

Name of University /	University of Akureyri
Faculty	
University Erasmus	IS AKUREYR01
Code	
International Office	Solborg, v/Nordurslod, 600 Akureyri, Iceland
address	
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weblink:	

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Courses for	Are students allowed to take particular single courses from other faculties besides the one an agree
incoming	Website that lists all the courses for incoming students:
students:	➡ https://ugla.unak.is/kennsluskra/index.php?tab=nam&chapter=leit&kennsluar=2017&sence
	<u>1&namskeidstegund=&namsleid=&kennslutungumal=7&adeins_kenndnamskeid=on</u>
	Are there programmes taught completely in English?
	http://english.unak.is/humanities-and-social-sciences/faculty-of-social-sciences/faculty-of-law/po
	Minimum work load per semester: 15 ECTS
	Maximum work load per semester: 30 ECTS
Study	Bachelor 🔀
Levels	Master 🖂
acceptable	
for student	
exchange	
Language	Intensive Language Preparation Course in Icelandic for Exchange students is hosted by the
course (in	University Center of the West Fjords in north-west Iceland. https://www.uw.is/icelandic_courses/
domestic	
language)	
Orientation	Yes: 🖂
week?	If yes, please state the dates for all semester/trimesters!
(Information	Dates: depends on the month date each year. Normally at the end of August for autumn semester and in
and	http://english.unak.is/about/moya/page/calendar
introduction,	Not offered: 🗌
getting to	
know each	
other,)	



Application deadlines	For the autumn semester	For the spring semester
for Exchange Students	15th of May	1st of November
Semesters / Terms	Fall/Winter semester	Spring/Summer semester
Are both semesters	Start :around 20th of August	Start: around 3rd of January
open to exchange	End: around 15th of December	End: around 10th of May
students?		
Other academic	http://english.unak.is/about/page/calendar	
calendar? (Trimester,		
Quarter,)		

GENERAL INFORMATION

Basic information about characteristics of University:		The University of Akureyri Nordurslod 2 600 Akureyri, Iceland Tel: +354 460 8000 Fax: +354 460 8999 The University was founded in September 1987 with the establishment of faculties in health sciences and industrial management. The University is divided into three Schools; School of Business and
		Science, School of Humanities and Social Sciences and School of Health Sciences. The number of students is around 1700 and members of staff are around 180. <u>http://english.unak.is/about/</u>
Accommodation	Student residence available for exchange students? <u>http://www.festaha.is/is/english</u>	
information	Help available for renting flats? The International Office assists exchange students	
	in finding housing for the academic year/semester (August 15th - May 15th).	
	Exchange students do therefore not have to make other arrangements concerning	
	housing unless they wish to. In that case, the International Office must be	
	notified immediately.	
	Information webpage for housing and email address of housing manager /	
	organization? http://english.unak.is/students/incoming-exchange-	
	students/student-housing	
	Place guaranteed? Yes	
	Deadlines or other important specific information? The same deadline as for applying	
	for an exchange	



Approximate	Accommodation	€ 400-515 / month	
Expenses	Lunch at student canteens	€ 6-10/ per meal	
	Local transport	€ free / month or term	
	Cost of living can be found here: http://www.numbeo.com/cost-of-		
	living/country result.jsp?country=Iceland		
Visas, permits	For Citizens of the EU and EEA ? No		
and insurance	Health insurance? Yes		
	Residence permit? Yes after arrival		
	Other legal issues? No		
International	Is there a document online that students should read before coming to your		
Student Guide	university? http://english.unak.is/static/files/althjodatengsl/incoming-student-		
	handbook-2017-2018.pdf		
	(Information about city, country, sight-seeing, night life, culture, leisure activities,		
	etc.?) <u>http://www.visitakureyri.is/</u>		