

## **BTH Fact Sheet**

## 2017/2018

Name of the Institution	Blekinge Institute of Technology
Erasmus ID	S KARLSKR01
ECHE	29429-LA-1-2014-1-SE-E4AKA1-ECHE
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Website	www.bth.se/eng
International Office	<ul> <li>Email: <u>in.exchange@bth.se</u> (Incoming students) <u>out.exchange@bth.se</u> (Outgoing students) <u>staff.exchange@bth.se</u> (staff mobility)</li> <li>Address: Blekinge Institute of Technology International Office / Student Affairs Office Campus Gräsvik SE-371 79 Karlskrona Sweden</li> <li>Noel Munigala, International Coordinator Erasmus + Incoming students, Minor Field Studies, Linnaeus-Palme. Phone: +46(0)455 38 52 07 Email: noel.munigala@bth.se</li> <li>Åsa Bejdevi, International Coordinator</li> </ul>
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Nominations	<ul> <li>Nomination emails should be sent by the home university to in.exchange@bth.se and should include the following information:</li> <li>Student's name</li> <li>Date of birth</li> <li>Nationality</li> <li>Field of study</li> <li>Study Level (Bachelor or Master)</li> <li>Exchange period requested</li> <li>Email address</li> </ul>
	Deadlines for nominations:         Erasmus+ programme         Autumn semester 2017       March 15 - May 01         Spring semester 2018       October 15 - November 15         Other exchange programmes         Autumn semester 2017       March 15 - April 15         Spring semester 2018       September 15 - October 15
Applications	Once the home university's nomination has been received by International Office, an <u>online application form</u> must be filled out by the nominated student. The password to the online application system will be sent by email to the nominated student. Together with the online application the following documents should be prepared;
	<ul> <li>Application form, which is generated after the online nomination (must be printed and signed by the home university and the student)</li> <li>Transcript of Records including <u>all</u> your previous university studies (must be translated to English if not already in English with an official stamp and signature)</li> <li>Learning Agreement (signed by the home university and the student)</li> <li>Personal letter</li> <li>Curriculum Vitae</li> <li>Copy of passport</li> </ul>

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Academic calendar	Autumn term 2017 <ul> <li>Introduction day: August 25</li> <li>Study period 1: August 28 —October 29</li> <li>Study period 2: October 30—January 14</li> </ul> <li>Spring term 2018 <ul> <li>Introduction day: January 12</li> <li>Study period 3: January 15—March 25</li> <li>Study period 4: March 26—June 4</li> </ul> </li>
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	<ul> <li>At BTH, one of the following scales is to be employed:</li> <li>G, Ux, U (G Pass, Ux Insufficient, supplementation required, U Fail)</li> <li>A, B, C, D, E, FX, F (A Excellent, B Very good, C Good, D Satisfactory, E Sufficient, FX Insufficient, supplementation required, F Fail).</li> <li>Grades are given for course items and for complete courses, by the examiner.</li> </ul>
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. <u>Blekinge Student Union</u> can provide you with information about student accommodation in Karlskrona and Ronneby. <u>https://www.bth.se/eng/education/study-at-bth/exchange-studies/accommodation/</u>
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> <li>Food: 2000 SEK</li> <li>Accommodation: 3750 SEK</li> <li>Local travels: 560 SEK</li> <li>Telephone/ Internet: 300 SEK</li> <li>Insurance, medical care and hygiene: 300 SEK</li> <li>Hobby/Leisure, miscellaneous: 1100 SEK Total: 8010 SEK</li> <li>Read more about cost of living at <u>www.studyinsweden.se</u>.</li> </ul>
Useful links	<ul> <li>www.visitkarlskrona.se</li> <li>www.visitblekinge.se</li> <li>www.studyinsweden.se</li> <li>http://youtu.be/059PRzUJnIA</li> </ul>