

Linköping University – Sweden

Faculty of Arts & Sciences



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Semester Dates

Semester 1 – Autumn (August – December/January)

Recommended arrival date	16-24 August. For students studying Intensive course in Swedish/EILC is 5 & 6 Aug.
Orientation programme	25 August. For students studying Intensive course in Swedish/EILC is 9 August.
Classes start/end	30 August to 23 January.
Breaks	No official breaks.
Exam dates	At the end of each course.

Semester 2 – Spring (January – June)

Recommended arrival date (to be confirmed)	19 & 20 January. For students studying Intensive course in Swedish/EILC is 7 Jan.
Orientation programme (to be confirmed)	21 January. For students studying Intensive course in Swedish/EILC is 10 January.
Classes start/end	24 January to 12 June.
Breaks	No official breaks.
Exam date	At the end of each course.

Application

Application deadlines	15 April for the whole academic year or the autumn semester. 15 October for the spring semester.
Application form for exchange students	http://www.liu.se/en/education/exchange/application?!=en
Application for housing	Included in the application form for exchange students.
Required documents	Printed copy of the on-line application form, transcript of records and proof of English or Swedish (only for students willing to study in Swedish language).

Academic

Website for exchange students (including course catalogues, academic calendar, practical guide, link to the application form, etc)	http://www.liu.se/en/education/exchange
Course catalogue – Courses taught in English	http://www.liu.se/en/education/exchange/courses?!=en
Course catalogue – Courses taught in Swedish	http://www.liu.se/utbildning/kurs?!=sv
Swedish language courses	http://www.liu.se/en/education/exchange/courses/art/swedish?!=en
Departments/faculties incoming students are excluded from taking	For faculty agreements, none if they fulfill the admission requirements. For subject area agreements, students study the majority of their subjects in that area/s.
University academic strengths	Cross-disciplinary education and research. Excellent research environments.
Are incoming students able to enroll in both undergraduate and master level courses?	Both levels are open for incoming students if they fulfill the admission requirements.
Minimum course requirements for full-time load	30 credits per semester. 1,5 credits equals 1 week of full-time studies.
Website link to find grading system	http://www.liu.se/education/practical/studying/credits

Housing

Description of student housing available (e.g. University residence halls, share flat)	Residence hall (corridor room) is most common. 8 rooms with own bathroom, shared kitchen and living room.
Housing cost estimate per semester	Approx. 2700 SEK / month or 270 Euro/month.
Housing application deadline	April 15 and October 15 "the sooner the better".

Other

Average cost of living per semester (e.g. room, food, entertainment, books etc)	Approx. 7-8000 SEK / month or 700-800 Euro/month.
Websites for further local information about the city/town university area	http://www.liu.se/education/practical/lifesw/region www.sweden.se www.visitsweden.com
Distance from the nearest major city	200 kilometers south of Stockholm (Linköping 137 000 inhabitants, 5 th largest city in Sweden).
Student population overall/international	~26 000 / 1400
Are students required to pay for any additional items/services (health insurance, stud. services fees, etc.)	No. The student has to be insured prior to coming to Linköping.
Services provided for incoming students upon arrival	Please see www.liu.se/en/education/exchange/admitted/arrival
Three unique aspects of the university	Cross-disciplinary Encourages individual initiative High employability