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Where?

Library & Learning Center (LC), 4th floor

When?

Weekday	Morning	Afternoon
Monday	10:00am – 12:00 noon	2:00pm – 4:00pm
Tuesday	10:00am – 12:00 noon	2:00pm – 4:00pm
Wednesday	10:00am – 12:00 noon	2:00pm – 4:00pm
Thursday	10:00am – 12:00 noon	2:00pm – 4:00pm
Friday	Upon personal appointment	–

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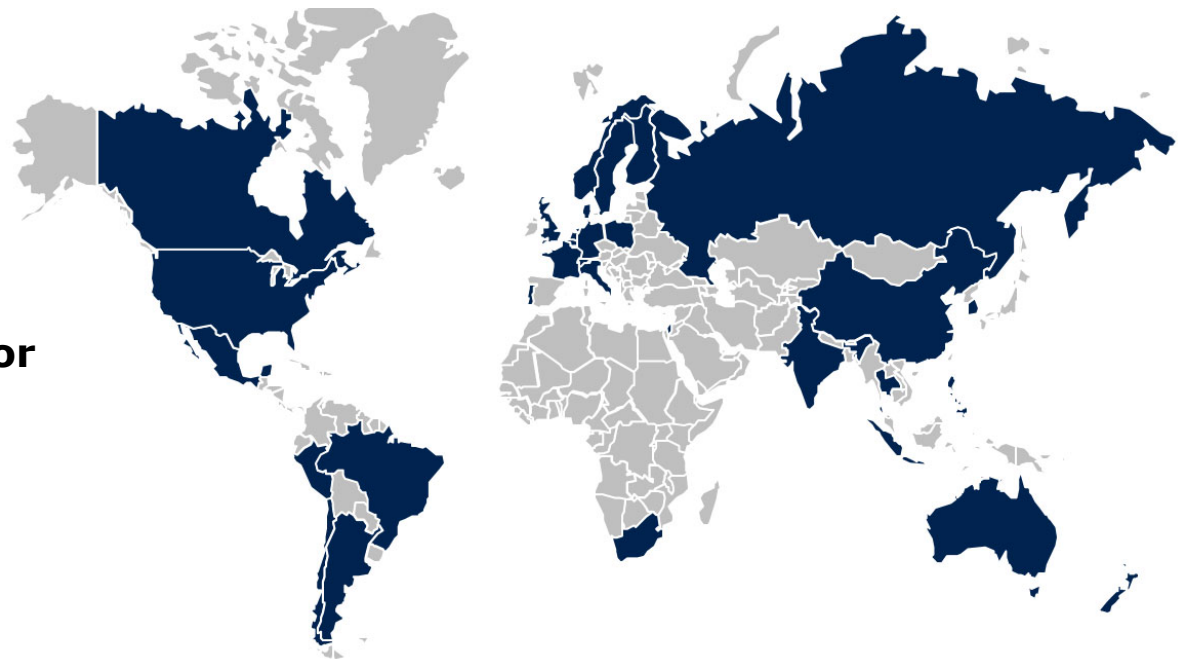
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→ We are also available for appointments
outside of the IO's opening hours!

Partner universities: Do your research!

- [Exchange semester \(master\)](#)
- WU has over 140 partner universities (PU) on master's level.
- **26 universities are recommended for Economics**
[List of available exchange places](#)
- [Partner university map](#): Read Info- and Factsheets carefully **before applying**



Partner universities: Do your research!



- Many universities have special requirements (e.g. min. GPA, language proficiency, work experience) -> **allocation to a spot does not exempt you from these requirements**
- Some universities offer **only very few or no courses in English**
- Check the [Online Credit Transfer Database](#) of the Study Regulations Office
 - You are responsible for your course selection – no predetermined study plan!
- [Exchange reports](#) of former outgoing students
- Choose your preferences carefully! Withdrawing from a program after allocation without a valid reason will result in a **ban from our exchange programs** during your master's studies.

We are happy to help with all questions you have, but the responsibility of picking universities suitable for you is ultimately yours!

Application



- Online application via the Online Services for Students (OSS)
- Apply for **up to 7 partner universities**

✓ **Letter of Motivation:**

1 motivational letter for all partner universities, written in English and addressed to the program director of the MSc Economics

✓ **CV:**

Written in English, should include information on your motivation, education, professional experience, international experience, languages and other skills

✓ **WU master's and bachelor's transcripts:**

WU transcripts are automatically generated; all other transcripts should be uploaded as a PDF file no larger than 2 MB

Application deadlines



- **Main application period**

December 1, 2025, 2:00pm – December 5, 2025, 2:00pm

Allocation expected to be announced on: January 14, 2026

Receiving a spot means that you can no longer apply for a different exchange program during later application periods!

- **Additional application period**

January 19, 2026, 2:00pm – January 23, 2026, 2:00pm

Allocation expected to be announced on: February 18, 2026

- Summer semester application period (for **Toulouse School of Economics**)

May 4, 2026, 2:00pm – May 8, 2026, 2:00pm

Allocation expected to be announced on: June 3, 2026

Allocation process

An overall score for each student is created based on the following criteria:

- ✓ Ranking by the program director: 1-0
- ✓ Tertile points: 3/2/1
- ✓ Categorization of the master's program: 2/1/0
- ✓ Recommendation for partner universities: 2/0

Round 1

Allocation of the **first tertile** of applicants in the ranking from master programs recommending a semester abroad, not counting the points for the categorization of the master's program.

Round 2

Allocation of the **second and third tertile** of applicants.

Financial support for WU exchange programs

- **ALL students regardless of nationality are eligible for a mobility grant!**
 - ERASMUS+ grant, SEMP grant, or WU Mobility Grant, depending on the destination
 - Top Up for Green Travel is available for Erasmus+ destinations
- SOME students may be eligible for additional Individual Support (in case of, e.g. care obligations, disabilities, chronic illnesses, or social need)
- Application formalities take place after you are allocated an exchange spot

More information:

- [Financial support website](#)
- International Office
- Grant and credit transfer session
(after successful allocation for an exchange place)

