

UL Global



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Introduction to UL Global

Key Activities and Programmes



Erasmus & Non-EU
Exchange



Study Abroad
programme



Full Degree
Recruitment



Student Support
& Engagement

Internationalisation at UL

Internationalisation Objectives

Developing on Strategic Goal 3 from the UL Strategic Plan UL@50:

- 3.1 Diversify our UL Community – Target: to move from 7 to 14% non-EU enrolments
- 3.2 A high-quality international student experience – Target: 40% of UG students to spend one semester abroad
- 3.3 International partnerships that enhance our global ranking – Develop EU partners, research with leading international universities, focus on UN sustainable development goals.

Vice President Global and Community engagement – Professor Nigel Healey

Assistant Deans International

AHSS: Dr Angela Farrell

EHS: Dr Anca Minescu

KBS: Dr Dónal Palcic

S&E: Dr David Newport

Global Engagement Strategy Committee

Meets three times annually and has overall responsibility to drive internationalisation at UL

Working Groups

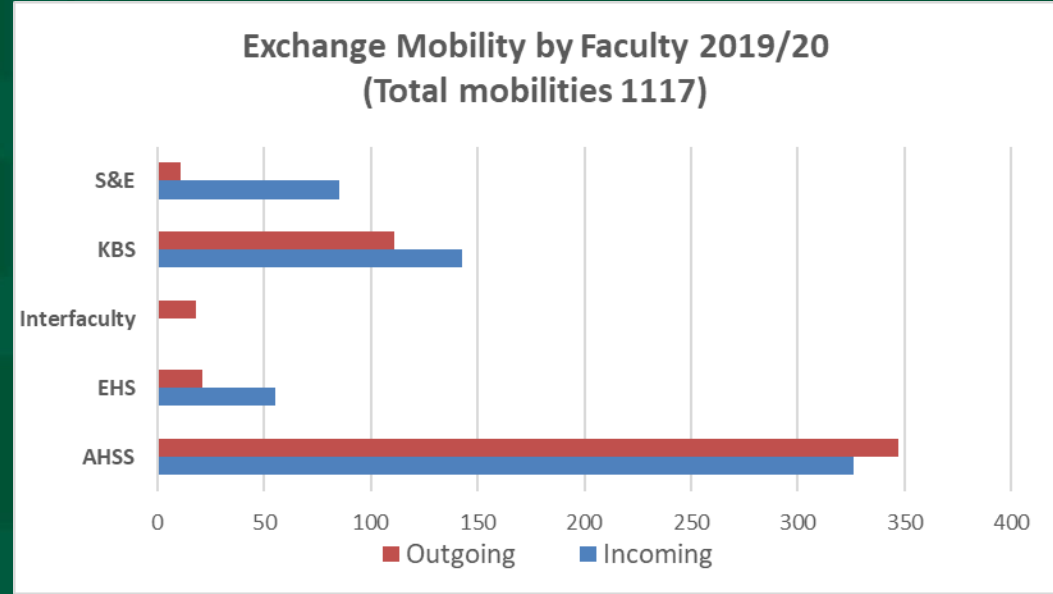
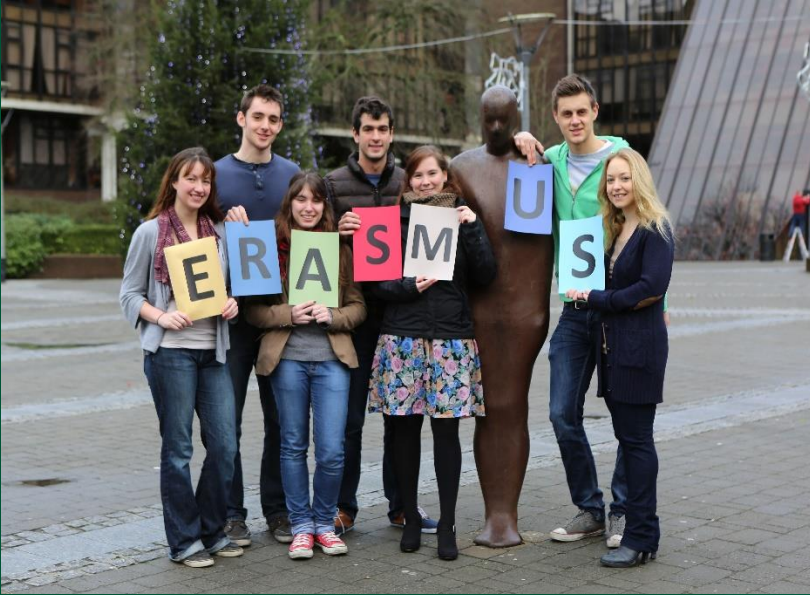
- Internationalisation at Home (Chair: Dr Anca Minescu and Dr Angela Farrell)
- International Recruitment (Chair Prof Nigel Healey)
- International Collaborations (Chair: Josephine Page)
 - China Working Group (Chair Prof Sean McGrath)
 - India Working Group (Chair Prof Tofail Syed)

Global Engagement Committee Structure



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Programme Summary:

