



# EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT ESSEX



## EXCHANGE STUDENTS AT ESSEX

Are you looking to study abroad as part of your degree? Do you want to specialise in your current field, explore new academic areas or both? Do you like the idea of living in stunning scenery with London close by? If you're impatient to see the world, develop new perspectives and join a supportive global family of students and staff – welcome to Essex.



My time at Essex has been great; I have so many new friends. The social life at Essex is really good and there are so many options for spending your free time: sports clubs, parties, cultural events, clubs, societies or just hanging out in the SU.

I like the fact that the campus is like a little town - almost everything you need is right here. Meeting new people from all over the world will always be an important memory of my time here. Essex is a very international university so you cannot feel lonely here. If you're considering Essex then I say "just go for it!"

**Elina Höttö, FINLAND**



## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Students must be in good academic standing
- Meet required module prerequisites
- Exchange student from an exchange partner
- Meets English language requirements

## APPLICATION INFORMATION

Students must be nominated by their home institution and will be sent a link to apply once their nomination has been accepted.

## WHEN CAN I STUDY ABROAD AT ESSEX?

- Autumn term only (October – December)
- Spring/Summer term only (January – June)
- Academic Year (October – June)
- Calendar Year (January – December)

All information is correct at time of printing (January 2023). Students will need to meet the relevant Home Office requirements.

\* Subject to academic approval. Students are required to be enrolled on to 60 Essex Credits per term or 120 Essex Credits per year.

\*\*Subject to applying by the Accommodation deadline.

## WHAT CAN I STUDY?

Students can take modules across our academic departments\*.

- Computer Science and Electronic Engineering
- East 15 Acting School (Southend only)
- Economics
- Edge Hotel School
- Health and Social Care
- Business
- Government, Politics and International Relations
- Languages and Linguistics
- Life Sciences
- Law and Human Rights
- Literature, Film & Theatre Studies
- Mathematical Sciences
- Philosophy, Art History and History
- Psychology, Psychosocial and Psychoanalytic Studies
- Sociology
- Sport, Rehabilitation and Exercise Sciences

## WHY ESSEX?

- Gain university credits to transfer back to your home university through our rigorous academic programme
- Our safe and inclusive campus is a great place to discover studying in the UK, we'll give you dedicated academic and pastoral support. All student support services at Essex are open to you as a study abroad student
- We're a global community – we are Top 25 for international outlook (Times Higher Education, World University Rankings 2022). Students from more than 140 countries call us home!
- On campus accommodation is available but spaces are limited for term only students\*\* – and you'll be able to enjoy our historic, award-winning parkland immortalised by John Constable at Colchester
- You're never far away from London – Colchester is less than an hour away from the capital by train, so you'll be enjoying the bright city lights in no time!
- It's impossible to be bored at Essex. Whether you're into sport, the arts, or love to cook, we have over 100 clubs and societies at Essex for you to try and you'll automatically become a member of the Essex Student Union. Why not get stuck in to a new hobby, and make some friends while you're at it?

## SAY HELLO!

If you have a query, or want to chat about living and learning at Essex, get in touch – we'd love to hear from you.

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