UPPSALA UNIVERSITY

“Uppsala University is the oldest university in Sweden, founded in 1477, where a living cultural heritage frames a fantastic student life. There are more than 40,000 students here and they are seen, heard and make their mark everywhere. The world-leading research and first-class education pursued here benefit society, business and culture on a global level. The University is characterised by diversity and breadth, with international frontline research at nine faculties and a wealth of educational choices at Bachelor’s, Master’s and PhD levels.”

Location
Sweden, Uppsala
How to Get There

By Air
You can travel from Cork to Stockholm with 1 or more stops flights. The closest airport to Uppsala is Stockholm Arlanda, situated approximately 35km south of the city. Public transport runs between Uppsala and Arlanda frequently, and includes buses, trains and taxis. Depending on the mode of transport you use, it will take between 20 and 45 minutes to travel from Arlanda to Uppsala.

How to Apply
Once you have been nominated as an Erasmus student by UCC, you will need to complete an online application on your host university website. Click here for more information about the application process.

Application Deadlines:
Academic Year or Fall Semester: 15th April
Spring Semester: 15th October

Modules/Subjects
Click here to view information regarding modules/subjects offered to Erasmus students at Uppsala University.

All exchange students have the chance to study a course in basic Swedish for free. A course worth 7.5 ECTS and runs every semester. This course is part time and designed to be taken parallel with your regular studies. Application takes place on arrival. For more information about the content of the Basic Swedish courses, see the Department of Scandinavian Languages.

Grading System

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<th>International scale</th>
<th>Swedish scale</th>
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<td>A (Excellent)</td>
<td>MVG - Mycket väl godkänd</td>
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<td>B (Very good, with few errors)</td>
<td>VG - Väl godkänd</td>
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<td>E (Good, with some errors. This is the minimum passing grade)</td>
<td>G - Godkänd</td>
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<td>F (Fail)</td>
<td>IG - Icke godkänd</td>
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In some cases, specific courses are graded using two grades: G - Godkänd (pass) or U - Underkänd (Fail)
Academic Calendar

Click here to view the academic calendar.

Autumn Semester
End of August – Mid-January
Spring Semester
Mid-January – Mid-June

Welcome Day and Orientation Week

To find out more about Orientation, you should go to Uppsala International Office once you arrive in Sweden.

Accommodation

Formal exchange students from exchange agreements with a good balance between incoming and outgoing students are given priority for student housing, given that they submit their housing application on time. Click here for further information.

Estimated Costs

Erasmus students do not pay registration/tuition fees to the host university. Travel expenses and living costs, however, are covered by each student. See the table below for estimated expenses students might have while living abroad. Please note that these are just rough estimates and will vary for each student, depending on their personal needs and choices.

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Extracurricular Activities

Click here to find out more about student life at Uppsala University.