



UNIVERSIDAD DE CÓRDOBA

Factsheet University of Córdoba 2017-2018

A. Information about higher education institution

Name of the institution	Erasmus code	Contact details	Website (eg. of the course catalogue)
UNIVERSITY OF CÓRDOBA (UCO)	E CORDOBA01	Institutional Coordinator: Prof. Dr. Carlos García Martínez International Relations Office Av. Medina Azahara, 5 14007 Córdoba (Spain) E-mail: direccion.ori@uco.es	http://www.uco.es/internacional/

B. Calendar

1. Applications/information on nominated students must reach the receiving institution by:

Autumn term* [month]	Spring term* [month]
15 May 2017 (Non-Erasmus students) 30 June 2017 (Erasmus students)	15 November 2017 (Non-Erasmus students) 31 December 2017 (Erasmus students)

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2. After having received the paper application (printed online application) the letter of admission will be send within a max of 6 weeks.
3. A Transcript of Records will be issued by the receiving institution no later than 5 weeks after the assessment period has finished at the receiving HEI.

Other important dates

Lectures Period: <http://www.uco.es/organizacion/secretariageneral/calendario-academico>

- Fall term: 11 Sep 2017 – 22 Dic 2017
- Spring term: 12 Feb 2018 – 1 Jun 2018

C. Academic Information

This is the Academic offer web page: <http://www.uco.es/pie/oferta-academica>

1. Exam Information

Every student is entitled to two examination opportunities per course per academic year. Students are automatically registered for exams and re-sit exams. There is no extra subscription or payment necessary.

EXAMS PERIOD:

Fall term: 8 – 20 Jan 2018

Spring term: 4 – 16 Jun 2018

RE-SIT EXAMS PERIOD:

Fall term: 30 Jan – 10 Feb 2018; 2 – 7 Apr 2018

Spring term: 25 Jun – 7 Jul 2018; 3 – 7 Sep 2018

2. Grading systems of the institutions

University of Córdoba: Student performances are graded individually and not on a statistical basis. The grading scale ranges from 0 to 10 (5 or highest to pass)

More information on:

<http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/erasmus/documentos/EquivalenceMarksECTS.pdf>

D. Language requirements

The modules and exams will be done in Spanish language. Students are not required to present a specific language certificate. They do not need to pass a specific test neither.

Language courses:

International students with knowledge of B2 Spanish or less are encouraged to participate in the intensive courses before their studies in Córdoba start. The courses are free of charge and are offered for two weeks in September-October (for first semester or full year students) and January-February (for second semester students) in UCOIdiomas (University of Córdoba's Language center).

More information on:

<http://www.uco.es/empresa/ucoidiomas>

E. Accommodation

The receiving institution will guide incoming mobile participants in finding accommodation, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

Information and assistance can be provided by the following persons and information sources:

Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
A) Residence Hall: The University of Córdoba has its own Residence Hall. The price is approx. EUR 650-700 per month (food, accommodation and leisure facilities included). - phone number: (+34) 957 21 8152 - e-mail to: alojamiento@uco.es	http://www.uco.es/servicios/alojamiento/
B) UCO students (Buddy Programme) will help to incoming students to find accommodation (flat-sharing is the most frequent option). The mobility coordinator of the faculty/school can inform about this option.	http://www.uco.es/internacional/internacional/contacta/coordinadores.html

F. Cost of living

The overall cost of living for a regular Erasmus+ student in Córdoba is around EUR 500-600 per month, including housing, food, books, study materials, transports, etc.

More information on:

http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/conocelauco/conocecordoba/informacionpractica_en.html

G. Visa

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance, when required, in securing visas for incoming and outbound mobile participants, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

Information and assistance can be provided by the following contact points and information sources:

Contact details (email, phone)	Website for information
infoori@uco.es	http://www.uco.es/internacional/extranjeros/visados/tramitacionvisados-en.html

H. Insurance

The sending and receiving institutions will provide assistance in obtaining insurance for incoming and outbound mobile participants, according to the requirements of the Erasmus Charter for Higher Education.

It is compulsory to buy a travel and accidents insurance to enroll in the University of Córdoba. Erasmus+ students are welcome to buy the same insurance that the University of Córdoba offers to its own students, which is provided by a private company at a special price (approximately EUR 19). Nevertheless, any other travel and accidents insurance with an equivalent coverage may also be accepted.

It is also highly recommended for all EU inhabitants getting the European Health Insurance Card (blue card) before their arrival.

H. Additional Information

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Local mentors will help incoming students with practical issues like opening a bank account, registration procedures, etc.

The University of Córdoba welcomes students and staff with disabilities and provides an attention to the diversity service. Learn more at:

<http://www.uco.es/servicios/sad/>