# EXCHANGE STUDIES

AT JÖNKÖPING UNIVERSITY



Ranked amongst the top 25 universities in the world for student exchange, Jönköping University is among the best in Sweden in attracting international students and offering study abroad opportunities across our 4 main schools; Jönköping International Business School, School of Engineering, School of Education and Communication and the School of Health and Welfare.

JU strives to keep internationalisation at its heart, and in collaboration with our 320+ worldwide partner universities we welcome you to be part of our journey.

# Where is Jönköping?

Jönköping is located in the south of Sweden, with central connections to three major cities such as Gothenburg, Stockholm and Malmö.



JU offers a wide range of Englishtaught courses at Bachelor and Master level across all 4 schools, and has many international teachers and staff.

Worried about language barriers?
Don't be! **Sweden is ranked #4 in the world for its English-speaking skills**, with most Swedes speaking a high level of English as their non-native language.

#### Vill du lära dig svenska?

Do you want to learn Swedish?

JU offers all students the opportunity to participate in the Swedish Language Culture and Society courses, to gain a basic understanding of the language and to help you understand Swedes a little better!







 The School of Engineering is one of Sweden's leading educators and a world leader for research in materials and manufacturing technology for casting, working closely with leading companies to anchor your learning into a reality.



- The School of Education and Communication offers a place to get inspired across teaching education, research, global studies, human resources and communication, with a strong focus on sustainability.
- One of Sweden's prime educators in the field of health sciences, health care and social work, the **School of Health and Welfare** integrates Swedish and international students to broaden the global perspective of healthcare.



JU accommodation is off campus, but all **new full-semester international students are guaranteed accommodation when applying correctly.** 

JU's Accommodation Office offers a local pick-up service to new international students during the introduction week! Arrive at one of the designated meeting points during the pick-up service dates/times and you will be guided through the key collection process and taken to your accommodation, stress free!



JU has a designated Student Health Care Service which is free of charge. If you are feeling anxious and need someone to talk to, or are worried about a health issue and not sure how to navigate the Swedish Health Care system, then pay the team a visit and they will be happy to support and guide you. Don't forget, as an exchange student you are covered by JU's emergency health insurance.



A small but mighty international campus in the heart of the city. From modern and clean working environments, to a range of cafés, restaurants and sports facilities. If you can't find what you need on campus, just take a 5-minute walk into the city center or surrounding local area!



Jönköping is a safe and modern city surrounded by lakes, forests and nature. With efficient and modern public transport systems you will get where you need to be with ease.



Did we mention that we have been voted one of the best introductory weeks in Europe? JU has a very active student union with designated international associations across each school. It's run by students, for students, so why not get involved! Collect your patches, put on your overalls and head down to JU's designated student club every Wednesday night. Fancy something a bit quieter? Check out what each association offers, there are plenty of new and exciting activities being organised each semester, whatever your interests are.



"I highly recommend Jönköping University for an exchange semester, because of the internationalism, the atmosphere on campus and the friendly university staff"



"Before the exchange I thought I would mostly hang out with other international students, but Swedish students were very welcoming, friendly and taught us more about Swedish culture, especially about its food and folktales"



"The whole campus spirit was really incredible, the hierarchies are flat and there is much more emphasis on cohesion. Studying full-time in English motivated me and also brought my previous knowledge to a new level. The multicultural environment was inspiring and I had the chance to develop myself socially"

Visit our website for more information: www.ju.se

Want a visual representation of JU and Sweden?

Take a look at some of our videos

https://vimeo.com/152953723

https://www.youtube.com/@jonkopinguniversity https://www.youtube.com/@StudyinSwedenOfficial



## How does the process work?

- Approach your home university's International Office about a nomination. Jönköping University is made up of 4 main schools. Your home university will have an agreement with one or more of the schools and according to the agreement, you will be nominated to a single school.
  - School of Engineering (JTH)
- → School of Health and Welfare (HHJ)
- School of Education and Communication (HLK)
- Jönköping International Business School (JIBS)
- After Jönköping University has reviewed your nomination, you will receive an email with instructions to complete your online application by the deadline. This is when you will...
  - → Choose courses from your JU school Apply for accommodation
  - Complete personal data

    Upload required documentation
  - Receive your Letter of Acceptance and Insurance Certificate
- Complete the steps in your accommodation application by announcing your arrival and attend the 'Online Pre-arrival Meeting' organised by JU's International Office.
- See you on campus for the Introduction Week!

# Visas and Residence Permits - check if this applies to you

https://www.migrationsverket.se /English/Privateindividuals/Studying-in-Sweden/Higher-education.html

A minimum of 30 credits is required when applying for a residence permit

#### **Deadlines**

#### Autumn semester

Partner nomination: 20 April Student application: 25 April

### Spring semester

Partner nomination: 10 October Student application: 15 October

# Where can I find courses for Exchange Students?

Scan the QR to take you to the JU web and choose your JU school



