



BTH Fact Sheet

2016/2017

Name of the Institution	Blekinge Institute of Technology
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Nominations

Nomination emails should be sent by the home university to in.exchange@bth.se and should include the following information:

- Student's name
- Date of birth
- Nationality
- Field of study
- Study Level (Bachelor or Master)
- Exchange period requested
- Email address

Deadlines for nominations:

Erasmus+ programme

Autumn semester 2016	March 15 - May 15
Academic year 2016/2017	March 15 - May 15
Spring semester 2017	October 15 - November 15

Linnaeus-Palme programme (South Africa)

There are other conditions regarding exchanges within Linnaeus-Palme. Please contact in.exchange@bth.se for information.

Other exchange programmes

Autumn semester 2016	March 15 - April 15
Academic year 2016/2017	March 15 - April 15
Spring semester 2017	September 15 - October 15

Applications

Once the home university's nomination has been received by International Office, an [online application form](#) must be filled out by the nominated student. The password to the online application system will be sent by email to the nominated student.

After the online application have been made the following application documents should be prepared;

- Application form, which is generated after the online nomination (must be printed and signed by the home university and the student)
- Transcript of Records including **all** your previous university studies (must be translated to English if not already in English)
- Learning Agreement (signed by the home university and the student)
- Personal letter
- Curriculum Vitae
- Copy of passport

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Academic calendar	Autumn term 2016 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction day: August 26 ▪ Study period 1: August 29 —October 30 ▪ Study period 2: October 31—January 15
	Spring term 2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Introduction day: January 13 ▪ Study period 3: January 16—March 26 ▪ Study period 4: March 27—June 4
Course catalogue	http://www.bth.se/eng/prospectivestudents.nsf/pages/courses-for-exchange-students
Swedish language course	www.bth.se/swedishcourse
Language of instruction	English

Credit system	Sweden has a system of credits (högskolepoäng); a normal 40-week academic year corresponds to 60 credits. The system is compatible with ECTS credits (European Credit Transfer System).
Grading system	At BTH, one of the following scales is to be employed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ G, Ux, U (G Pass, Ux Insufficient, supplementation required, U Fail) ▪ A, B, C, D, E, FX, F (A Excellent, B Very good, C Good, D Satisfactory, E Sufficient, FX Insufficient, supplementation required, F Fail). Grades are given for course items and for complete courses, by the examiner.
Accommodation	Blekinge Institute of Technology has no student accommodations and cannot make reservations for students. In order to find accommodation, you have to make an online application or send an email to the housing companies. Blekinge Student Union can provide you with information about student accommodation in Karlskrona and Ronneby.
Meals	In Karlskrona, no student accommodation is linked to a fixed meal plan. Students can choose to cook for themselves or visit the on-campus cafeteria or restaurant whenever they like and pay individually for each meal.
Living costs	A sample monthly budget is as follows; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Food: 2000 SEK ▪ Accommodation: 3750 SEK ▪ Local travels: 560 SEK ▪ Telephone/ Internet: 300 SEK ▪ Insurance, medical care and hygiene: 300 SEK ▪ Hobby/Leisure, miscellaneous: 1100 SEK Total: 8010 SEK Read more about cost of living at www.studyinsweden.se .

Useful links

- www.visitkarlskrona.se
- www.visitblekinge.se
- www.studyinsweden.se
- <http://youtu.be/059PRzUJnIA>