Global Mobility & Erasmus+
Why Greenwich?

The University of Greenwich is well-known for its high-quality teaching, research excellence, the diversity of its students, its beautiful, historic campuses in south-east London and Kent as well as its high student satisfaction. Students from more than 160 countries choose to study at Greenwich, and over 1 in 5 come from outside the United Kingdom. Not only are classes intellectually stimulating, they are also taught on campuses steeped in history; Greenwich Maritime Campus, for example, is part of the Old Royal Naval College, established by Royal Charter in 1694, and is at the centre of the Maritime Greenwich World Heritage Site.

Teaching and learning blend with sports and social life during the university year. During your time at Greenwich, you can join a wide selection of clubs and societies. The most popular team sports have multiple teams and many of them compete against other universities in the British Universities and College Sports leagues (BUCS). Sports facilities across the campuses include pitches for football and rugby, courts for badminton and tennis as well as gyms for training.

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Greenwich

(left) The university’s largest campus, a UNESCO heritage site, simply has one of the grandest university settings in the world. The baroque buildings, designed by Sir Christopher Wren, house a range of modern and high-tech facilities.

Avery Hill

(above) Located next to extensive south-east London parkland, this campus offers a range of excellent teaching, living and sporting facilities. The Village complex at Avery Hill offers accommodation, a shop, launderette and sports facilities including a gym.

Medway

(below) The university’s campus in Chatham Maritime, Kent, consists of Edwardian redbrick and ivy-clad buildings, home to high-tech laboratories for science, engineering, pharmacy and natural resources.

London and South-East England

One of the many reasons that students decide to study at the University of Greenwich is for its location, which mixes ‘big city’ London with the countryside attractions of the county of Kent.

London, the home of the 2012 Olympics, is the capital of England and is situated in the south-east of the country with the Greenwich and Avery Hill campuses located here. Don’t miss the London Eye, Buckingham Palace and Big Ben; if you enjoy music, you will love the Notting Hill Carnival, our international concert venues (such as the O2 and the Royal Albert Hall) and our parkland festivals. The Borough of Greenwich offers students a range of museums, parks and local pubs and restaurants.

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London is a great place for socialising with friends, but it is also an excellent place to be a student and offers a wealth of opportunities for learning and expanding your mind. Whether it is science, history, art and design or fashion that interests you, there are a wide range of wonderful museums and galleries to explore—and, best of all, many are free!

The county of Kent boasts scenic countryside, coastal resorts and many tourist attractions, including Leeds Castle and Canterbury Cathedral. There are many towns to explore with shopping areas, entertainment venues, leisure centres, restaurants and local attractions to keep you occupied when you are taking a break from your studies.

Medway has excellent links to the rest of the county, and the campus is close to the historic town of Rochester.
What Can You Study?

Greenwich Maritime Campus
Subjects available in the fields of:
- Creative Writing
- Cinematography
- English Language
- Criminology
- Computing
- Mathematics
- English Literature
- Statistics
- Film
- Design
- Modern Languages
- Business
- History
- Accounting & Finance
- Law
- Human Resources & Organisational Behaviour
- Media
- International Business & Economics
- Sociology
- Marketing, Events & Tourism
- Politics
- Systems Management & Strategy

Avery Hill Campus
Subjects available in the fields of:
- Early Years Education
- Psychology
- Health and Wellbeing

Medway Campus
Subjects available in the fields of:
- Engineering Management
- Geography
- Civil Engineering
- Environmental Science
- Electrical Engineering
- Sports Science
- Mechanical Engineering
- Sports Science with Coaching
- Biomedical Science
- Pharmacy
- Forensics
- Biological Sciences
- Human Nutrition
- Forensics with Criminology
- Pharmaceutical Science
- Sports Science with Professional Football Coaching

Please note:
The number and combination of courses you can take will depend on whether you study with us for a term or a full academic year.
For students coming for one term only, the normal course load is 60 (total of 30 ECTS) Greenwich credits. Usually, this equates to 4 courses of 15 Greenwich credits each (7.5 ECTS).

For students coming to Greenwich for a full academic year, the normal course load is 120 Greenwich credits (equivalent to 60 ECTS credits).
Visit the course catalogue online for further information.
Applications and Accommodation

Requirements
To study at Greenwich as an Erasmus+ student, your home university needs to have a current Erasmus+ agreement in place with us for your subject area (if it does not you can still apply at Greenwich, but as a fee paying study abroad student instead.)

You need to have achieved at least a level B2 in English language proficiency to study at the University of Greenwich.

Application Deadlines
For entry into term 1 - 31 May
For entry into term 2 - 31 October

Accommodation
On-campus accommodation is available and students coming for the entire academic year are likely to be covered by a guarantee of a place in university accommodation as long as they:

- Are coming to the university for the first time
- Are studying full time from September – June
- Are studying on one of the main campuses in Greenwich, Avery Hill or Medway
- Have completed the application form and received the acknowledgement before the Guarantee Deadline of 30 June annually

Full details of the guarantee can be found here: gre.ac.uk/accommodation/our-guarantee

Incoming students for one term only are not guaranteed accommodation, but are advised to apply as there are often a number of places available each year for single-term students.

Students studying at the Avery Hill or Greenwich campuses should be flexible in their accommodation choice as they may be placed at either campus. There are free shuttle buses between these two campuses each hour.

What our students say:
“I stayed at the University of Greenwich for one term and as soon as I arrived on campus, I felt welcome, thanks to the very friendly staff. There are many societies to join and there are students from everywhere in the world who are sharing the same experience as you. Greenwich is a great place to study and to spend your free time. The professors and tutors are skilled and prepare you well for your assignments and exams. I would recommend the University of Greenwich to everyone who is open minded, interested in culture and getting to know other people as well as new things”

Sabrina Hammer
Study Abroad student from Macromedia University, Germany