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UNIVERSIDAD DE CORDOBA

Erasmus KA103 Factsheet University of Córdoba (UCO) 2021-2022

A. Information about higher education institution

Name of the institution	Erasmus code	Contact details	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
UNIVERSITY OF CORDOBA	E CORDOBA01	<p>Institutional Coordinator: Prof.^a Dra. Enriqueta Moyano Cañete <u>Email:</u> relaciones-internacionales@uco.es</p> <p><u>Postal Address:</u> International Relations Office Rectorate. University of Cordoba Avenida Medina Azahara, nº 5 14071 Cordoba (Spain)</p> <p><u>Incoming Students:</u> erasmus-incoming@uco.es</p> <p><u>Incoming Staff</u> movilidad.profesorado@uco.es movilidad.pas@uco.es</p> <p>Academic Coordinators: http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/contact-us-en#international-coordinators</p>	<p>http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/</p> <p>http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/courses#courses</p>

The registration procedure for incoming students who wish to complete a period of study at the University of Córdoba is now available on the website <http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en>

Students have to fill in the on-line application **from 1st April to 30th June 2021** (first term and full academic year).

Please note that the **2nd term** application procedure will be available from **1st October to 31st December 2021** on the web. Those students have to fill in the on-line application form before **31st December 2021**.

After completing the on-line procedure, we will only after confirmation by the department that we will send to your students the official acceptance letters.

B. Calendar

1. Applications/information regarding nominated students must be submitted by the following deadlines:

Autumn term* (and full year)	Spring term*
31 May 2021	30 November 2021

Nominations must be sent to the International Mobility Coordinator from this link:

<http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/contact-us-en#international-coordinators>

2. Send the letter of admission within a maximum of 6 weeks after receiving the paper application (printed online application).
3. In order to complete the admission application form for Exchange students, it is necessary that the student will enter in our Register Service:
<http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/how-to-register>
4. Issue a Transcript of Records no later than 5 weeks after the assessment period has finished at UCO.

Other important dates

*Academic calendar 2021-22: <http://www.uco.es/organizacion/secretariageneral/calendario-academico>

- Autumn term: Sep, 9. 2021 – 22 Dec. 2021
- Spring term: Feb, 14. 2022 – 25 May 2022

C. Academic Information

Academic Offer in English: <http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/courses#courses>

Academic Offer in Spanish: <http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/courses>

1. Exams

Every student is entitled to two examination opportunities, per course, per academic year. Students are automatically registered for exams and resit exams (no extra subscription or payment is necessary).

EXAMS PERIOD:

Autumn term: Jan, 10-24 2022

Spring term: May, 30 –Jun, 18 2022

SPECIAL EXAMS PERIOD:

Autumn term: Jan, 31 – feb, 12. 2022

Spring term: Jun, 27. –Jul, 9 2022

2. Grading systems of the institutions

University of Córdoba: Student performance is graded individually and not on a statistical basis.

The grading scale ranges from 0 to 10 (5 or highest is a passing grade)

More information at:

<https://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/images/documentos/EquivalenceMarksECTS.pdf>

D. Language requirements

Most modules and exams are carried out in Spanish language. Course courses in English are detailed here: <http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/courses#courses>

Erasmus+ students are not required to present a specific language certificate and do not need to pass a specific language level test.

Language courses:

Erasmus+ students with knowledge of B2 Spanish or less are encouraged to participate in the intensive courses before starting their studies in Cordoba. The courses are free of charge and offered for two weeks in September-October (for first semester or full year students) and January-February (for second semester students). The venue is UCOIdiomas (University of Córdoba's Language center).

More information on: <https://www.uco.es/idiomas/spanish-for-foreigners/>

E. Accommodation

Information and assistance:

Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
A) Residence Hall: The University of Córdoba has its own Residence Hall. The price is aprox. EUR 650-700 per month (food, accommodation and leisure facilities included). Email: alojamiento@uco.es	http://www.uco.es/servicios/alojamiento/
B) UCO students Buddy Programme: will help incoming students find accommodation (sharing flats is the most frequent option). The academic coordinator of their faculty/school can provide information regarding this option.	http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/contact-us-en#international-coordinators

F. Cost of living

The overall cost of living for a regular student in Cordoba is approximately EUR 500-600 per month, including housing, food, books, study materials, transports, etc.

More information at: <http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/about-uco/10-withoutcategory/48-practical-information>

G. Visa

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outbound students participating in mobility programs.

Information and assistance:

Contact details	Website for information
movilidad.convenios@uco.es	http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/visas

H. Insurance

Erasmus+ students must present adequate medical coverage for their stay in Spain, in accordance with current regulations of their place of residence and / or the Spanish Consulate or Embassy where they apply for their visa.

In addition, it is compulsory to have travel and accident insurance before arrival at the University of Cordoba. Incoming students can obtain the same insurance coverage that the University of Cordoba offers its own students, which is private but has a special price (approximately EUR 19). More information at:

<https://aties.acetravelinsurance.com/CumLaude/PA/Quote> (*'Programa de Intercambio'* Option)

Other travel and accident insurance with equivalent coverage may also be accepted and must equally be presented.

It is also highly recommended for all EU citizens to obtain the European Health Insurance Card (EHIC blue card) before their arrival.

I. Additional Information

The Faculties of the University of Córdoba help incoming students (buddy program) with practical issues like opening a bank account, registration procedures, etc...

<http://www.uco.es/internacional/movilidad/es/contacta-coordinadores>

The University of Córdoba welcomes students and staff with disabilities and offers special service through its Servicio de Atención a la Diversidad (Disability Resource Centre). Learn more at: <http://www.uco.es/servicios/sad/>

More promotional information is available at:

<http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/en/about-uco#catalogue>