

BSc Social Sciences Study Abroad Exchange Quick Fact Sheet

Exchange Duration: When Can I Go?

<u>BSc Social Sciences Pathway</u>	<u>One-Trimester on exchange</u>	<u>Year-Long Exchange (Two trimesters)</u>
Philosophy, Politics & Economics	✓	X
Computational Social Science	✓	X
Economics, Mathematics & Statistics	✓ Spring only	X
Single Major	✓	✓
Joint Major*	✓	✓
Major with Humanities or Science Minor (excluding French, German, Spanish, Italian, Greek and Chinese)**	✓	✓
Major with language minor**	X	✓

Note: Students on a Single Major wishing to go away for the full year will be expected to complete the majority of credits in this subject, if successful with their in-programme transfer at the end of Stage 2.

* Where 2 semesters are spent abroad a sufficient number of modules in both majors must be taken to fulfil the requirements of the programme (See relevant Subject Combinations Programme information on [our website](#)).

**Where 2 semesters are spent abroad a sufficient number of modules in both the major and minor subjects must be taken to fulfil the requirements of the programme. Further information is available on the BSc Social Sciences Exchange and Erasmus website (See relevant Subject Combinations Programme information on [our website](#)).

BSc Social Sciences Study Abroad Exchange Quick Fact Sheet

Where Can I Go?

The College of Social Science and Law has organized Erasmus and Non-EU exchange agreements with Universities throughout Europe, Americas, Oceania and Asia. Where exactly you can go on a study abroad period is dependent on what combination of subjects you study.

For more information on where you can go with your specific subjects, consult the relevant link on the Subject Combinations-Exchange Programme Information dropdown on the [Outgoing Erasmus and Exchange Programmes on BSc Social Sciences](#) website.

What Should I Consider Before Applying?

★ Academic Requirements

Exchange students must achieve 45 ECTS credits to successfully complete a full year abroad, and 20 ECTS credits for one trimester abroad.

Exchange students must obtain a Pass grade in each module as the exchange period is graded on Pass/Fail basis. It should be noted that Pass Rates in some Universities are higher than 40%.

★ Finances

Exchange students pay tuition fees at UCD and do not pay tuition fees at their Host University. They may, however, have to pay registration fees.

All exchange students participating in the Erasmus+ programme are eligible to receive an Erasmus mobility grant (except Switzerland). There may be other funding and scholarship options for students studying in Asia or Latin America.

Exchange students must research the Cost of Living and Accommodation Costs in their Host University and have the means to fund these expenses. This information can often be found on the Universities Website.

For more information, visit the [UCD Global webpage](#) or contact the [CoSSL International Programme Manager at **outgoing.socialsciences@ucd.ie**](#)