**Malmo University**

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| About partner | About partner | Malmo University was founded in 1998. Located in the centre of Malmo at Universitetsholmen, the university has played a central role in the transformation of Malmo from an industrial town to a centre of learning.  The open and interactive teaching environment at Malmo University encourages critical thinking, discussions and questions in lectures and seminars. The University is well known for its individual technique on all levels of learning where students are responsible for their own development.  The student population of Malmo University is 24,000, which includes more than 1,800 international students from all around the world. |
|  | About Malmo | Malmo is the commercial centre of southern Sweden and an international city—Malmo has 300,000 residents from approximately 170 different nationalities.  An exceptionally well developed infrastructure makes Malmo very easy to reach, whatever means of transport you use to get there: boat, plane, train or car. Malmo has an international harbour and the airports Kastrup and Sturup are only a 30-minute journey from the centre of Malmo. Malmo has excellent rail connections with the rest of Sweden and Europe, making it the perfect city for adventurous travellers. |
|  | Did you know? | The City of Malmo has received many international awards for its focus on sustainable city development and pilot projects such as Augustenborg and the Western Harbour. Malmo was also appointed the first Fairtrade City of Sweden. |
| Academic information | Main areas of study | * Biomedical Science * [Criminology](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/VAKRE" \t "_blank) * [Computer Science](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/TACSO) * [Computational Materials Science](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/TAMMM" \t "_blank) * Human Rights * International Migration and Ethnic Relations * International Relations * [Interaction Design](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/TAINE/) * [Leadership for Sustainability](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/SALSU" \t "_blank) * [Linguistics: Language and Society](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/HALIG" \t "_blank) * [Media and Communication Studies: Culture, Collaborative Media, and Creative Industries](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/HAMKE" \t "_blank) * [Peace and Conflict Studies](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/SGFRE) * [Political Science](http://edu.mah.se/en/Program/SAPSM" \t "_blank) * Urban Studies   **Note:**   * The listed areas of study are not necessarily exhaustive and other fields of study might also be available at the partner institution. Moreover, names for fields of study may be different overseas. * A discipline being listed does not in indicate the suitability of the program, nor does it indicate that the discipline is taught in English. * Approval to study particular subjects at any institution is always at the discretion of the departmental/discipline and faculty advisors at RMIT University and subject to available places at the host institution. |
|  | Language requirements | Programs are taught in English and Swedish. |
|  | Full time load [Equivalent to 96 RMIT Credit Points] | 30 ECTS per semester is considered the full time load. |
|  | Link to courses | <http://www.mah.se/student/exchange/courses> |
| Living | Accommodation | There is a general shortage of housing in Malmo, especially in the sector of student accommodation.  Malmo University does not have on-campus accommodation but will help exchange students find alternative housing.  For more information go to: <http://www.mah.se/student/exchange/accommodation> |
|  | Health insurance | Sweden has a reciprocal health care agreement with Australia. The Medicare website outlines this: <http://www.humanservices.gov.au/customer/services/medicare/reciprocal-health-care-agreements>  Note: Please be aware that travel insurance is a compulsory requirement of an exchange program.  For further information about health insurance from Malmo University go to: <http://mah.se/english/Education/Exchange-student/Practical-Information/> |
|  | Living cost | It is recommended that students budget for 9000 SEK per month.  For more information go to:  <http://mah.se/student/exchange/costofliving> |
| Funding Opportunities | OS-HELP information | [OS-HELP Information page](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/os-help)  <http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/os-help> |
|  | Link to scholarships page? | [All travel scholarships](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/travel)  <<http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/travel>> |
| Useful information | Link to partner exchange page | <http://www.mah.se/english/Education/Exchange-student/> |
|  | Visa | You must apply for a “Residence Permit for a visiting student” through the Swedish Embassy or Consulate in your home country before you travel to Sweden. This procedure can take 2 to 3 months so you are advised to start your application as early as possible.  For more information go to: <http://mah.se/english/Education/Exchange-student/Practical-Information/>  Please note that visa requirements are subject to change. Please seek advice from the Swedish consulate for the most updated information. |