

UNIVERSITY OF TWENTE. THE NETHERLANDS



UNIVERSITY INFORMATION

Profile

The University of Twente (UT) is a research university, dedicated to research that drives society. The university has close ties to local industry, ensuring our fundamental research is based on market demand.

The university focuses on Engineering, Science and Technology, Geo-information sciences, Human Behavioural Sciences and Management & Governance. The UT is the Netherlands' only true campus university, and is the highest ranking Dutch university in terms of campus environment and atmosphere. The UT consistently provides international students with the best overall study experience in the Netherlands, while ranking among the top-ten universities worldwide on overall general satisfaction (ISB 2013). Awarded as most entrepreneurial

university of the Netherlands 2015, the UT stimulates staff and students to found spin-off companies.

Education Structure

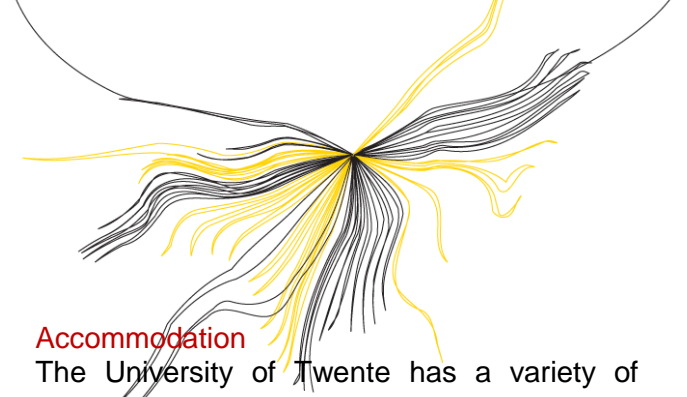
The study workload at the UT is 60 European Credits annually (European Credit Transfer System / ECTS). According to Dutch law, one credit represents 28 hours of study and 60 EC represent one year of full-time study, where the academic year consists of 42 weeks. The fall semester starts the first week of September, whereas the spring semester starts the first week of February. Half a semester (15 EC) is generally referred to as a quartile or module.

Study programmes use problem-based learning and include lectures, projects, practical assignments, lab work and self-study.

LIVING INFORMATION

Living Costs

As a guide to living costs, a single student at the UT will need around €700 to €900 per month for on campus living, including study material.



Accommodation

The University of Twente has a variety of accommodation available on and off campus for international students. Prices range from approximately €300 to €600 per month. We actively support exchange students from our partners in finding housing.

Visa

Students staying for more than 3 months cannot apply for visa themselves; admitted UT students requiring visa will be contacted by our International Office and assisted with all visa procedures.

Location

The University of Twente (UT) is located in Enschede about two hours east of Amsterdam and four hours west of Berlin.





FACULTY OF ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY

The Faculty of Engineering Technology comprises three engineering disciplines: Industrial Design, Civil and Mechanical Engineering. These three disciplines are covered in our BSc programmes. Most BSc programmes are taught in Dutch, while all MSc programmes are taught in English. The MSc Programmes offered at the Faculty of Engineering Technology are:

- Industrial Design Engineering,
- Mechanical Engineering,
- Sustainable Energy Technology,
- Construction Management and Engineering,
- Civil Engineering and Management.

Exchange students at a final year BSc level are allowed to follow MSc level courses. When choosing your courses it is strongly recommended to choose subjects within one bachelor or one master programme to reduce the risk of overlapping courses.

The UT also offers Exchange Study Packages. These ESPs are balanced,

coherent, well-structured and self-contained sets of courses at a final year BSc or first year MSc academic level.

WHAT OUR STUDENTS SAY

Name

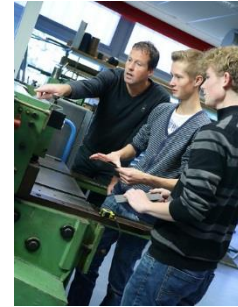
Roderik Kluin

Programme

Mechanical Engineering

Country

The Netherlands



"After the Bachelor's programme in Mechanical Engineering it was a logical step for me to choose for the subsequent Master's programme in Mechanical Engineering.

The Bachelor's was a good preparation, it taught me all I needed to know to continue. The Master's has challenging courses on a wide range of subjects. During my Bachelor's I discovered my interest in fluids, therefore I have chosen the specialization Engineering Fluid Dynamics. The university is surrounded by a lot of high-tech companies. That gives students numerous job and internship opportunities, both on and off the campus. I am about to start my internship in Fluid Dynamics in Brazil. A great opportunity to learn more about the field and it is also exciting to see this in the context of another culture.

What I like most about the University of Twente is the fact that it is a campus

university. You meet and interact with all sorts of people with different backgrounds and different forms of pre-education. This interaction gives you a broader view, and that experience helps when solving problems that you encounter. It also supports in developing and recognizing your own interests. If you would like to develop yourself personally and as an engineer, the University of Twente is a great place to be!"



WEBLINKS

Academic Calendar

<https://www.utwente.nl/ces/planning-roosters/en/academic-calendar/>

Application deadlines

<https://www.utwente.nl/en/education/international-students/deadlines/>

Websites

www.utwente.nl/ctw/student-mobility/
www.utwente.nl/internationalstudents/
www.utwente.nl/coursecatalogue/

Social Media

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