- Est 1987 -1988 UL joined
- 4,000+ European institutions
- 30% of undergraduate students spend a study or work semester abroad
- Best Erasmus Programme 2018, 2019, 2020, and 2022

Focus for 2022:

- 7 year programme 2021-2027
- Digitisation, Inclusion and Sustainability
- New Erasmus+ Projects Team

Staff Mobility: The Erasmus+ programme offers funded opportunities for academic and administrative staff to teach at and visit partner institutions, both with Europe and externally

UL Global contact for staff mobility: **Ivanna D'Arcy**

Study Abroad Programme

Programme Summary

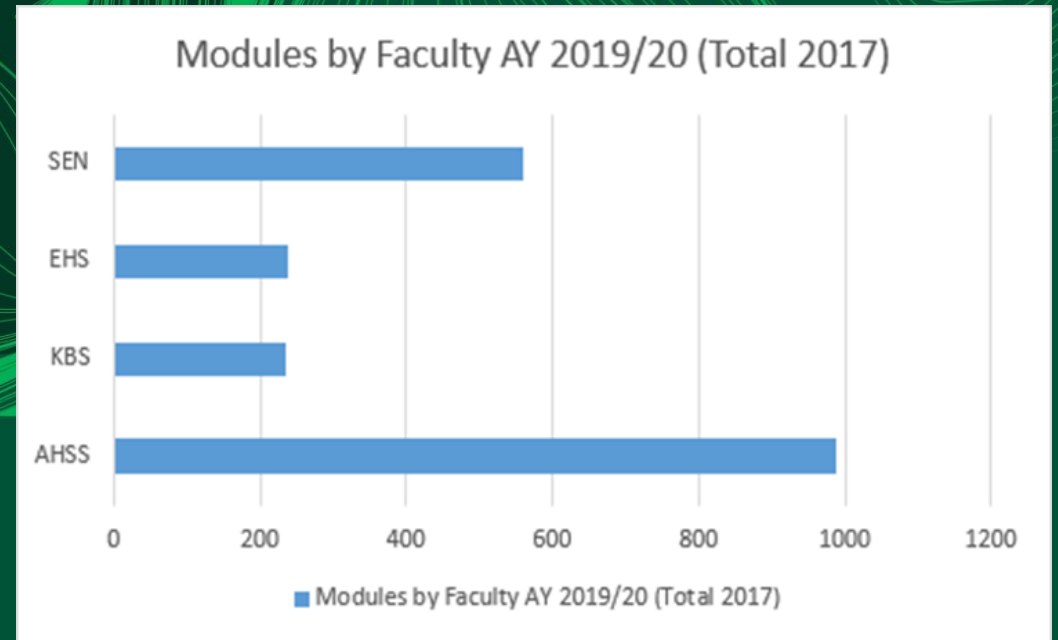
Visiting Student Programme, developed in 1991
Year, Semester or summer programme
Transfer credit to home institutions
Students take modules across 4 faculties
Registered on SI and class lists during week 3
200+ students each semester, 80% from the USA

Focus for 2022:

Continue recovery and develop diversity of intake and programme offering

How to Engage:

Connections with US universities or interest in programme development contact **Katherine Martin**, Study Abroad Manager



International Student Recruitment & partnerships

Programme Summary

- Undergraduate and Postgraduate – full programme and articulation/transfer
- 6 Key Regions
India, China, North America, Middle East, ASEAN (Vietnam, Malaysia, Thailand and Indonesia) and Africa (primarily Ghana, Nigeria and Kenya)

Focus for 2022

- International Student Arrival Protocol and enhanced Student engagement
- More virtual promotion Open days, webinars, Virtual Campus Tour
- Lobby work with the Department of Justice on immigration issues
- EU student recruitment and partnership development

How to engage

- Promote your programme/Faculty/UL virtually with UL Global (interviews/articles/on-line)

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Caitriona Conway

Amanda Noonan

James Sergeant

Niamh Kavanagh

Ciara Halliday





**EDUCATION
IN IRELAND**

WORLD-CLASS STANDARDS
WARMEST OF WELCOMES



Promotional Activities:

- In country and increasing digital promotion
- Education in Ireland Brand / Irish Universities Association (IUA)
- Normally host delegations from key countries (colleges, media, counsellors, agents) - Virtual Campus Tour

Scholarships

- Government of Ireland
- UL & Faculty
- Alumni

Ambassador Programme

- Student and Alumni



Student Support

- Academic Skills Module
 - Dedicated Student Support Officer
 - Virtual buddy programme
 - Cultural Events
 - Cultural Advisors
 - Global Cross Cultural Programme/ Diverse Voices
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| ✓ UL voted Ireland's No.1 university | Ireland |
| ✓ UL Ranked World No.1 for International Student Happiness | ✓ Best International Office in Ireland and the UK |
| ✓ UL is most recommended University in Ireland | ✓ Best Library in Ireland |
| ✓ Best Accommodation Quality and Access in | ✓ No.1 globally for Social Activities |
| | ✓ No1 for Multicultural Classroom |

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Currently available on line:

www.ul.ie/international

Meet the team

