## General information

- **Name of institution & abbreviation**: Universidad del País Vasco/ Euskal Herriko Unibertsitatea (UPV/EHU)  
  University of the Basque Country

- **Website**: www.ehu.eus

- **Erasmus code of institution**: EBILBAO01

- **OID**: E10208839

## International Relations Office (IRO)

- **Address of IRO**: International Relations Office  
  Vice Rectorate for Basque, Culture and Internationalization  
  Central library building, floor 2  
  Barrio Sarriena s/n  
  48940 Leioa, SPAIN  
  internacional@ehu.eus

- **Website for visiting students**: www.ehu.eus/en/web/nazioarteko-harremanak/en-exchange-students

## Agreements for students, teaching and staff exchange

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| **International networking**           | **Bryan Leferman**              | Vice Rectorate for **Basque, Culture and Internationalization**  
  Director for international mobility  
  director.internacional@ehu.eus  
  Rectorate building  
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  48940 Leioa, SPAIN  
  Tel: +34 946012040 |
| **Outside ERASMUS+** (Latinamerica, USA, Canada, Russia, Asian countries) | **Erika Fernandez**              | International Relations Office Leioa  
  letrado.internacional@ehu.eus  
  Tel: +34 94601 2166  
  Library building, floor 2  
  Barrio Sarriena s/n  
  48940 Leioa, SPAIN  
  Tel: +34 6017903 |
| **SICUE** (Exchanges among Spanish universities) | **Irantzu Sologuren**            | International Relations Office Donostia-SS  
  seneca@ehu.eus  
  Tel: +34 943018136  
  Ignacio Mº Barriola  
  Elhuyar Plaza, 1  
  20118 Donostia - San Sebastian |
| **Erasmus + Bilateral agreements** Staff exchange | **Ms Idoia Ortiz de Landaluze** |                                                                      |
### *Academic calendar*

(*Further details on our academic calendar to be found on the website of the relevant faculty / school)*

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<td>Early September</td>
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<td>Examinations period</td>
<td>January</td>
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### Application and registration procedures

#### Application documents
1. Copy of Passport/ID
2. Application form (downloaded from website)
3. Learning agreement proposal (a temporary form should be filled in prior to arrival; the final LA will be signed upon arrival at the University of the Basque Country)

For **ERASMUS+**
The above mentioned documents should be handed in to the school/faculty coordinator at the University of the Basque Country


For **Outside ERASMUS+**
All documents sent to: incoming.internacional@ehu.eus

#### Online registration
Once processed the application the student will receive an invitation to an online registry that is required to issue the acceptance.


#### UPV/EHU Registration
After arriving at the UPV/EHU, with the registration form, these documents will be delivered for registration:
1. Proof of Medical insurance
2. Copy of enrolment form at home university
3. Copy of passport/ID
4. 3 passport-size photos

Application forms:


### For information regarding academic matters
Contact your academic coordinators at your faculty/school at the University of the Basque Country

List of coordinators:

### Courses at the University of the Basque Country

#### Courses/programmes open to visiting students
- Visit website for the faculty/school you will be visiting.
- Ask your academic coordinator at the department you will be visiting.

#### Courses taught in English
Visit website:

#### Study areas restricted to exchange students
Medical studies: check possibilities and restrictions with academic coordinator
Spanish and Basque courses for visitors

- **Spanish and Basque courses**
  - Fall: September to December;
  - Spring: January to May
  - Duration: Fall and Spring semesters
  - Intensive Spanish course: late August
  - Venue: Campus of Alava, Biscay, and Gipuzkoa

- **Further information**

### Cost of living

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<td><strong>TOTAL/MONTH</strong></td>
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### Accommodation for visiting students

Most visitors choose to live in shared, rented flats in the city centres or in family stays. There are also university and private student residences where visitors can settle.

- **Who can help you?**
  - **Help Centres**
  - Campus of Alava
    - [helpcentre1.internacional@ehu.eus](mailto:helpcentre1.internacional@ehu.eus)
    - University Pavilion, Los Apraiz 1
    - Vice Rectorate of the Campus of Alava
    - Comandante Izarduy, 2
    - 01006 Vitoria-Gasteiz
    - Tel: +34 945 014334
  - Campus of Biscay (Leioa)
    - [helpcentre2.internacional@ehu.eus](mailto:helpcentre2.internacional@ehu.eus)
    - Central Library building, floor 2
    - Barrio Sarriena s/n – 48940 Leioa-Erandio
    - Tel: +34 946015868
  - Campus of Biscay (Bilbao)
    - [helpcentre3.internacional@ehu.eus](mailto:helpcentre3.internacional@ehu.eus)
    - Higher Technical School of Engineering
    - Desk P1G11
    - Pza Ingeniero Torres Quevedo 1,
    - 48013 Bilbao
    - Tel: +34 946017365
  - Campus of Gipuzkoa (Donostia-San Sebastián)
    - [helpcentre4.internacional@ehu.eus](mailto:helpcentre4.internacional@ehu.eus)
    - Ignacio Maria Barriola building, floor 1
    - Plaza Elhuyar, 1 – 20018 Donostia-SS
    - Tel: +34 943015192

- **Open:** August to October; January to March
- **Uninterrupted online assistance**
### Medical insurance

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<td>- <strong>EU countries</strong>: students need to get their European Health Card at country of origin.</td>
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<td>- <strong>Non EU countries</strong>: visitors from outside Europe need to purchase a medical insurance in force throughout their stay at the University of the Basque Country.</td>
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### University of the Basque Country, photo gallery

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