

# Slovenia – University of Primorska



## Basic information

The University of Primorska is situated in Portorož. This town is situated by the sea, approximately 120 km from the capital city of Slovenia, Ljubljana, is far away. Portorož is the capital of Slovenian seaside tourism and nightlife. It has a long sandy beach with top-rate bathing facilities. The seaside promenade is lined with restaurants, hotels, and nightclubs.

## Useful links:

- <http://www.upr.si/en> – official school website
- <http://www.hippocampus.si/ISBN/978-961-6832-96-0/index.html> - welcome guide for exchange students

## Transport

- **By plane** – the nearest airport is the international Ljubljana Jože Pučnik Airport situated about 23 kilometers north-west of Ljubljana.
- **By train** – Travel by rail is mostly provided by local trains and on some routes also by Eurocity and Intercity (ICS) trains - the fastest means of rail transport in Slovenia. Connections between larger cities and towns are regular and quite frequent and the trains are comfortable and air-conditioned. The international connections are also available. Ljubljana is directly connected with Vienna, Graz, Villach and Salzburg in Austria; Sofia in Bulgaria; Prague in the Czech Republic; Solun (Thessaloniki) in Greece; Zagreb, Pula, Opatia and Rijeka in Croatia; Venice in Italy; Budapest in Hungary; Skopje in Macedonia; Munich in Germany; Belgrade in Serbia; and Zurich in Switzerland.
  - <http://www.slo-zeleznice.si/en/passengers/abroad> - the website of railway company
- **By bus** - Bus connections are frequent and available to distant locations throughout the whole country.
  - <http://www.ap-ljubljana.si/eng/> - the website of the bus company

## The courses and the syllabi

You can find all courses with their syllabi (just click on the name of the course) here:

<http://www.upr.si/index.php?page=static&item=205>

## Academic calendar

### *The autumn semester*

Study period: beginning of October – end of January

First examination period: end of January – mid-February

### *The spring semester*

Study period: mid-February – beginning of June

Second examination period: beginning of June – beginning of July

Third examination period: mid-August – beginning of September

## Application and registration

Firstly you have to apply at your home university. If you are nominated, the University of Primorska will receive an official nomination from your home university stating that you have been selected.

Students wishing to study at the University of Primorska as part of a mobility exchange should submit the following completed forms:

- Student Application Form
- Learning Agreement
- Housing Request Form
- Student Card Form

## The deadlines

For the submission of applications are:

- Fall semester: 15<sup>th</sup> June

- Spring semester: 15<sup>th</sup> November

## Slovenian grading system

Slovenian grading system		ECTS Grading system
10	Excellent	A
9	Very good	B
8	Very good	C
7	Good	D
6	Satisfactory	E
5 and less	Fail	F

## Accommodation

There is a student dormitory in Portorož for those studying at the Faculty of Tourism Studies – Turistica in Portorož. The university cannot guarantee a student will be placed there. It depends on the number of applications it receives and the number of vacancies. Students can also live in private apartments where the price for a bed can be around EUR 200 per month (including living expenses like electricity, water etc.).

## Holidays:

Slovenia has the following national holidays:

- 1 January
- 8 February
- Easter
- 27 April
- 1-2 May
- Whit Sunday
- 8 June
- 25 June
- 15 August
- 17 August
- 15 September
- 31 October
- 1 November
- 25-26 December

## Do not forget to pack following:

- Valid identification document: passport / identification card (Note: please check that your passport is valid for the whole period of your stay in Slovenia)
- Debit / credit card
- European Health Insurance Card / Insurance documents
- Letter of acceptance
- 2 passport size photos
- Copies of important documents

## International contact person

Erasmus+ Coordinator:

Ms. Petra Zidar

E-mail: [erasmus@upr.si](mailto:erasmus@upr.si)

Tel.: + 386 5 61 17 635