



# Linnaeus University

Bachelor

1 semester exchange

2018 September 3 - 2019 January 20

## Introduction



Linnaeus University is one of Sweden's newest higher education institutions. The university was formed when the University of Kalmar and Växjö University merged in 2010.

Linnaeus University is located in Kalmar and Växjö. Approximately 31,000 students in 150 degree programmes and 2,500 single-subject courses. It covers the humanities, social sciences, natural sciences and engineering, and represents a number of well-established research domains.

## Exchange Programs

One year programs and single subject courses in a wide variety of academic and vocational disciplines. Around 500 single-subject courses are given in English.

The learning environment is characterized by an active student life with teaching and research staff in close proximity to students.

- Students coming under university agreements are entitled to apply for courses from all schools/faculties, however, all students must fulfill the specific entry requirements for each course they apply for.
- All students must be admitted to full time studies (30 credits per semester) of campus courses in order to be able to apply for a residence permit for studies (visa). Note that online courses are usually not accepted by the migration agency as part of the credit load needed for approval of residence permit.
- Students are admitted to courses on a first come, first served basis, based on the application date. The possibilities to switch courses after the application is processed are limited and there is no add/drop period after arrival to Linnaeus University.

## Application Documents

- English Resume
- Certificate of English proficiency (CET4/CET6/IELTS/TOEFL,ect.)
- Motivation Letter (in English)
- Transcript  
(both Chinese and English version, must be stamped)
- Supporting Documents

**Application Deadline:** 11:30 March 14, 2018

**Interview:** March 22, 2018

## ■ Online APPLICATION (Deadline April 1, 2018)

When the nomination is confirmed, an e-mail with application information will be sent directly to the student with a copy to the coordinator. Apply for courses online.

- Scanned copy of official transcript of records in English. Unofficial transcripts may only be accepted if they are confirmed (signed and stamped) by an official representative of home university before they are uploaded.
- Course Application and Emergency Contact Form (link will be sent to student)
- Certificate of English proficiency for non-native speakers (link will be sent to student)
- Copy of passport (For EU citizens an identity card with nationality is sufficient).
- For second/master level students a copy of bachelor degree or similar proof/certificate signed by home university (in English).

## **ACCOMMODATION**

For students nominated under university wide bilateral agreements, USAC and ISEP, housing assistance is offered in both Kalmar and Växjö, provided that online application is completed by October 1. Eligible students will receive accommodation service automatically and do not need to apply separately for that. Rooms and apartments are distributed on a first-come, first-served basis. Students that are offered housing through Linnaeus University are required to pay three months' rent if exchange placement is cancelled later than four weeks prior to arrival.

## **USEFUL INFORMATION**

**The academic term dates for spring 2018:**

2018 September 3 - 2019 January 20. Mandatory Orientation for new students is arranged a couple of days before the start of the semester (dates to be confirmed).

## Fees

No Tuition fees. 4 Seats in total.

Admin. Fees in Beijing : 5000rmb

Estimated Expenses:

- Insurance ¥ 540
- Visa Application ¥825
- Accommodation ¥ 15000
- Flight Ticket ¥ 9000
- Living Expenses ¥14000

Student pay for accommodation, living expensed, etc. ?cost estimation?

Subsidies for qualified students. Seek for more: <https://lnu.se/en/education/exchange-studies/>