

Going abroad as part of your studies

We start at 10:15

Today's hosts: Søren and Mette

Spring 2024

Agenda

1. Considerations
Why, when, where, and how much?
2. Options
Exchange, self-arranged stay, traineeship, other opportunities
(focus on exchange)
3. Application for exchange: How to do it
What the application looks like + tips and tricks
4. Nice to know about self-arranged stays
Funding + where to find more information
5. Nice to know about traineeships
Funding + where to find more information
6. Other opportunities
7. Who can help with what?



Considerations

Why, when, where, and how much?



Considerations: Why go?

Academic benefits

- Another approach to studying
- Add to your academic profile
- Your résumé
- Language skills
- Intercultural competences

Social benefits

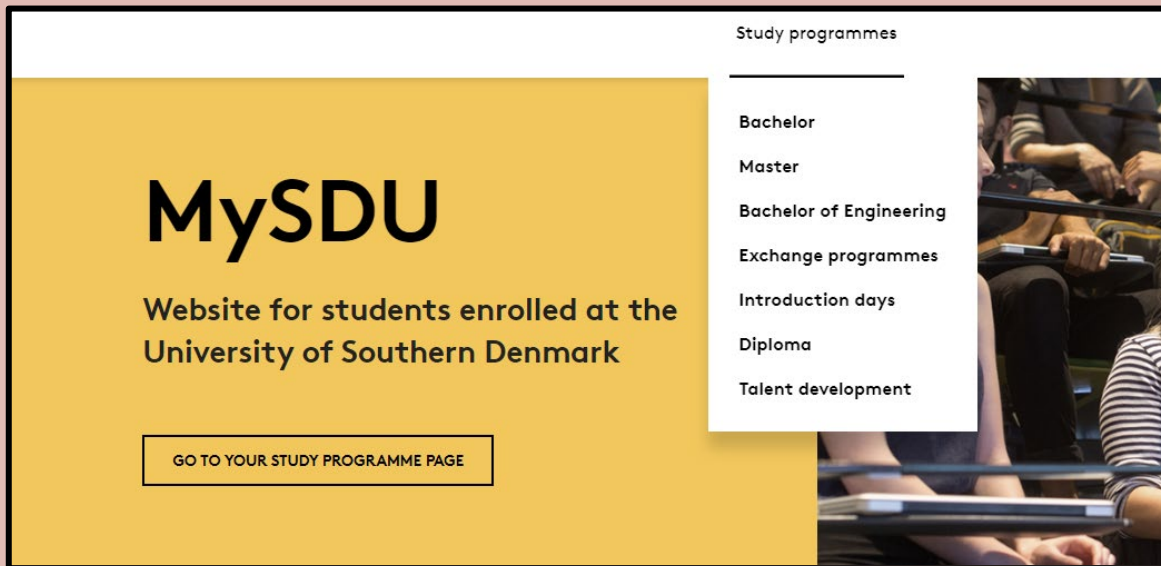
- International network – new friends
- Personal development
- Independence and courage



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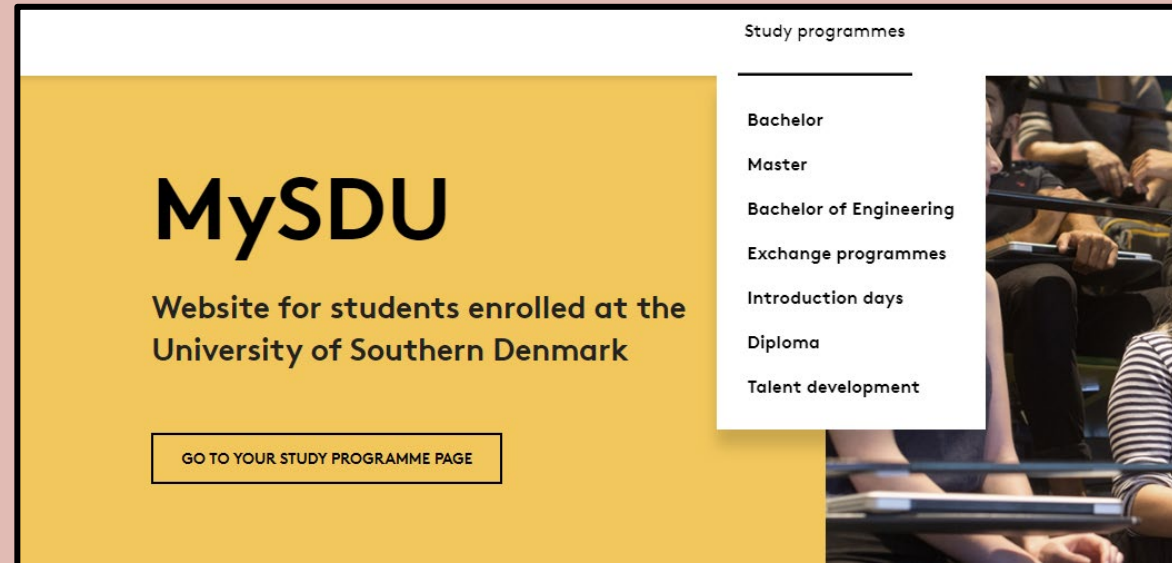
Considerations: When to go?

