Information for Students on Exchange

A.	University	Uppsala University
		http://www.uu.se/en/
B. Country		Sweden
c.	Academics	
	i) Module Mapping & Credits Transfer	Please ensure that your Study Plan is approved by the academics at your home faculty before the exchange. Modules approved in the past might not be offered by the host university or approved by your faculty when it is time for your exchange. Please check the latest course offerings at the host universities while you are preparing your Study Plan.
	ii) Academic Calendar	Semester 1: August to January Semester 2: January to June http://www.uu.se/en/admissions/exchange/course/calendar
	iii) Exchange Duration	One semester For more information about the student exchange programme, please refer to http://www.uu.se/en/admissions/exchange/
	iv) Examination	Students are expected to attend the mandatory examination at the host university.
	v) Curriculum Structure	The Swedish "Higher Education Points" are exactly equivalent to ECTS credits - that is, you take 30 points per semester. Full time workload: 30 ECTS Minimum: 22.5 ECTS Maximum: 37.5 ECTS In order to be eligible for exchange studies at Uppsala University, students must take a minimum of 22.5 ECTS worth of courses in our faculties. 1.5 Swedish credits equates to one week of full-time studies and a semester consists of 20 weeks, i.e. 30 credits. Thus one year of full-time studies equals 60 credits. Most courses are labeled with a course level (A, B, C or D). This indicates how advanced the course is. Level A is introductory (first semester), and D is usually the most advanced undergraduate level (a level A course may,

		however, still require prerequisites in the subject from upper secondary school). Courses that cannot be designated for a specific level are denoted by X. In general C and D level courses are taken during the 3rd or 4th year of the undergraduate programme. For more information on courses, please refer to http://www.uu.se/en/admissions/exchange/course/
vi)	Entry	A minimum CAP of 3.0 out of 5.0 with no grade below C.
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vii)	Language	The medium of instruction for classes is Swedish. However, English-taught
,	Proficiency	courses are also available (undergraduate level).
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viii)	Faculties &	Theology
	Schools	• Law
	accepting	• Arts
	exchange	 Languages
	students	Social sciences
		Educational sciences
		Science and Technology
ix)	Module	All courses listed on <u>www.uu.se/en/admissions/exchange/course/</u>
	restrictions	are open to exchange students and will be taught in English, provided that
	and pre-	they fulfil the prerequisites and have the following comments in mind:
	requisites	they fail the prerequisites and have the following comments in time.
		 Business courses – Prerequisites vary considerably (Please note the early application deadline)
		• Law courses – At least two years of prior Law studies (full-time)
		 Medicine – As clinical courses in Medicine require knowledge of fluent Swedish and are very competitive, these courses rarely accept
		exchange students.
		 Natural Sciences including Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Engineering: No entry level courses are available, so students must have strong academic backgrounds within these subjects and meet the eligibility requirements described in each course description.
		Course selection is on a first come first served basis. Some departments have a quota on exchange students and emphasize diversity of student population. Exchange students should choose courses carefully at the point of application. A minimum of 22.5 ECTS and maximum of 30 ECTS would be preapproved. Exchange students are discouraged from taking more than 30 ECTS.

	There is no add-or-drop period, so pre-approved courses are quite fixed at the time of admissions.
D. Application	
i) Procedures	Students can apply for SEP one year in advance through their home faculty in NUS between September and June. Please look out for your faculty's announcement regarding the application period. Once you have been selected by your home faculty for SEP, your faculty will
	contact you and provide information regarding application with your host university. Please prepare the necessary documents before the start of the application period at your host university.
ii) Deadlines	All NUS student must abide by the internal application deadline set by their home faculty for exchange participation in the following academic year. After clearing the internal application and selection process, students have to take note of the application deadline set by the host university.
	Failure to submit a formal application to the host university will result in your exchange being forfeited even if you have been selected by NUS for the exchange.
E. Accommodations	
i) University Accommodation	Housing is not guaranteed but is prioritized to exchange students who applies within deadlines. Exchange students may be allocated a student room or a studio.
	Students in Sweden are living in rooms and apartments like any other tenants and are expected to take full responsibility for their accommodation. Male and female students live on the same corridors.
	For more information on accommodation, please refer to
	http://www.uu.se/en/admissions/exchange/housing-and-financing/
	http://www.housingoffice.se/
ii) Private Accommodation	
F. Visa	
Consular/Visa Regulation	In order to get a residence permit for a stay of less than one year, you must prove that you have a health insurance policy. Uppsala University will send the Certificate of Acceptance by e-mail. For residence permit application,

you must prove that you have been admitted as an exchange or visiting student at Uppsala University and that you have enough money for your study period in Sweden. If you are a citizen of a country outside the EU/EEA you must have receives a decision about your residence permit application before entering Sweden. You can only apply for a residence permit at a Swedish Embassy or Consulate in your home country or country of residence.

For more information about visa, please refer to http://www.migrationsverket.se/info/studera en.html

All students are advised to apply for the necessary visa immediately after they received the official offer letter/email from their host university.

Some visa application process could take up to 3 months to process. Your exchange at the host university depends on the clearance by the immigration of the host country.

G. Safety, Health & Medical Insurance

i) Health/Medical Insurance

All registered NUS students are covered under the university health insurance and the blanket travel insurance. For more information on the university health insurance coverage, please refer to

http://www.nus.edu.sg/uhc/services/billing-insurance/insurance-matters.html

For more information on the blanket travel insurance, please refer to 'Insurance Cover for Official NUS Trips' through http://www.nus.edu.sg/finance/students/student-travel.html

Students are strongly advised to bring their own Health, Travel, and Accident insurance policy.

All exchange students are covered by an insurance policy taken by Uppsala University, **Student IN**, which include medical care (for non-EU citizens), liability coverage up to 10 million SEK, legal coverage and accident insurance. Please note that property is not covered by this insurance, nor is travel outside Sweden. This insurance is provided free of charge by Uppsala University and is **a back-up insurance** if the student is not covered by his/her own insurance policy.

For more information on health and medical insurance, please refer to http://www.kammarkollegiet.se/english



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	Please review the insurance coverages to ensure that they meet your needs. Students can purchase additional health and/or travel insurance from their preferred agent.		
ii) Emergency Number at host university			
H. Cost of Living			
	Breakdown of Costs	Cost	
i) Estimated	Accommodation	SEK5,000	
Monthly Living	Food	SEK2,100	
Expenses	Transport	SEK300	
	Telephone/Internet	SEK200	
	Others (Entertainment, clothes)	SEK900	
	Monthly Estimate	SEK8,500	
	For more details, please refer to http://www.uu.se/en/admissions/exchar	<u>.</u>	