


INFORMATION SHEET 2017/18



Key Data on the Institution

Full legal name of Institution	NHTV Breda University of Applied Sciences
Erasmus ID Code	NLBREDA10
Website for incoming exchange students	http://www.nhtv.nl/exchange
Promotional films	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jiSp2-MAp6w https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c6Dh2uKZPOM
Facebook	www.facebook.com/StudentOfficeNHTV
Instagram	@exchangeatnhtv or check out #exchangeatNHTV
Blog	http://blogs.nhtv.nl/study-at-nhtv
YouTube channel	https://www.youtube.com/user/NHTVuniversityBreda
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Breda and surroundings

Information about Breda	http://english.breda.nl/ http://www.vvvbreda.nl/files/VVV_BB_2014_ENG.pdf
Events in Breda	<p><u>Kings day</u> A national holiday in which we celebrate the Dutch Royal family (always on 27 April).</p> <p><u>Jazz Festival</u> During the Jazz Festival (during the Ascension holidays), Breda will be changed for four days into an enormous music spectacle (free of charge). www.bredajazzfestival.nl</p> <p><u>Dance Tour Breda</u> National dance event (beginning of June) that takes place in several cities in the Netherlands, Breda being one of them! http://www.dancetour.nl/events/breda</p> <p><u>Breda Live</u> A popular open-air pop festival (mid July) with performances of famous Dutch artists. www.bredalive.nl</p> <p><u>Breda Barst</u> Pop festival (mid September) in Breda with national and international familiar performances! Breda Barst also gives unfamiliar bands the chance to show themselves (free of charge).</p> <p><u>Palm parkies</u> The park Valkenburg will be packed with people during this period (mid July until Mid August), relaxing on the grass when listening to performances of various artists and bands.</p>

Academic and Administrative Matters

Preferred arrival date	Students are expected to arrive before the introduction days
Introduction days	Fall semester: last Thursday and Friday of August Spring semester: at the start of the second semester
Semester Dates (including exam)	Fall semester: 5 september 2016 until the end of January, including exams. Spring semester: Depending on the program, but usually end of January / beginning of February until the end of June, including exams.
Application Deadline	Fall semester: 15 May for the following fall semester and full academic year (Non-EU and EU) Spring semester: October 15th for NON-EU, for the following spring semester November 15th for EU for the following spring semester
Application Procedure	The information for the 1st semester will be available on <u>April 1st</u> online for incoming exchange students, for the 2nd semester the information will be available from <u>October 1st</u> . NHTV will follow the following procedure: 1) the International Office of the partner university nominates the exchange students by e-mail to incomingexchange@nhtv.nl 2) Then we will invite the students nominated by e-mail to complete an online Application Form and upload the documents needed. Information about the application procedure available at: www.nhtv.nl/exchange
Important Note on Double Degree Applications	Double Degree nominees should provided us with (only possible to apply during 1st semester applications): 1) Proof of payment of home institution 2) Copy of Passport 3) Proof of completion of previous years of study.
Language of Instruction	All programs are English taught
Course Catalogues Website	www.nhtv.nl/exchange > Exchange programmes
English language requirements	TOEFL test: minimum score 80 internet-based and minimum subscore for speaking 20. IELTS test: minimum overall band score 6.0 and a minimum sub score for speaking 6.0.
Possibility of Attending Courses from Different Departments	NO, students can only choose a program, ie. ITMC, 2nd year (randomly chose subjects from different years and program is not possible)
Accommodation Arranged	YES (student gets 1 offer of NHTV)
Accommodation cost / month	The accommodation costs are approx. € 420 per month, all inclusive and the room will be furnished. All rooms are located in Breda, within cycling distance from the different NHTV buildings and especially for (international) students.
Costs of Living Expenses	Daily expenses include food, public transport, books, clothes, and cinema tickets. But you also need to take into account the costs for housing and insurance.

	Experience has shown that students living and studying in Holland for one year spend between €700 and €1,000 a month. Examples of living expenses: http://www.nhtv.nl/ENG/bachelors/studying-at-nhtv/how-to-prepare/finances/cost-of-living-examples.html
Insurance	We offer all incoming exchange students an insurance through NHTV: we recommend students to apply for the IPS or AON student insurances via www.acepolis.com/ips or AON www.myaon.nl/students . These student insurances cover travel, medical and liability insurance (we recommend students to have a liability insurance since it is compulsory for all residents in the Netherlands). The costs of the insurance must be paid before arrival by bank transfer (+/- € 40 per month + €3,50 administration costs).
International Student Organisation	Yes, ESN Breda. ESN has a pick-up service for students, a buddy programme and organises social gatherings to help International Students settle in Breda and intergrate in Dutch society. More information on www.facebook.com/esnbreda or www.esn-breda.nl
Sport facilities	YES, however not on Campus but through BRESS. BRESS is short for Bredase Studenten Sportorganisatie, meaning Student Sport Association in Breda. All students in Breda have the opportunity to do sports for student price (€ 65,- per half year)! More information you can find on: http://www.bress.nl/en/main.html If you have any questions regarding BRESS, please contact info@bress.nl

Only for Non-Eu students

Visa procedure	As soon as you have been admitted to the exchange programme, NHTV International Office will send the student an email with login code and password to use the Visa Care+ application. After the student logs in, they will be guided through the MVV/VVR-procedure. <u>Additional criteria for Chinese students</u> Two additional criteria will be applied in the evaluation of MVV applications for Chinese students. These two additional criteria are: command of the English language and authenticity of submitted documents (education-related or otherwise).
Visa costs	Applying for a MVV / residence permit will cost approx. € 300,- (subject to change), plus € 35,- for the use of the VisaCare application (subject to change).
TBC check	Upon arrival students will get an invitation for a Tuberculosis check (for Non-EU students only). This check is at Municipal Health Service and you will need to pay € 45,- by ATM (subject to change).