Erasmus, International Exchange and Visiting Student Welcome Meeting

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Structure of the Meeting

- Departments and co-ordinators
- Structure of academic year
- Choosing modules and module load
- ECTS credits at Trinity College
- Useful websites and general advice
Departments and Coordinators

- **Trinity Business School**, Dr Deirdre Crowe (business.exchange@tcd.ie)
  - Office hours: Tuesday and Thursday 10:30 – 12:30 via Microsoft Teams

- **Department of Economics**, Prof. Eleanor Denny (ecnvisit@tcd.ie)
  - Office hours: Wednesday 10.00 – 12.00 via Microsoft Teams (Appointment necessary)

- **Department of Philosophy**, Dr Brian Carey (BRCAREY@tcd.ie)
  - Office Hours: Wednesday 13.00 – 14.00 via Microsoft Teams

- **Department of Political Science**, Prof Raj Chari (charir@tcd.ie)
  - Office hours: Wednesdays 13.30 – 14.45 via Microsoft Teams

- **Department of Sociology**, Dr Pablo Gracia (Sociology.Incoming@tcd.ie)
  - Office Hours: Thursday 14.00 – 14.30 via Microsoft Teams (contact the coordinator via email prior to the meeting)
Please avoid sending tons of emails. Our coordinators will be happy to answer all your queries during their office hours.
Structure of the Academic Year

– **Term 2 (Hilary Term, HT)**
  - Teaching Starts: 1\textsuperscript{st} February
  - Study Week: 14\textsuperscript{th} March
    - No lectures and tutorials during this week
  - Teaching ends: 23\textsuperscript{rd} April
  - Revision week: 3\textsuperscript{rd} May
  - Assessment starts: 10\textsuperscript{th} May
What is the right module load?

- Take about 80% - 100% of a Trinity student’s module load (but meet the requirements of your home university)
  - Please be advised that you will only be enrolled on modules amounting to 30 ECTS for each Semester.
- You cannot take modules that clash on the timetable
- The timetable for modules is on your mytcd.ie portal

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<th>One Term Students (Michaelmas Term or Hilary Term)</th>
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## ECTS Credits at Trinity

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<td>2nd Year (Senior Fresh, SF)</td>
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<td>4th Year (Senior Sophister, SS)**</td>
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** The Department of Political Science does not accept Visiting and Erasmus students in SS (4th year) modules

*** Exchange students do an additional assignment
Choosing and Registering for modules

List of available modules in:

- Trinity Business School: [here](#)
- School of Social Science and Philosophy: [here](#)

- Some modules have quotas: see website
- Be aware that to enrol in any module they must satisfy the prerequisites as listed, i.e. you should have studied a similar module to the prerequisite in your home institution.

- Submit your modules choice to Academic Registry. Ensure module codes are correct. If there are clashes you will not be able to register.

- Coordinators will check your prerequisites and confirm to Academic Registry your acceptance to the modules.

- If some of the selected modules have pre-requisites, please provide the necessary proofs to your coordinator.
Some General Advice

– Keep your coordinator(s) informed of your progress or difficulties during your time at Trinity College.

– While you are at Trinity College, you will be assigned to a Tutor (the Department coordinator for visiting students)

– Other sources of support:
  • Student Counselling Service – student-counselling@tcd.ie
  • Chaplaincy Service – chaplaincy@tcd.ie
  • Student-2-Student – student2student@tcd.ie
  • Student Health Centre
  • Student Union
  • Covid-19 updates: here
Are you Lost?

Get in contact with Colette Ding (CDING@tcd.ie) in the School Office and she will assist.
Follow-up meetings

The schedule of departmental meetings is the following:

Tuesday 26th January 2021

• 14:00-15:00: Business (link).
• 15:00-16:00: Economics (link).
• 16:00-17:00: Political Science (link).
• 17:00-18:00: Sociology (link).

Wednesday 27th January 2021

• 13:00-14:00: Philosophy (link).
Thank You