

Erasmus+ key data
HOGENT University of Applied Sciences and Arts
2020-2021



Official name	HOGENT UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES AND ARTS
Erasmus code	B GENT 25
PIC code	998961291
Address of the International Office	Campus Schoonmeersen Studentenresidentie International Office Overwale 42 B-9000 GHENT (BELGIUM)
Institutional coordinator	Mr. Robin Stevens (international@hogent.be)
Incoming student advisers	For the School of Arts: Ms. Els Moens (els.moens@hogent.be) For all other departments: Ms. Fien Moerman and Ms. Katrien Van Acker: incoming@hogent.be
Website	https://www.hogent.be/en School of Arts: https://schoolofartsgent.be/en/international/incoming-students (different dates and procedures might apply for the School of Arts)
English-taught programmes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Exchange programmes:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Audiology</u> • <u>Applied Information Technology</u> • <u>Business, Retail and Languages</u> • <u>Nursing</u> • <u>Nutrition and Dietetics</u> • <u>Occupational therapy</u> • <u>School of Arts</u> • <u>Social Educational Care Work</u> • <u>Social Work</u> • <u>Speech and Language Pathology</u> 2. <u>Master in Music</u> 3. <u>Master in Audiovisual Arts</u> 4. <u>Master in Fine Arts</u> 5. <u>Master in Drama</u> <p>Our other study programmes are taught in Dutch. However there are possibilities for internships or project work in English. Please contact the incoming student advisers for more information (incoming@hogent.be).</p>
Start - end semester 1 (Autumn)	21 September 2020 – 30 January 2021 Welcome days: 17-18 September 2020
Start - end semester 2 (Spring)	8 February 2021 – 25 June 2021 Welcome days: 4 - 5 February 2021
Academic Calendar 2020-2021	https://www.hogent.be/en/future-student/practical-guide/academic-calendar/

Nomination	Nominations can be sent to the International Office via incoming@hogent.be .
Acceptance	When nomination has been approved by the academic coordinator, the International Office will send an e-mail with the acceptance to the student, together with a link to send in their application through Mobility Online. Students who need a visa are advised to finalize their application as soon as possible, so that the invitation letter can be sent via Mobility Online.
Application deadlines	→ May 31 st 2020 for the autumn semester / Whole academic year → November 15 th 2020 for the spring semester
Accommodation	HOGENT offers 50 rooms to incoming exchange students in our Mercator student residence. The sooner students finalize their application and tick the box for this room in the online application, the more chance to get one. Rooms in the student residence are only for semester students. Students staying the academic year cannot rent a room in the Mercator residence. The rooms are allocated to the students as soon as possible after the application deadline (31 May or 15 November). Please note that a room in Mercator D is not guaranteed by ticking the box in the application form! For students who do not have a room in the residence (but have requested a room), we offer help looking on the private market.
Visa	If you are non-European, you may need a visa to enter Belgian territory. For visa and related questions, we advise you to contact the Belgian embassy or Belgian consulate in your country or neighbor country. The information concerning visa applications for Belgium is also available via the website of the Foreigners Department of the FPS Home Affairs which is the competent Belgian authority for access to the territory and for stay, residence and removal of foreigners in Belgium. Once you have arrived in Belgium, details of your country's embassy or consulate may also be useful. Obtaining the correct and valid residence is the responsibility of the student