Which semester(s) of your bachelor's or master's?

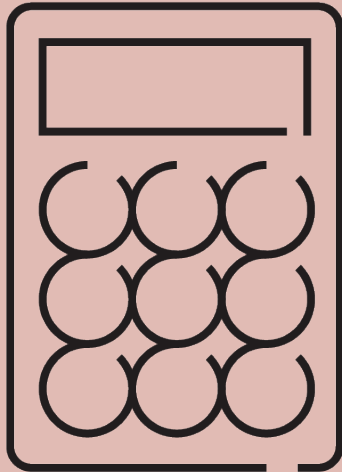


Considerations: Where to go?

- How far away from home?
- Academic matters
- Conditions for studying
- Special interests
- Language qualifications
- Financial matters



Considerations: Financial matters



Expenses

- (Tuition fees)
- Books and study materials
- Travel costs
- Insurance
- Rent
- Food
- Fun and trips

Income

- SU + SU loan
- Travel grant (exchange) or Udlandsstipendium/State Grant (tuition payment)
- Own savings
- Private grants
 - Search for relevant grants
 - Be aware of deadlines
 - Focus your application
 - Don't wait until you have been accepted

Options

Exchange, self-arranged, project oriented placement, etc.



Study abroad: Different ways of doing it

Exchange

- SDU International helps you
- Erasmus+: the EU
- Nordplus: Scandinavia + Baltic states
- Overseas: the rest of the world

Self-arranged

- You help yourself

Project-oriented placement (traineeship)

Other opportunities

**Let's focus on
exchange
(for now)**

Erasmus + and Nordplus

- Specific subject area
- Many places available
- Big chance of getting a spot if you're flexible

Overseas

- Faculty wide agreements
- More applicants than places
- Important to have alternatives

Self-arranged with a discount

- James Cook University, Australia
- University of Tasmania, Australia
- Swinburne University of Technology, Australia

SDU Exchange places: Application deadlines

1 March 2024:

For the academic year 2024/2025

1 October 2024:

Remaining places for the spring semester 2025

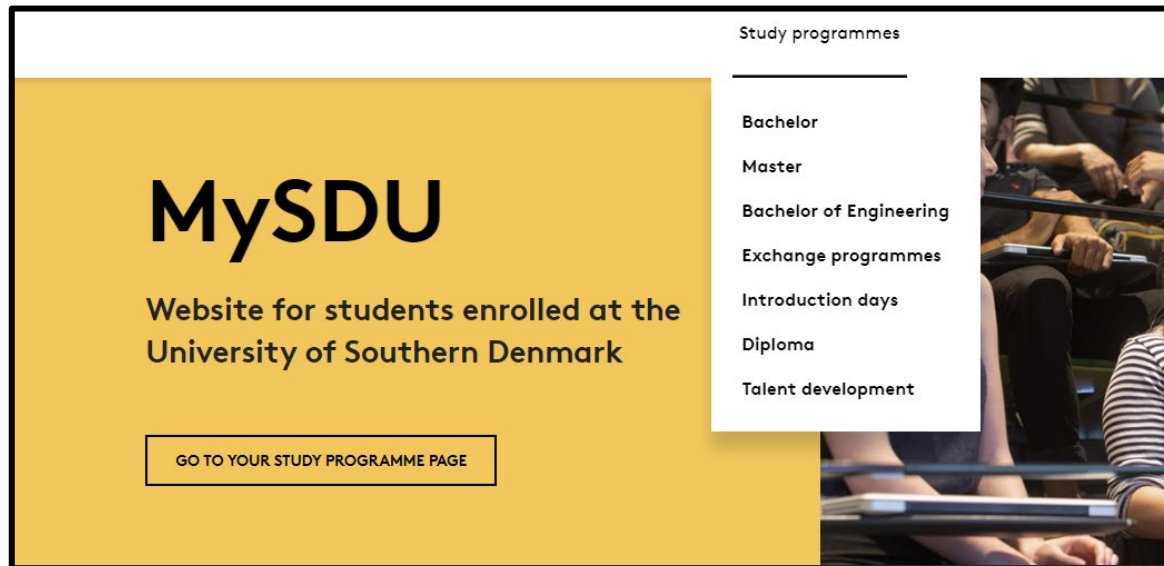
1 November 2024:

