**INFORMATION SHEET**  
**2019-20**

**INSTITUTION**

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<td><a href="https://www.ua.es/">https://www.ua.es/</a></td>
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**INTERNATIONAL OFFICE (Administration)**

| CONTACT PERSON | Bilateral agreement & staff mobility:  
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<td>Student mobility:</td>
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<td>José Miguel LILLO (incoming &amp; outgoing students)</td>
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| ADDRESS         | Universidad de Alicante  
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| PHONE           | +34 96 590 9558 Students / 965 903 812 BA and Staff |

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**FACULTIES AND UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES**

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# ACADEMIC CALENDAR

| 1st Term (Fall)          | - DEGREES, 9 September to 20 December 2019  
|                         | - MASTER, October 2019 to 27 Jan. 2020  
|                         | (3 terms MA: 3 Sep-Dec, Jan.-March & Apr.-26 Jun 2020)  
|                         | - Exams: 9 January to 24 January 2020  
|                         | (resit exams available from 17 June to 9 July 2020)  
| 2nd Term (Spring)       | - DEGREE, 27 January to 22 May 2020  
|                         | - MASTER, February to 3 June 2020  
|                         | - Exams: 27 May to 11 June 2020  
|                         | (resit exams available from 17 June to 9 July 2020)  
| Holidays                | October: 9th and 12th  
|                         | November: 1st  
|                         | December: 6th  
|                         | **Christmas break: 23rd December to 6th January**  
|                         | March: 19th  
|                         | **Easter break: 9th to 20th**  
|                         | April: 23rd and 24th  
|                         | May: 1st  
|                         | June: 23rd and 24th  

## ACADEMIC INFORMATION

| COURSE CATALOGUE AND COURSES TAUGHT IN ENGLISH | Erasmus students in the UA are offered only subjects/courses within the Subject Area they are accepted into, according to the Agreement signed between the universities. So that, Erasmus students can choose only from subjects available in the study programmes offered in UA Online Learning Agreement.  
At the University of Alicante, most of courses belonging to Official Qualifications are taught in **Spanish** but there are also a list of official subjects offered in **English language**, that is increasing every academic year.  
The study programmes and **courses taught in English** are available on the following websites:  
(Courses in English offer will be updated during Spring period) |

| NUMBER OF COURSES PER SEMESTER | Normal workload: 30 ECTS credits per semester  
The international students can take from 3 to 5 courses (18-30 credits) |

| CREDIT POINTS | 1 course is worth 6 credits (ECTS credits)  
1 ECTS credit equals to 25 hours of total workload: contact hours (40%) and student independent work (60%). Except for ‘Final project’ and ‘Practicum’ subjects, in which contact hours are 10% and student independent work or placement is 90%. |
## GRADING SYSTEM

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<td>10 - P</td>
<td>Minimum score of 5 points is required to pass.</td>
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### Spanish Grade and description:

- **Matrícula de honor** (9-10): The most outstanding performance - **HONORS**
- **Sobresaliente** (9-10): Excellent performance - **OUTSTANDING**
- **Notable** (7-8.9): Very good performance - **GOOD & VERY GOOD**
- **Aprobado** (5-6.9): Average performance - **PASS**
- **Suspenso** (0-4.9): Insufficient performance - **FAIL**
- **No presentado** (NP): Exam not done by the student

## LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Spanish level B1 highly recommended.

English level B2 recommended for the courses taught in English.

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE AND ADMISSION

### NOMINATIONS

The sending institution must send a list of the exchange students selected to study at the University of Alicante by e-mail (student.mobility@ua.es).

The information required is the following:

- Name and surname
- Subject Area (according to the Bilateral Agreement)
- Period of stay
- Nationality

### NOMINATION DEADLINES

- June 1 (Autumn Term or full Academic year)
- November 1 (Spring Term)

### APPLICATION PROCEDURE

The whole application process is on line:

- Application Form (Online Form)
  - Identity Document / Passport (scanned copy)
  - Transcript of Records needed
  - Certificate of Spanish if available
- Student Card Application Form
  - Digital Photograph needed
- Learning Agreement (Online LA)

### APPLICATION DEADLINES

- June 15 (Autumn Term or full academic year)
- November 15 (Spring Term)

### ADMISSION

The University of Alicante will send the Acceptance to the students via e-mail, once application period is closed.

Only students not belonging to the European Union countries will receive a Letter of Acceptance by international post, so that they can apply for their visa.

### WEBSITE


## ARRIVAL DATES AND ORIENTATION

### ARRIVAL DATE

The students have to join the University of Alicante on the day assigned by this university.

On Arrival at the University of Alicante on this Registration date, students should go to the Mobility Office, building num.23 in the Campus.

### ORIENTATION DAYS

All students are expected to attend the Orientation Programme. The date and more details of the Orientation Session will be communicated by e-mail once the students have been accepted.
SPANISH LANGUAGE COURSES

FREE OF CHARGE The University of Alicante offers, free of charge, one Spanish language course for each student.

CREDITS The Spanish Language Course lasts 60 hours and it is worth 6 ECTS.

WEBSITE https://sri.ua.es/en/movilidad/exchanges/spanish-courses.html

ADDITIONAL COURSES Students interested in doing additional Spanish language courses can apply for doing them on a paying basis.

WEBSITE OF THE LANGUAGE CENTRE https://www.csidiomas.ua.es/en/courses/spanish

ACCOMMODATION

HOUSING ARRANGEMENTS The students coming to the University of Alicante can either look for accommodation through the Accommodation Office of the UA, or do it by themselves.


PRACTICAL INFORMATION

ACCOMMODATION COST PER MONTH ~ about 300 Euros in a shared flat, including electricity, gas and water

COST OF LIVING PER MONTH EXCLUDING ACCOMMODATION ~about 400 Euros

VISA Students who do not belong to the European Union Countries must apply for a visa at the Spanish Embassy before entering Spain.

IMMIGRATION PROCEDURES Both EU and non-EU students are required to register with Immigration within the 1st month of their arrival in Spain. The University of Alicante assists the students on this procedure upon their arrival.

HEALTH INSURANCE Every student must have medical coverage during their stay at the University of Alicante. It is the students’ responsibility to provide themselves with an insurance which includes this medical cover along with repatriation.

SPORTS FACILITIES The University Sports Card allows the students to use the gym, swimming pool, athletics track, squash courts, tatami area, tennis and paddle courts, table tennis and changing rooms  
Price: ~48 Euros per semester.

TRANSPORT The University of Alicante has good accessibility by road due to its location next to exit 70 of the A-70 motorway.

The same A-70 motorway connects the university with Alicante-Elche airport (exit 72) allowing the visitor to travel comfortably and quickly to the airport.

The students can access the University of Alicante by bus, bike and tram (line 2) that links Alicante with the Campus.

Students will receive further information about all these matters once accepted by UA.
PRE-DEPARTURE CHECKLIST
A checklist to ensure that the students have done everything before coming to Alicante:

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<td>Has your Learning Agreement been approved by your academic coordinators?</td>
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<td>Have you applied for accommodation? Have you received details of it? Do you know how to reach your accommodation?</td>
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<td>Is your passport or identity document valid for the whole stay in Spain?</td>
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<td>Have you made your travel arrangements?</td>
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