



Do have any dietary restrictions or allergies?

- Yes
- No

If Yes:

- Vegan
- Vegetarian
- Gluten
- Lactose
- Other

Contact Information

Email Address: _____
Mobile phone: (+ country code) _____
Street Name: _____
House Nr.: _____
Postal Code: _____
City: _____
Country: _____

Emergency Contact Information

Name: _____
Relationship: _____
Email Address: _____
Phone Number: (+ country code) _____

Motivation

Please tell us in a few sentences why you would like to join the “Semester in Amsterdam” programme (max 100 words). Please write legibly!
Here you can find testimonials from our student ambassadors:
<https://www.vu.nl/en/programmes/short/semester/student-experiences/index.aspx>



EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

Are you currently attending a university or college?

- Yes
- No

Home Institution: _____

Main Program of Study (Major/Specialization): *e.g. Bachelor of Biology - Microbiology*

Current Year of Study:

- First year Bachelor
- Second year Bachelor
- Third year Bachelor
- Fourth year Bachelor
- Master

Grade Average on American or European Scale: _____

Have you already completed a university degree?

- Yes
- No

If ye: Institution Name: _____

Field of Study: *e.g. Bachelor of Biology*

Degree obtained:

- Bachelor
- Master
- PhD
- Other: _____



Current Studies

Please list all the courses (titles) that you are currently enrolled in and that do not (yet) appear on your transcript:

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

Have you completed or are you following a fully English-taught programme?

- Yes
- No

Do you use English in your daily life?

- Yes
- No

Knowledge of speaking English

- Native
- Good
- Adequate
- Poor

Knowledge of reading English

- Native
- Good
- Adequate
- Poor

Official English language test scores are required for non-native English speakers who wish to take Master-level courses. Test scores are not required for applicants wishing to take Bachelor-level courses only.

I have an official English test result:

Name of Test: _____
Test Score: _____ Test Date: _____



ACADEMIC / DISABILITY ACCOMMODATIONS

I need academic or disability accommodation (e.g. extra time during exams)

- Yes No

STUDY PLAN

For which semester(s) would you like to apply?

- Fall Semester
 Spring Semester
 Full Year

Year: _____

Course Selection

The academic year at VU Amsterdam is divided into two semesters. The first (Fall) semester consists of *periods 1-3* and runs from September to January. The second (Spring) semester consists of *periods 4-6* and runs from February to June. Students generally take two courses in the first two periods of the semester (=4 courses). You can also choose to take an extra course in one period. You can also choose to skip the last period and return home in June or December. Please read all information on this website before you list your course wishes: <https://www.vu.nl/en/programmes/short/semester/course-selection-process/index.aspx>

You must submit course selections with your application. You will have the opportunity to make changes later. Please first refer to the Course Selection Process. Please write down the course name, course code and amount of ECTS credits. You do not have to put a course in each space. Please only list a maximum of 30 ECTS (usually 5 courses).

If a course spans two periods, you can submit the course information under the period in which the course starts.

Study Period	Course Title	Course Code	ECTS
Period 1/4			
Period 1/4			
Period 1/4 (extra)			
Period 2/5			



Period 2/5			
Period 2/5 (extra)			
Period 3/6			
<i>Please list 2 back-up courses</i>			
Back up 1			
Back up 2			

ACCOMMODATION: STUDENT HOUSING

Private housing in Amsterdam is extremely limited. Dutch students are on waiting lists of 18+ months and there are many scams. Every year there are students who end up going home after two weeks because they lost their money to fake housing companies or cannot afford hotel costs anymore. Unless you have friends or family in Amsterdam we strongly recommend choosing one of our accommodation options.

We guarantee furnishes accommodation for all students that apply by the official application deadline (1 October for Spring, 1 April for September). Please note that the housing costs are not included in the tuition. You can find more information about housing here: <https://www.vu.nl/en/programmes/short/semester/housing/index.aspx>.

Do you want to apply for accommodation arranged by us? *

- Yes, I would like to receive housing through Semester in Amsterdam.
- No, I do not need housing through Semester in Amsterdam.

PAYMENT PLAN – TWO OPTIONS

One payment

- *You will receive one invoice after being accepted into the Semester in Amsterdam programme.*
- *The payment deadlines are 1 June (for Fall) or 1 November (for Spring).*



Two payments

- *First Invoice of 4.000 € is due within 30 days of acceptance into the Semester in Amsterdam programme.*
- *Second invoice of remaining fees is due 1 July (for Fall) or 1 December (for Spring).*

I wish to pay:

- in one payment.
- in two payments.

I hereby confirm that I have read and agree with the [General Terms and Conditions](#).

- Yes, I have read the [General Terms and Conditions](#).

DECLARATION AND CERTIFICATION

I hereby declare that the information provided on this application is correct and complete, including my declaration of citizenship and immigration status. I understand that misrepresentation of this data may result in cancellation of my study abroad registration at Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam.

Applicant Signature: _____

Place, Date (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

All applicants must also sign below!

Authorization for IEC to process the application

I hereby permit International Education Centre (IEC Online GmbH) to submit the information which I have provided on this application form to Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam via an electronic online application form created and maintained by Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam.

Applicant Signature: _____

Place, Date (mm/dd/yyyy): _____

Please submit your application with all required documents to IEC via regular mail:

IEC Online GmbH, Bewerbungsbetreuung, Marienstrasse 19/20, 10117 Berlin, Germany