

**Name of Institution:** The Hague University of Applied Sciences/De Haagse Hogeschool (THUAS)

**Erasmus Code:** NL SGRAVE 13

**PIC Code:** 971162449

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**Application and Registration**

<b>Website for Incoming Students</b>	<a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/programmes/other-courses/exchange-programmes">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/programmes/other-courses/exchange-programmes</a>
<b>General Semester Dates (differ by year and programme)</b>	Autumn: Beginning of September to End of January (first semester) <b>Spring: Beginning of February to End of July (second semester)</b>
<b>Nominations Open (for partner)</b>	1 February: Autumn semester and full year <b>1 August: Spring semester</b>
<b>Nominations Procedure</b>	<p><b>FOR PARTNERS:</b> In order to nominate your students, please use the following link: <a href="https://fd8.formdesk.com/dehaagsehogeschool/nomination-form-thuas">https://fd8.formdesk.com/dehaagsehogeschool/nomination-form-thuas</a> The nomination procedure requires your student's full name, email address, the name of your university and the name of the programme with which there is an exchange agreement at THUAS.</p> <p><b>Due to COVID-19 our nomination procedure is different. Students must be nominated BY SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup>. We will then take demand and capacity into account before students are accepted. They can start their application process as of the 1<sup>st</sup> of October. It is important to remember that due to the current COVID 19 situation, nomination does not mean acceptance.</b></p> <p><b>This change in procedure is only valid for the 2020-2021 academic year, specifically for the Spring Semester.</b></p> <p><b>FOR STUDENTS:</b> Your home university must nominate you (they will receive information from us beforehand on how to do this) through the proper channels prior you applying online.</p>
<b>Nominations Deadline (for partner)</b>	30 April: Autumn Semester and full year <b>15 SEPTEMBER: Spring Semester – This is because of the COVID-19 situation.</b>
<b>Applications Open (for student)</b>	1 April: Autumn Semester and full year <b>1 October: Spring Semester</b>
<b>Applications Procedure</b>	Students that have been selected will receive an email with a link with where they can then apply. The email will also detail the documents which are required to be submitted by the students. More information: <a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/programmes/other-courses/exchange-programmes/practical-information">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/programmes/other-courses/exchange-programmes/practical-information</a>

<b>Applications Deadline (for student)</b>	31 May: Autumn semester and full year 15 November: Spring semester														
<b>Immigration Documents &amp; Payment(s) Deadline (for student)</b>	15 June: Autumn semester and full year 30 November: Spring semester														
<b>Courses Offered</b>	You can find a course description on the courses offered at: <a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/programmes/other-courses/exchange-programmes/what-can-i-study">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/programmes/other-courses/exchange-programmes/what-can-i-study</a> Students have to select courses offered by the programme their home institution has an agreement with.														
<b>Course Registration</b>	The course registration depends on the programme students have applied for and not IO. Same goes for signing of any documents, such as learning agreements, etc. For some of the programmes students will need to submit a subject choice form. These forms are available on our webpage. The definite registration usually takes place upon arrival. All course/academic matters are handled by the programmes														
<b>Language(s) of Instruction</b>	Subjects offered to exchange students are taught in English														
<b>Language Proficiency</b>	The Hague University of Applied Sciences does not require a language test but relies on its partner institutions to evaluate their student's English proficiency and make sure that the level is sufficient to cope with the study programme. A specific minimum level of English may be specified in the exchange agreement between your home institution and THUAS.														
<b>Grading System</b>	Each module or subject taught at The Hague University of Applied Sciences is worth a number of ECTS. One ECTS credit represents 28 hours of full-time study. The Dutch grading scale consists of numbers running from 1 to 10, where 1 is the lowest grade, 10 the highest and 5,5 the lowest passing grade. <table border="1" data-bbox="505 995 1453 1255"> <tr> <td>Grade/ Meaning</td> <td>Grade/ Meaning</td> </tr> <tr> <td>10/ Outstanding*</td> <td>5/ Almost Satisfactory</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9/ Very Good*</td> <td>4/ Unsatisfactory</td> </tr> <tr> <td>8/ Good</td> <td>3/ Very Unsatisfactory *</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7/ More than Satisfactory</td> <td>2/ Poor*</td> </tr> <tr> <td>6/ Satisfactory</td> <td>1/ Very Poor*</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">* The grades 1-3 are hardly ever awarded and 9 and 10 are very rare</td> </tr> </table>	Grade/ Meaning	Grade/ Meaning	10/ Outstanding*	5/ Almost Satisfactory	9/ Very Good*	4/ Unsatisfactory	8/ Good	3/ Very Unsatisfactory *	7/ More than Satisfactory	2/ Poor*	6/ Satisfactory	1/ Very Poor*	* The grades 1-3 are hardly ever awarded and 9 and 10 are very rare	
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<b>Documents and Transcripts</b>	At the end of the students' exchange, any Erasmus documents (such as learning agreements, statements of attendance, etc.) and transcripts of records are taken care of by the <u>programme/faculty</u> with which they were registered as an exchange student. The International Office can only redirect you to them, so please contact the programme coordinator directly.														

