

*We look very much forward your upcoming exchange with us and we hope you will enjoy your stay in Barcelona!*

*You will find below all the important information you may need!*

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<b>Teaching model</b>	At this moment, the Faculty of Economics and Business is working to conduct classes and evaluations, whenever it is possible, in a face to face setting. However, at this moment, we also expect that some degree of blended options will have to be applied to some courses. Please, bear in mind that, in organizing the academic activity, the health and safety of the community that forms the Faculty of Economics and Business (UB) remain our top priority. Therefore, we will strictly follow the regulations established by the Health Authorities. In a context still characterized by uncertainty and changing scenarios due to the Covid-19, this may suppose that the modalities foreseen at this moment -face to face and blended- may change if necessary.
<b>International exchange students webpage</b>	We have a new webpage for the international relations area at our Faculty! Please, consult all the information we make available for international exchange students there! Access to the new website <a href="#">here</a> .
<b>International students' Guide</b>	In order to get ready for your stay in Barcelona, please check the <a href="#">Student Guide for Incoming students</a> . You will find a lot of useful information here! Don't miss anything!
<b>Accommodation</b>	Regarding the accommodation options available in Barcelona, you can consult the following <a href="#">link</a> . The UB works with <a href="#">Barcelona Centre Universitari (BCU)</a> , which cooperates with most of the Catalan universities. BCU is a tool of the Government of Catalonia, the Barcelona City Council and the universities. BCU provides students with various accommodation options. Their accommodation service is called " <a href="#">Resa Housing</a> " and is oriented towards temporary students.  It is important to use the official resources regarding accommodation. In case anything occurs, we can only intervene in case the accommodation has been booked through the oficial providers.
<b>Courses and course registration</b>	The registration of courses has already been done. If you have had any problem, there will be a modification period in September, open also to those students who missed the registration of courses period. Be aware that some courses are already full and that you will have to have some alternatives for each of your preferred courses.  You can check all the information about the courses of the Faculty of Economics and Business <a href="#">here</a> .  If you are interested, you can also take courses at other faculties of the University of Barcelona (but you will need to take at least the 51% of courses at our Faculty). To check the other Faculties of the UB and see their contact details, please check the <a href="#">following link</a> . You can contact directly the faculty in which you are interested to enroll some course and ask them which procedure should you follow in order to do so.
<b>Academic calendar</b>	Please, check the academic calendar of our Faculty in the following link: <a href="#">Academic calendar 2021-2022</a> .  It is very important that you take into account that: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">The Welcome session will be on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> of September</a>.</li></ul> So, despite classes will start on Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> of September, <a href="#">be aware that you all have to be in Barcelona for the mandatory Welcome Session</a> . We will give a lot of important information and you will have the chance to meet our buddies as well!
<b>Check-in at your arrival in Barcelona</b>	The check-in will take place at the International Relations Office of the Faculty of Economics and Business from the 3 <sup>rd</sup> to the 10 <sup>th</sup> of September, by prior appointment. If you have not yet scheduled your appointment, send us an email and once we are back, we will let you know the still available spots for the check in.  For the check in, you will need to bring the following documents: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Photocopy of your Passport or ID</li><li>• Two copies of the Health, Accidents and Repatriation Insurance. Please notice that these insurances are mandatory, check <a href="#">all the information here</a>.</li><li>• One passport-sized photo</li><li>• Printed course registration form (you will be able to print your final course selection after the online selection of courses).</li></ul>
<b>Language courses</b>	If you are interested in taking Spanish or Catalan language courses during your stay with us, check these links for information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Catalan Courses</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Spanish Courses</a></li></ul>
<b>Covid information and updates</b>	Finally, we would like to recommend you to keep updated. The recommendations of the Spanish Public Health Agency, Spanish and Catalan government are updated as the situation changes. This affects the University's overall decisions. Students and staff are urged to stay updated via websites of public authorities as well as through Universitat de Barcelona's dedicated coronavirus webpages. You can stay updated via the following link:  <a href="#">Covid information</a>