





FACT SHEET 2016-2017

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List of partner institutions	www.metropolia.fi/en/about-us/international-metropolia/partner-institutions/

FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY: STUDIES AND APPLICATION PROCESS

DEGREE PROGRAMMES IN THE FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY

Bachelor's degree programmes in English:

Electronics, Environmental Engineering, Information Technology, Sustainable Building Engineering

Bachelor's degree programmes in Finnish:

Automotive Engineering, Biotechnology and Chemical Engineering, Building Services Engineering, Civil Engineering, Construction Architecture, Construction Site Management, Electrical Engineering and Automation Technology, Energy and Environmental Engineering, Industrial Management, Information and Communication Technology, Laboratory Sciences, Land Surveying Technology, Mechanical Engineering

CONTACT INFORMATION / FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY

Degree Programmes (Bachelor's): Automotive Engineering, Civil Engineering, Sustainable Building Engineering (tuition in English), Electronics (tuition in English), Construction Architecture, Construction Site Management, Electrical Engineering and Automation Technology (Helsinki), Energy and Environmental Engineering, Information and Communication Technology (Helsinki), Mechanical Engineering

Degree Programmes (Master's): Electrical Engineering and Automation Technology (Helsinki), Construction and Real Estate Management



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Degree Programmes (Bachelor's): Electrical Engineering and Automation Technology (Vantaa), Biotechnology and Chemical Engineering, Laboratory Sciences, Environmental Engineering (tuition in English)

International Semesters: Laboratory Sciences

Degree Programmes (Master's): Electrical Engineering and Automation Technology (Vantaa)

Degree Programmes (Bachelor's): Information Technology (tuition in English), Building Services Engineering, Construction Site Management (Espoo), Industrial Management, Information and Communication Technology (Espoo), Land Surveying Technology

International Semesters: Industrial Management

Degree Programmes (Master's): Information Technology (tuition in English); Business Informatics (tuition in English); Building Services Engineering

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learning agreements

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See Metropolia's Study Guide

See below section Studies available for exchange students

ACADEMIC CALENDAR / FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY

	Electronics, Environmental Engineering, Laboratory Sciences, Sustainable Building Engineering: August 22 - December 16, 2016
Autumn semester	Information Technology, Industrial Management International Semesters: August 29 - December 16, 2016
	Please note that exchange students can apply to the ICT Summer School organized in August 2016. Please see below for more information.
Orientation for incoming exchange students / autumn	TBC; approximately one week before the start of the semester.
Spring semester	January 16 - May 25, 2016
Orientation for incoming exchange students / spring	TBC; approximately one week before the start of the semester.
Time and place of arrival	All students are expected to arrive before the orientation for incoming exchange students. The closest international airport is the Helsinki airport.

APPLICATION / FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY

Application information	www.metropolia.fi/exchange
Application periods	Autumn semester and academic year: 15 March – 1 May Spring semester: 15 September – 1 November
Required application documents	All students must be nominated by the international coordinator of the home institution.
	Application documents for all applicants: - Online application (including motivation letter, max. 1,000 characters incl. spaces) - Transcript of Records in English (study transcript) - Learning Agreement - Passport sized photo

Additionally in case of project application, following documents are required:

- CV in English
- proposal for the project topic/theme

These documents should be uploaded to the online application system by given deadline. No originals are required.

NB: All students are expected to be able to follow and take part in tuition in English. In order to successfully complete studies at Metropolia, **level B2 in English** on the <u>CEFR scale</u> is highly recommended for all applicants. Please note that this evaluation is based on self-assessment; we do not require certificates of language skills.



