EXCHANGE STUDIES
Chalmers International Mobility – Chalmers University of Technology
Information about exchange studies

• Studentportalen → Utlandsstudier

• The Student portal → Studies → Study in an exchange program

• Contact details to the international coordinators: Andreas, Ann-Marie, Elisabeth and Karolina (different countries)

• Update in progress!

• Email: studentexchange@chalmers.se
Why should you go on exchange?

- Easier to get a job after your education at Chalmers
- Surveys have shown that you get at higher salary (first job)
- You will get an international network
- Better in languages
- You will get a cultural experience
- Challenge yourself!
Global Exchange

• An exchange program that provides the opportunity to study at a partner university outside Europe - for one or two semesters.

• Application for Global Exchange is open for:
  - Högskoleingenjörer åk. 2
  - Studenter på Internationell logistik åk. 2
  - Civileingenjörer åk. 3
  - Arkitekter åk. 3
  - Masterprogram students year. 1 (NEW!)

• The courses taken abroad should be credited in the education at Chalmers.

• You pay no tuition fee at the partner university. But if you pay tuition fee at Chalmers – you must pay the tuition fee at Chalmers during your exchange.
The Search portal in the Student portal

Here you will find information about Chalmers’ partner universities

English: On the front page of "Study in an exchange program" in the Student portal.
The Search portal

Useful information about Chalmers’ partners

• Helps you to filter
• Sort by country and area of study
• More information about the university
• Number of seats
• Make sure there are courses that you can credit
• Be observant of language requirements, any language tests, bachelor’s degree requirements, visa requirements and other prerequisites
Travel reports

Useful information! (mostly in Swedish)

- Preparations
- Comments on the exchange
- Social aspects
- Practical information
- Selection of courses
- Accommodation
- Important things to have in mind
- Use Google Translate 😊
Important information for international students

• Check if you can rent out your apartment during your exchange.

• You will not be allowed to obtain a residence permit in Sweden for the semester that you will be abroad.

• You cannot go on exchange to your home country.

• If you pay tuition fee at Chalmers – you have to pay the tuition fee during your exchange (to Chalmers, not to the partner university).

• If you receive a scholarship – check if it possible to go on exchange.
Scholarship & Insurance

• You have an insurance from Chalmers during your exchange (Kammarkollegiet).

• Within Global Exchange, students receive a grant from Chalmers.

• If you are eligible for CSN – you can apply for studies abroad.
Application

• Apply in MoveOn → Link in the Student portal.
• Rank up to 4 options (NEW!)
• Fill in the application.
• You must also state one / a couple of courses (at the partner universities) that you are interested in and that you think you can credit.
• Information on selection principles can be found in the Student portal (at the moment only in Swedish) → Regler för ansökan och urval.
Important dates

Study in an exchange program → Apply for student exchange
Utlandsstudier → Viktiga datum

• Global Exchange and UNITECH: 1 Nov – 1 Dec
• Erasmus+: 15 Jan – 15 Feb

More information about the exchange program Erasmus+ will come later.
Students’ opinions about exchange studies:

- The exchange was the best I have ever done!
- It was challenging at times - but overall, very fun.
- I broadened my experience in every possible way.
- Studying in another country gave me life experience and friends for life.
- I was incredibly nervous before I left but now know that the trip was worth all the nerves!
- Going on an exchange is a fantastic opportunity, which I really recommend everyone to take advantage of.

Keep in mind! Exchange studies require a lot of your own responsibility; you must be able to follow instructions and deadlines etc. You must manage a lot of things on your own.
The information in the Student portal is continuously updated. Can be a little bit confusing at the moment.

When the application opens on November 1, all information will be in place.

Thank you for your patience!
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What is UNITECH?

A unique exchange program, opening the doors to personal development and MANY opportunities!

12 Companies
Active Alumni Network
8 Universities

Developing Tomorrow’s Technology Leaders Today!
UNITECH: A network of professional possibilities
What is a UNITECH Exchange?
- More than an Exchange Semester

A UNITECH exchange is divided into 3 main modules that together create the unique experience!

Internship
- Gain real work experience
- World leading companies in their respective fields
- Tailormade internships for your ambitions

Academic Exchange
- 8 leading technical universities
- Switzerland, Ireland and UK universities (non-ERASMUS) included

Coaching Modules
- Personal growth
- Teamwork and diverse environment
- Networking opportunities
- Self-reflection and feedback

Engineering a network of professional possibilities
Do you have Questions or want more Information?

Contact the Local Alumni Team or Local Chalmers Coordinator
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Local Alumni Team
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Useful Links

Official UNITECH webpage
(Corporate partner information, academic partner information, etc.)

Chalmers UNITECH Page
(Application stages, contact information, detailed information)

UNITECH Instagram
(Insights on program aspects)

Video about UNITECH

Next Info Sessions

- 12/10 17.30-18.30, Chalmers info session 1 and Q/A possibility
Join HERE, passcode: Unitech

- 15/11 17.30-18.30, Chalmers info session 2 and Q/A possibility
Join HERE, passcode: Unitech2

More information about UNITECH in the Student portal!

If you have any questions or just want to hear about what makes UNITECH the best exchange program out there, don’t hesitate to make contact! We are happy to meet for a coffee or answer your questions over Zoom!