STUDYING AT KENT / THE ESSENTIALS

ERASMUS AND STUDY ABROAD STUDENTS
WELCOME

Hannah McNorton, Director
International Partnerships
International Partnerships

Kent has 388 links with institutions from around the world

33 Partners in North America
169 Partners in Europe
53 Partners in Asia Pacific
9 Partners in South America
1 Partner in Africa

August 2016

Find out more about our partners across the world
International Partnerships

Our partner institutions

North America
33 partners:
- 27 Student Exchange Agreements
- 3 Incoming Study Abroad Arrangements
- 5 Memorandum of Understanding
- 1 Dual Award (M Level)

Europe
169 partners:
- 124 Student Exchange Agreements
- 7 Erasmus Staff Only Exchange Agreements
- 6 Memorandum of Understanding
- 2 Erasmus Mundus Joint Doctorates
- 29 Dual Award (1 UG Level, 7 M Level, 21 PhD)

Asia Pacific
53 partners:
- 23 Student Exchange Agreements
- 6 Incoming Study Abroad Agreements
- 8 Articulation Arrangements
- 24 Memorandum of Understanding
- 1 Dual Award (M Level)

South America
9 partners:
- 5 Student Exchange Agreements
- 4 Memorandum of Understanding

Africa
1 partner:
- 1 Student Exchange Agreements

Networks, Research & Enterprise Activity
The University of Kent is a member of the S Group European Universities Network and Erasmus Mundus Action II Lotus Mobility Network. Aside from agreements with partner universities, Kent has a further 123 links across the world through networks, research and enterprise activity.
MEET THE TEAM
Erasmus Team

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The International Team

- Hazel Lander
- Sophie Baker
- Megan Foley
- studyabroad@kent.ac.uk
- 01227 827994 / 4088
Independent learning and research

Different teaching methods

Good academic practice

Personal responsibility

Participation and contribution

Attendance

Personal development

Employability skills
Academic Calendar

- Autumn Term
  - 25 September – 15 December 2017

- Spring Term
  - 15 January – 06 April 2018

- Summer Term (exams only)
  - 08 May – 15 June 2018
ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS
Attending classes

- 24 hour/military clock
  - 13:00 = 1pm
  - 16:30 = 4.30pm

- Room numbers
  - GS7 = Grimond Seminar Room 7
  - KLT1 = Keynes Lecture Theatre 1

- Majority of classes are a mixture of lectures and seminars
  - You may have one-off practical sessions or workshops

- You should attend all your classes

- Notify your school if you are absent due to illness

- Tier 4 visa rules
## Credits

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- It is not possible to change the credit weighting of a module
- Your home university has agreed under the exchange to accept the credits we set
# Levels

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- Bachelor/undergraduate students may not take modules at Master or Doctorate level
Coursework and exams

• You must submit all the required work for your registered classes
• If you are registered for the Summer term, you must complete your exams
• Failure to do so will result in a fail mark
• (Unless you have a genuine concession)
Assessment

• Online module catalogue says how each module is assessed:
  • Exam/coursework/oral presentation or combination of these
  • Full-year students may not arrange alternative assessments

• Academic integrity
  • Referencing guides
  • Turnitin and how to avoid plagiarism
  • Assignment Survival Kit
  • www.kent.ac.uk/ai/students/index.html

• Grades
  • Marking criteria
    – Information is provided on your School’s website
  • Grade inflation
Please note

• Check your timetable
  • Lectures are fixed but you may be able to change seminar group if there is a clash
  • Time is allowed between classes to allow you to get from one class to another

• No unnecessary module changes

• If you need help, don’t suffer in silence!
Erasmus+ advice

- Learning Agreements
  - Signed Learning Agreement
  - Changes
- Arrival certificates
- Your responsibility to return documents to your university
- Auditing classes is not allowed
Pre-sessional English

The best experience ever 😊

amazing 😮

So much fun & awesome 😍
Essential source of information

- [www.kent.ac.uk/student](http://www.kent.ac.uk/student)
- Email
- Timetable
- Moodle
  - Course materials
  - Assignment submission
- SDS
  - Marks
- LibrarySearch
- News, events, useful links
The Student Guide

STUDENT GUIDE

GETTING STARTED
SEPTEMBER 2017

Important information for arriving students

More systems and services

Student email
UGs and taught PGs

Timetable
Lectures and seminars

Moodle
Online learning environment

SDS
Marks, deadlines...