For the academic year 2025/2026



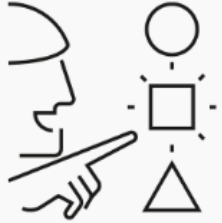
Application for an exchange place

Application - Step 1:



Check your study program: Which types of courses do you need?

Check your curriculum (studieordning) at mitsdu.dk



Where to go?

Opportunities to go abroad

If you want to study abroad as part of your studies at SDU, there are a number of options for you.



How to apply

How to do it

There are many academic and that need to be addressed when abroad period.

Application - Step 2:

Lists of available places:
mitsdu.dk/studyabroad → Choose your study programme → Opportunities to go abroad

Opportunities to go abroad

If you want to study abroad as part of your studies at SDU, there are a number of options for you. You will find that it is not as complicated as you might expect!

→ Exchange within Europe

→ Exchange overseas

→ Internship and traineeship (project oriented placement)

→ Self-arranged stay

Application - Step 2:

ID	COUNTRY	PARTNER	HOST FACULTY	STUDY	LEVEL	NUMBER OF PLACES	COMMENTS
2435	Hong Kong	Hong Kong Baptist University		Humanities (HUM) Business and Social Sciences (SAMF) Engineering (TEK) Psychology	BA, Cand	2	Min. grade point average 6.5. For more information: http://intl.hkbu.edu.hk . Not suitable for Master students in business administration.

ID	COUNTRY	PARTNER	HOST FACULTY	STUDY	LEVEL	NUMBER OF PLACES	COMMENTS
3709	Germany	Ruhr University Bochum	Faculty of Management and Economics	Business and Social Sciences (SAMF)	BA, Cand	2	Limited courses in English (except for graduate studies in economics). Recommended, but not mandatory: B2 in German. See more: https://www.wiwi.ruhr-uni-bochum.de/international/incomings/index.html

Identify the places you can apply for

- Correct academic level
- Your study programme
- Faculty wide agreements

Please note that this list is only a guideline. Your study board makes the final decision.

Partner	Undergraduate	Graduate	Comments
Australia			
Deakin University	4 points = 30 ECTS	4 points = 30 ECTS	Full-time load: 4 Deakin p
Federation University Australia	60 credits = 30 ECTS	60 credits = 30 ECTS	
Griffith University	40 credits = 30 ECTS	40 credits = 30 ECTS	1 course is normally 10 cr
James Cook University	12 credits = 30 ECTS	12 credits = 30 ECTS	1 course is normally 3 cre
Murdoch University	12 credits = 30 ECTS	12 credits = 30 ECTS	
Queensland University of Technology (QUT)	48 credits = 30 ECTS	48 credits = 30 ECTS	
Swinburne University of Technology	50 credits = 30 ECTS	50 credits = 30 ECTS	1 unit = 12.5 credits = 4 un
University of Tasmania	4 units = 30 ECTS	-----	1 unit = 12.5% = 7.5 ECTS
University of Wollongong	24 credits = 30 ECTS	24 credits = 30 ECTS	
Brasil			
Pontificia Universidade Catolica do Rio de Janeiro	20 credits = 30 ECTS	20 credits = 30 ECTS	Students normally take 20
Universidade Federal do Rio Grande do Sul	20-24 units = 30 ECTS		
Universidade Tecnológica Federal do Paraná	30 hour course = 4 ECTS	30 hour course = 4 ECTS	Maximum per week = 40 h
Canada			
Centennial College of Applied Arts and Technology, Toronto	20 credits = 30 ECTS	20 credits = 30 ECTS	
Memorial University of New Foundland	3 MUN credits = 6 ECTS	3 MUN credits = 6 ECTS	
Mount Allison University	15 credits = 30 ECTS	Partner recommends 2-3 courses per semester	1 course = 3 credits = 6 ECTS
St. Francis Xavier University			