STUDIES AVAILABLE FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS			
Lists of available courses	See Metropolia's Study Guide > Field of Technology.		
Degree Programmes in English	Bachelor's degree programmes in English: Electronics, Environmental Engineering, Information Technology, Sustainable Building Engineering		
	Exchange Student Intake: Please note that some degree programmes / courses / semesters have limitations to the intake for incoming exchange students.		
International Semesters in English	Industrial Management International Semesters: - Industrial Management International Semester: Global ICT Business (Autumn and Spring semesters of the 3rd year), approx. 30 ECTS - Industrial Management International Semester: Supply Chain Management (Autumn semester of the 3rd year), approx. 30 ECTS		
	Laboratory Sciences: - International Semester in Autumn 2016, approx. 30 ECTS The following Finglish to sold the property of the following Finglish for		
Study opportunities for exchange students in Degree Programmes in Finnish	 The following Finnish-taught degree programmes offer study opportunities in English for incoming exchange students in academic year 2016-2017: Biotechnology and Chemical Engineering: In Autumn 2016: Materials Technology (10 ECTS), Current Topics in Materials and Surface Engineering (5 ECTS), Innovation Project (10 ECTS), Product Development Project (10 ECTS), New Products in the Field of Biotechnology and Chemical Engineering (5 ECTS ICT Degree Programme: Major in Health Technology: Innovation Project (10 ECTS, only in autumn) Automotive Engineering: Innovation Project (10 ECTS) or project in Metropolia Formula-team (10-30 ECTS) Mechanical Engineering: Innovation Project (10 ECTS) 		
Lists of available courses for each semester	Please note that incoming exchange students are advised to primarily choose courses from the field of technology degree programmes where tuition is organised in English. Project opportunities are available only in a few programmes. To avoid the risk of time-table clashes, the incoming exchange students are recommended to take courses mainly from one degree programme. For course lists and detailed information, please see Metropolia's Study Guide . The course lists will be updated during spring 2016.		
Summer School 2016	The Degree Programme in Information and Communication Technology organises a Summer School in August 2016, for the 16th time. Please note that there are courses available also for		

students studying other subjects. There are no tuition fees for the courses for students of Metropolia's partner universities. All Summer School courses are taught in English. More information about the courses in the Summer School can be found by April 2016 at the Summer School website.



Extracurricular activities







ACCOMMODATION	
Information on accommodation	Metropolia cooperates with the Foundation for Student Housing in the Helsinki Region (HOAS). Metropolia has reserved a limited quota of furnished HOAS rooms. More information about accommodation in Metropolia 's Study Guide and www.hoas.fi .
Application periods for exchange	The application periods for exchange student housing at HOAS are:
student housing	1 April - 5 May for students applying for the autumn semester/full academic year
	1 October - 5 November for students applying for the spring semester.
	NB! Submit your application as early as possible during the HOAS application period. The available rooms are offered in the order the applications are submitted. However, offers will be sent to students via e-mail only after Metropolia has confirmed the selected students. Due to the limited number of furnished exchange student rooms, please note that applying by the deadline does not guarantee housing at HOAS.
ARRIVAL INFORMATION	
Immigration	See information about immigration in Metropolia's Study Guide. The most up-to-date information is available at the Finnish Immigration Service website. Metropolia will also send immigration information to accepted exchange students.
Pick-up service	Exchange students can apply for a pick-up service. The service includes the help of a student tutor who will bring the keys of the HOAS room to the airport and take the exchange student to the apartment. In order to get the free service, fill in the Electronic Arrival Form approximately one month prior to arrival in Finland at the latest.
Cost of living	See more about the cost of living in Metropolia's Study Guide.
SERVICES FOR EXCHANGE STUDE	INTS
Student tutoring	The Student Union Metka organises student tutoring for incoming exchange students. Student tutors will meet the exchange students on their arrival and help them at the beginning of the semester and throughout their stay. If you want a student tutor, fill in the Electronic Arrival Form one month prior to arrival in Finland at the latest.
Language courses	Possibility to take part in several Finnish for Exchange Students courses (3 ECTS)

organised on different campuses. The courses are free of charge.

For further information, see **ESN Metropolia on Facebook**.

Trips, excursions and events are organised regularly by the <u>local ESN section</u>.