rent: €360 Maintenance charges: €30 Food: €240 Transport: €30 Miscellaneous (stationery, phone, laundry, leisure activities): €140

ACCOMMODATION

ACCOMODATION TYPES	Studio apartment or room depending on the residence and availability.
APPLICATION	An accommodation form will be sent directly to the student by the IO. In case of no-availability, a list of private residences will be sent to the student so that he/she can look for on the private market.



ARRIVAL & ORIENTATION

AIRPORT/TRAIN STATION COLLECTION	A student buddy will get in touch with the student before his/her arrival to help him/her before and during the first weeks of mobility. The student will provide help on several matters (accommodation, housing allowance, airport collection).
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED ON ARRIVAL	All students should provide their passport or EU Identity Card for proof of ID. Certificate of arrival to confirm it to the home university.

Looking forward to welcoming your students!



OTHER INFORMATION

TRANSCRIPTS	The transcript of records will be sent directly to the student by email in the 5 weeks following the end of his/her mobility
UNIVERSITY LOCATION	Located on the Atlantic coast between Nantes and Bordeaux, the city of La Rochelle counts 78,535 inhabitants. It is located 500 km from Paris (3 hours by High-Speed Train). La Rochelle has a mild and pleasant climate. It has an extraordinarily rich history and cultural heritage. Many international tourists flock to La Rochelle to discover the old harbour, its streets lined with medieval archways, and to enjoy the beautiful nearby islands: Ré, Oléron and Aix with their beaches
SOCIAL MEDIA	Students can follow us on Facebook at: <u>https://fr-</u> <u>fr.facebook.com/Universite.de.La.Rochelle/</u>
UNIVERSITY SERVICES ON CAMPUS	A public library, a Student Medical Service and a sport hall all accessible for free.
ACCESSIBILITY	The University of La Rochelle welcomes and supports students and staff with disabilities. Full help is provided: organisational arrangements, human and technical support. In order to benefit from those arrangements, students have to contact the Relais Handicap (<u>handicap@univ-lr.fr</u>) as soon as they have been nominated by their home university.