inholland
university of
applied sciences

Fact sheet
Incoming exchange students

Institutional information

Erasmus code	NL S-GRAVE37
Inholland campuses	Alkmaar, Amsterdam, Delft, Haarlem, The Hague, Rotterdam
Country	The Netherlands

General information

- Inholland website
- Frequently Asked Questions

Preconditions for application

- There should be an inter-institutional agreement between the home university and Inholland University of Applied Sciences.
- The student must be nominated by the home university.
- Courses are taught in English. Inholland requires exchange students to have at least B2 English level. No formal language certificate is required; home universities confirm this level during nomination.

Application procedure

Students have to be nominated by the International Coordinator from their home university in order to apply for the exchange programme at Inholland University of Applied Sciences.

Deadlines	Fall semester (start in September)	Spring semester (start in February)
Nomination	15 April	15 October
Application	1 May	1 November

Academic calendar and holidays

The academic year is divided into two semesters and four terms. The Fall semester (starting in September) consists of term 1 and 2 and the Spring semester (starting in February) consists of term 3 and 4.

Fall – semester 1	
Introduction day(s)	Scheduled in the week of 24 August 2026 (mandatory)
Start Semester	31 Augustus 2026
End Semester	29 January 2027

Spring – semester 2	
Introduction day(s)	Scheduled in the week of 25 January 2027 (mandatory)
Start Semester	1 February 2027
End Semester	9 July 2027

Holidays 2026-27	
Autumn holidays	Alkmaar, Amsterdam, Haarlem: 10 – 18 October 2026 Delft, The Hague, Rotterdam: 17 – 25 October 2026
Winter holidays	19 December 2026 – 3 January 2027
Spring holidays	Delft, The Hague, Rotterdam: 20 – 28 February 2027 Alkmaar, Amsterdam, Haarlem: 20 – 28 February 2027
Good Friday	26 March 2027
Easter holidays	28 – 29 March 2027
King's Day	27 April 2027
May holidays	24 April – 2 May 2027
Liberation Day	5 May 2027
Ascension Day	6 May 2027
Whit Sunday & Monday	16 and 17 May 2027

Academic information

Course catalogue	It is not possible to select and combine components from different courses. Please find the course catalogue on the website.
Course descriptions	Contact the international coordinator of the programme.
Credit system	60 ECTS per year – 30 ECTS per semester.
Language of instruction	Courses are taught in English. Inholland requires exchange students to have at least B2 level of English.
Dutch language course	Currently only campus Amsterdam offers a basic Dutch course (non-credit extracurricular activity). Exchange students can search online for suitable courses.
Sport facilities	There are no sport facilities on the campuses, but you can find sport and health clubs nearby.

Visa

Some students need a long-stay visa (MVV) and/or a residence permit (VVR). Inholland will apply for this on behalf of the student. The student will receive further information from the Inholland admissions department once they have been accepted. Please read these information sheets for more information. All questions regarding the visa application, residence permit, fees and more can be sent to: admissions@inholland.nl.

Housing

Unfortunately, there is a shortage when it comes to student housing in the Netherlands. Students should start arranging their accommodation as early as possible (at least four months in advance). The rent price for student accommodation at DUWO via Inholland in the Netherlands is between €500 and €1000 per month. Most students in the Netherlands live in shared student housing. In the private sector the rental price will be between € 900 and €1400 per month.

Inholland Amsterdam, The Hague, Delft and Haarlem have a limited number of rooms available for exchange students. We do not have rooms available in Rotterdam and Alkmaar.

We recommend students to apply for housing at DUWO via Inholland as soon as the housing application form opens.

More information about housing through Inholland is available on the website.

Studying with a disability or personal circumstances

After the Dutch government ratified the UN Convention on Disability in 2016, the amended Equal Treatment of Chronically Ill and Disabled Persons Act came into force on 1 January 2017. This means that all buildings with a public function (public buildings, government buildings but also shops and restaurants) must be accessible, or adjustments must be made to become accessible, regardless of one's disability or chronic illness. This makes accessibility the norm in the Netherlands and inaccessibility the exception. Inholland is of course committed to this principle and offers, to the best of her abilities, facilities to students with physical disabilities. So if you come study with us and want to discuss your needs, please let us know before you arrive here and contact the student counsellor.

The student counsellor can assist you if personal circumstances are preventing you from giving your education the attention it needs. Whether this is due to illness, family matters, dyslexia, any other disability or something else – they are happy to discuss how our university can make things easier for you. Together we come up with realistic goals to make your life as a student easier and help you succeed in your studies. If you would like to discuss your personal situation before you sign up as a student at Inholland, please contact the International Office and they will get you in touch with the student counsellor of the Inholland campus you are planning to study at.

Expenses

To give you a realistic idea of the expected living expenses, please check Numbeo and select your city.

Insurance

Health Insurance

- **EU/EEA students** must obtain a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) pre-arrival. Please check the validity of your card and if necessary, contact your health insurance to apply for a new card that is valid during your entire exchange.
- **Non-EU/EAA students** need to take out an Insurance Passport for Students (AON). In case Inholland applies for your Visa or Residence Permit, the admissions department will take out the AON insurance on your behalf. Be aware that this insurance is taken out usually from 1 September. Before that date, even if you travel to the Netherlands sooner, you are responsible to have your own health insurance! For questions, please contact admissions@inholland.nl
- **Working**: if you have a job in the Netherlands, you need a Dutch Basic Health Insurance.

Liability Insurance: we highly recommend all students to take out liability insurance as well.

Contact details International Office and Coordinators

Incoming exchange officers

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