

FACT SHEET ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020



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Application

Application Closing Date	Fall semester (September – December): May 15 Spring semester (February - June): November 15
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> To have completed at least one year of full-time study at one of AGU's exchange partner institutions at the time of application <input type="checkbox"/> To be nominated by the exchange office of the home university for exchange program <input type="checkbox"/> To have achieved a minimum GPA of 2.20 or higher <input type="checkbox"/> To meet language requirements <input type="checkbox"/> To be able to self finance during the study period at AGU by AGU rules and regulations
Application Details	<p>Complete application includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Complete Application Form <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Photo Page of the Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Official Transcript – from your home university <input type="checkbox"/> Copy of health insurance valid in Turkey – for the whole duration of your stay <input type="checkbox"/> Certificate of enrolment (from current university) <input type="checkbox"/> 2 current photos <input type="checkbox"/> A statement of purpose (in English, 300 words, explaining your purpose of study) <input type="checkbox"/> Complete and signed Learning Agreement <input type="checkbox"/> Complete housing form (if requesting dormitory placement)
Application Procedure	<p>Application documents should be sent to the Exchange Office. The office will deliver the application to the related faculty, where the application will be reviewed. Upon approval from the faculty, the Exchange Office will issue an admission package to students. The AGU Exchange Office in cooperation with the International Office will serve as point of contact as soon as students enter the university.</p> <p>Responsibilities of students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Students should contact their university's office in charge of exchange programs. <input type="checkbox"/> Student must seek advice and approval from their home university in order to join our exchange program. <input type="checkbox"/> Nominated student must complete the Inbound Student Exchange application form. <input type="checkbox"/> Student must submit the complete application form and supporting documents to the AGU Exchange Office. <input type="checkbox"/> Following receipt of students' application, the Exchange Office will seek approval for the requested study program from the relevant faculty. A "Letter of Acceptance" will be issued to the student after approval of the Faculty.

Practical

<p>Visa Requirements</p>	<p>Student should apply to the nearest Turkish Consulate using the "Letter of Acceptance" given by AGU. Visa procedures and required documents can be obtained at the consulate or on its website.</p> <p>An "Education Visa" is required in order for students to apply for a residence permit in Turkey. Here are some important issues:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The AGU Exchange Office will send the Letter of Acceptance. • Students must obtain their "Education Visa" before entering the Turkish territory. • A fee is usually charged for the issuing of an "Education Visa". • Turkish Consulates may require additional documents (in addition to passport and Letter of Acceptance). • The visa will be stamped in the passport at the Turkish custom.
<p>English proficiency</p>	<p>As all courses offered at AGU are taught in English, exchange students are required to provide proof of their English proficiency, if available.</p> <p>The medium of instruction at AGU is English at all levels and programs. Please bear in mind that in order to be able to follow courses at AGU, students are strongly recommended to have adequate level of English, meaning B1 level language competence according to Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/en/resources/european-language-levels-cefr) or TOEFL score of 75 or IELTS score of 6.</p>
<p>Arrival</p>	<p>Exchange students are expected to arrive to the University shortly before the beginning of the academic semester.</p> <p>Semester 1: Early September Semester 2: Mid of January</p>
<p>Insurance</p>	<p>All international students should have International medical insurance valid for their entire study at AGU.</p>
<p>Accommodation</p>	<p>The AGU dormitory fee is 400TL (approx.€80) per month</p>
<p>Other Expenses</p>	<p>It is not required for students to purchase books soft-copies are available.</p> <p>Meals: Lunch on Campus 4 TRY=\$1 Transportation: One way bus ride: 3 TRY=\$0,6</p>
<p>Brochures</p>	<p>https://issuu.com/aquinternational/docs/agu_student_brochure https://issuu.com/aquinternational/docs/agu_-_institutional_booklet.compres https://issuu.com/aquinternational/docs/agu_-_academic_portfolio https://issuu.com/aquinternational/docs/agu_graduate_school_brochure_eng</p>



Academic

Academic Schedule	www.agu.edu.tr/userfiles//thumbs/Pdf%20Files/20172018takvimenglish.pdf																																																												
Important Dates	<p>29 January 2017 – 01 February 2018 - Course Selection and Registration</p> <p>31 January 2017 – 04 February 2018 - Orientation Program for International Students</p> <p>05 February 2018 - 18 May 2018 Spring Semester (Undergraduate / Graduate Programs)</p>																																																												
Courses for Exchange Students	<p>Find the courses under the link of the following departments at AGU: http://exchange.agu.edu.tr/living-studying-in-turkey</p>																																																												
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