Application - Step 3:

- Check the websites of host universities and find relevant courses
- Tip for search words: University name + “incoming exchange” / “Fact sheet”
- Better to be thorough than quick
- Courses for the autumn 2024 are probably not available yet – try to find courses from the autumn 2023 instead
- Be aware of semesters – and the language of instruction
- Check “[Credits to ECTS](#)” table for conversion of credits to ECTS (if relevant)

Application - Step 4:

Fill in the application

- mitsdu.dk/studyabroad → Opportunities to go abroad → Exchange within Europe/Exchange overseas → Apply here
- Login to the application form with your SDU login
- More than one agreement at the same university?
 - Always prioritise a spot with an Erasmus+ grant over a spot with a Nordplus grant
- Make sure your priorities reflect your wishes; you can't change them after submitting
- Only places listed on the pdfs are available (tip: search the id)
- You can list up to 10 priorities in your application

Filter

Search

Country ▾

Undergraduate

Graduate

Humaniora ▾

Naturvidenskab ▾

Samfundsvidenskab ▾

Sundhedsvidenskab ▾

Teknik ▾

Reset

Exchange agreements (1/663)

Showing 1 - 1 of 1

Previous Next

Id	Country	University	Programme	Eligible applicants	Level
2435	HK	Hong Kong Baptist University	Overseas exchange	Psychology Humanities (HUM) Business and Social Sciences (SAMF) Engineering (TEK)	Cand,BA

Timeline: Preparation for your exchange stay for the academic year of 2024/2025

Now

Clarification and
research of
courses

1 March

Application
deadline

Late March

Decisions are sent
out by SDU
International

Later

Apply to host
university, pre-
approval, etc.

Allocation of exchange places

- Full-degree student at SDU
- Grade point average
- Minimum requirements
 - You must have passed at least 30 ECTS at university level
 - You must have a grade point average of min. 2.0 (U/absence from an exam counts as -3)
- Other factors
 - Needed ECTS load (minimum 25 ECTS) in exchange semester
 - Previous exchanges



Erasmus+ Students with special needs for support

Who?

Students with physical, mental, or health-related conditions with special needs for support

How?

- Apply for extra financial support. Contact SDU International (students who are already qualified by SPS at SDU are eligible for extra financial support)
- Benefit from local support services at the host university



Self-arranged stay

A brief introduction

SU (Udlandsstipendium)

Drømmer du om at læse et semester eller to eller måske hele din kandidatuddannelse i New York, Berlin, Rom, på Hawaii eller måske et helt andet sted i verden, så er udlandsstipendium noget for dig.



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Tilskuddet til uddannelsen svarer til det tilskud, den danske stat giver til en tilsvarende uddannelse i Danmark.

Hvis du vil på studieophold og søge udlandsstipendium, skal du:

- Have mindst 1 SU- klip/slutlånsrate, når du begynder opholdet
- Søge merit for de fag, du vil læse
- Optages på værtsuniversitetet
- Søge stipendium (find ansøgningskemaet [her](#))

Ansøgning om udlandsstipendium

Når du har sendt al nødvendig dokumentation til SU-kontoret, skal du udfylde ansøgningskemaet

UDFYLD ANSØGNINGSSKEMAET
HER

Self-arranged

- Payment of tuition fees
 - Possibility of Udlandsstipendium/State Grant
- No geographical restrictions
- No direct competition with other SDU students
- You organise everything
- Less support from SDU International
 - Check out the *Check List* – can be of help
- A few partners offer discount for self-arranged:
 - James Cook University, Australia
 - Swinburne University of Technology, Australia
 - University of Tasmania, Australia

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UDFYLD ANSØGNINGSSKEMAET
HER

Self-arranged: Application for funding

Outgoingapp.sdu.dk → Selfarranged study or traineeship

Submit via spoc.sdu.dk

- Pre-approval from Study Board
- Documentation of admission
- If applying for Udlandsstipendium/State grant: also documentation of tuition fee and course descriptions

So, to sum up:

Exchange

- No tuition fees
- Support from SDU International
- SDU cooperation with host university
- Automatic grant
 - Erasmus+, SDU Internationalisation Fund, or Nordplus
- You can also apply for private grants

Self-arranged

- Tuition fees
- You organise everything
- No geographical limitations
- Applications for grants
 - if you receive SU:
Udlandsstipendium/State Grant
 - If not: SDU Internationalisation Fund
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Traineeship Grants