### Practical Information

<b>Living Expenses</b>	On average, students living and studying in the Netherlands spend between €871,-- and € 1100,-- a month. For more information about living costs and other expenses you can check: <a href="http://www.studyinholland.nl/practical-matters/daily-expenses">http://www.studyinholland.nl/practical-matters/daily-expenses</a>
<b>Insurance</b>	It is compulsory to have an adequate health insurance in The Netherlands. More information: <a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/insurance">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/insurance</a>
<b>Immigration</b>	The Hague University of Applied Sciences has to apply on behalf of non-EU/EER students for the entry visa and/or residence permit, students cannot do this themselves. You have to submit the applicable documents to the International Office via our online application system. More information: <a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/immigration-procedures-exchange">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/immigration-procedures-exchange</a>

<b>Pick-up Service</b>	A pick-up service is available for our international students, during specific dates and hours. More information on our Pick-up Service and other services we provide for international students: <a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/arrival-formalities">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/arrival-formalities</a>
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### Accommodation Information

<b>Is Accommodation offered?</b>	Students are responsible to arrange accommodation themselves, and are free to make their own arrangements. The Hague University cooperates with a number of different housing partners. For this, the student is asked to pay a housing fee of €250,-. More information can be found on: <a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/housing">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/housing</a>
<b>Cost of Accommodation</b>	Students may expect to pay 300-800 Euro per month depending on the room being offered furnished/unfurnished and service costs. More information can be found on: <a href="https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/housing">https://www.thehagueuniversity.com/practical-matters/international-student-services/international-office/housing</a>

### Academic Calendar

The academic year consists of two semesters. A semester represents half a year's study time (30 ECTS).

At THUAS a semester is divided in two terms.

#### **DATES ARE CURRENTLY PRELIMINARY AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGES**

<b>Autumn Semester</b>	The beginning of September - end January/beginning of February. The actual starting date depends on the programme. More information will be provided by the programme..
<b>Spring Semester</b>	The end of January/beginning of February - end of June/mid-July. The actual ending date depends on the programme. More information will be provided by the programme.
<b>Holidays 2020/2021</b>	
<b>Autumn holidays</b>	Monday 19 October 2020 - Friday 23 October 2020 (Week 43)
<b>Christmas holidays</b>	Monday 21 December 2020 - Friday 1 January 2021
<b>Spring holidays</b>	Monday 22 February 2021 - Friday 26 February 2021 (Week 8)
<b>Easter holidays</b>	Friday 2 April 2021 - Monday 5 April 2021
<b>King's Birthday</b>	Tuesday 27 April 2021
<b>Liberation day</b>	Wednesday 5 May 2021
<b>Ascension holidays</b>	Thursday 13th May 2021 – Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> May 2021
<b>Whitsun holidays</b>	Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> May 2021
<b>Summer holidays</b>	Monday July 17 <sup>th</sup> 2021 – Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> August 2021