**University of Erlangen-Nurnberg**

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| About partner | About partner | The University of Erlangen-Nurnberg (FAU) is one of the largest universities in Germany. With its five faculties, FAU offers an almost unique scope of subjects ranging from the Humanities to Law and Economics as well as Sciences, Medicine and Engineering. The close collaboration between the single disciplines is reflected by the University’s Mission Statement "Advance through Networks". FAU thus offers perfect conditions for interdisciplinary research and learning to students and scientists alike.  Moreover, over the last decades, the University has established its reputation as a top-ranking institution in cutting-edge research. It is firmly anchored in a close network of interdisciplinary co-operations. These include partners from industry, specialised non-university research centre and a number of leading international universities.  Within the Metropolitan Region Nuremberg, FAU likewise plays an important role as employer, generator of innovations and centre for education. Due to the close connections between research and teaching, students at FAU receive a well-founded academic training in an inspiring environment. |
|  | About [partner city] | Nuremberg is a medieval town characterized by its architecture and the magnificent 950-year-old Imperial Castle, the symbol of Nuremberg. Today, Nuremberg is a city with a turbulent history, vibrant present and bright future. The second largest city in the Free State of Bavaria, known as the city of human rights, it has an international population of around 500,000 inhabitants with the metropolitan region home to 3.5 million inhabitants.  In addition to numerous museums and exhibitions, culture flourishes everywhere in Nuremberg with open-air concerts, opera, theatre and numerous cultural programs. The city is also an economic powerhouse and the headquarters for many big businesses. |
|  | Did you know? [fun fact about partner] | In Germany traditional liberal arts universities do not usually have an engineering school or department. However, FAU does have a distinct engineering faculty. |
| Academic information | Main areas of study | * Advanced Materials and Processes * Advanced Optical Technologies * Chemical and Bioengineering * Computational Engineering   **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 | Courses available in both German and English. |
|  | Full time load [Equivalent to 96 RMIT Credit Points] | 30 ECTS = 20 SWS = 48 RMIT credits |
|  | Link to courses | <http://www.uni-erlangen.org/international/from-abroad/exchange-students/courses/> |
| Living | Accommodation | FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg is not able to offer accommodation. The University does not operate any student accommodation and is not allowed to act as an estate agent.  University staff will try to assist you in your search. However, they are not responsible for finding accommodation and can only make recommendations.  <https://www.fau.eu/international/accommodation/> |
|  | Health insurance | Mandatory government health insurance to be organised upon arrival.  Waiver: Bring written confirmation from your Health Insurance outlining the coverage. |
|  | Living cost | A number of external services provide comprehensive overviews of global living costs, for example:   * [www.expatistan.com](http://www.expatistan.com) * [www.numbeo.com](http://www.numbeo.com)   **Note**  RMIT University is not affiliated with any of these page |
| Funding Opportunities | OS-HELP information | [OS-HELP Information page](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/os-help) |
|  | Link to scholarships page? | [All travel scholarships](http://www.rmit.edu.au/scholarships/travel) |
| Useful information | Link to partner exchange page | <http://www.uni-erlangen.org/international/from-abroad/exchange-students/> |
|  | Visa | Australian citizens do not require a student visa. However, students have to obtain a “residence permit” upon arrival. |