LibrarySearch
Borrowing, e-resources, renewals...

PGR email
Email for research PGs

Returning to Kent? What's new in the Templeman Library

Hello Library and IT services!

Events

- All Kent student news

- Exhibition: Prescriptions; artists' books
  - 01 AUG

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- Library Induction - Classical and Archaeological Studies
  - 19 SEP

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Studying at Kent
- Getting started
- Academic schools
- Studying
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- Employability
- Student Charter

Campus life
- Support, health and wellbeing
- Getting around
- Life and accommodation
- Finance
- Kent Union
- Colleges
- Food and entertainment
- Enhancing your experience
- After graduation
- University financial summary
- News centre

Hello Library and IT services!

19 SEP
Library Induction - Classical and Archaeological Studies

Twitter

Tweets by @UKCSstudent

Are you ready for Arrivals this weekend? Check out the Getting Started webpages.

 Embed View on Twitter
Moodle
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Student Data System

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Student Data System

My Details
If any of the following details are incorrect, please contact your school.

Name:
Login:
Faculty: Faculty of Humanities
School: School of English
Programme of Study: ENGLTCW:BA
Campus: Canterbury
Stage: 3
Registration Status: Authorised to Register
Study Mode: PT
Study level: UG
Tutor: Dr E Bainbridge (E.Bainbridge@kent.ac.uk)

My Record (details of your record)
How to use the new Kent PowerPoint template
Support

• Your academic school
  • Help from academic staff:
    – Student Support Adviser/Officer
    – Exchange co-ordinator or adviser
  • Help from other students:
    – Buddy Scheme
    – Student representatives (reps)
    – Informal study groups

• Student Support
  • For students with disabilities or specific learning difficulties who need additional academic support
  • e.g. extra time in exams, note-takers, etc.
  • www.kent.ac.uk/studentsupport/
Student Learning Advisory Service

- Free study skills advice and support
- Individual and group appointments
- Workshops
  - www.kent.ac.uk/student/skills/canterbury/index.html
- Resources
- UELT Building
- Next to Santander on campus
- www.kent.ac.uk/learning
Centre for English and World Languages

- In-sessional English skills
  - Sign up now
  - [www.kent.ac.uk/cewl/courses/in-sessional/ie.html](http://www.kent.ac.uk/cewl/courses/in-sessional/ie.html)

- Cambridge English Certificates
  - Free classes for First, Advanced and Proficiency exams
  - examenglish@kent.ac.uk
  - [www.kent.ac.uk/cewl/courses/cambridge/cambridge-english.html](http://www.kent.ac.uk/cewl/courses/cambridge/cambridge-english.html)
THINGS TO COME
Freshers Fair

- Thursday 21 and Friday 22 September
- 11:00am – 5:00pm
- Eliot College car park and the Plaza
- Over 50 Sports Clubs
- Over 200 societies
- kentunion.co.uk/freshers/activities/
Global Hangouts

• Meet people from all over the world
• Live music, performances and good conversation
• Free entry, everyone welcome
• No need to book
• 5pm at the Gulbenkian
  • Wednesday 25 October
  • Wednesday 9 December
  • Wednesday 7 February
  • Wednesday 14 March
  • Wednesday 16 May

• More information:  
  www.kent.ac.uk/global/globalengagement/hangouts.html
Go Abroad! Photo/Video Competition

- Special category: #HelloKent
- Deadline 1 June 2018
- Post to Go Abroad! Facebook page with #GoAbroadatKent
- Win £50
- Enter online: www.kent.ac.uk/goabroad/photo-video-competition.html
#HelloKent

https://youtu.be/-IdOhwAAylg