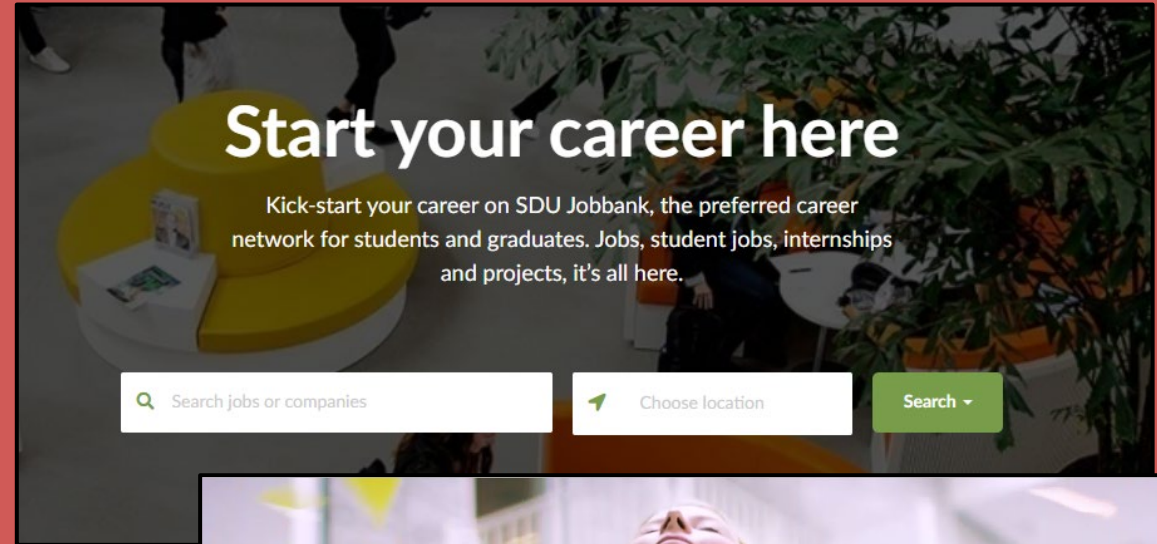
(Project Oriented Placement)

Traineeship (Project Oriented Placement)

How to find a traineeship place?

- You must find the place yourself
- You can get help here:
 - jobbank.sdu.dk
 - SDU RIO

mitsdu.dk → your study programme →
Karriereveje / Career paths



Traineeship grants

(Project Oriented Placement)

Erasmus+ Traineeship

- 2-12 months
- EU+ associated countries
- Must apply minimum 1 month before leaving Denmark
- Documentation required:
 - Pre-approval by Study Board / study programme
 - Erasmus+ Learning Agreement for Traineeships
 - Erasmus+ evaluation after

Other types of traineeships

- No geographical restrictions
- Apply for SDU Internationalisation Fund
- Documentation required:
 - Pre-approval by Study Board / study programme
 - Contract with company/organisation

Opportunities to go abroad

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→ Exchange within Europe

→ Internship and traineeship (project oriented placement)

Internship and Traineeship (Project Oriented Placement)

Have you been offered an internship or project-oriented placement abroad? Here you can find out how to apply for a grant through SDU International.

→ 2 types of grants
Which one to apply for?

→ How to apply
Important documents and checklist

→ Am I allowed to get paid?

→ For soon-to-be graduates
Erasmus+ traineeship

APPLY HERE!

Selfarranged study or traineeship

Erasmus+ traineeship / internship, applications for the Internationalization fund – both traineeship and study – and application for state grant.

Self arranged

Traineeship (Project Oriented Placement)

Application online:

- mitsdu.dk/studyabroad → Opportunities to go abroad → Internship → Apply here
- Login to the application form with your SDU login

Submit via spoc.sdu.dk

- Approval from study / study board
- Contract for traineeship
- If Erasmus+: Learning Agreement for Traineeships

Other opportunities to go abroad



EPICUR

European University Alliance: 9 universities working closely together

New opportunities:

- Short courses
- Semester courses
- Internships
- Entrepreneurship
- Missions
- Much more...

EPICUR

- Wide range of courses in Language & Culture, Liberal Arts and Sciences, Language Training for Mobility, programmes related to environmental issues, sustainable development and European identities
- Application: directly to Epicur → www.epicur.education
- Got questions? epicur@sdu.dk

Intercultural Competence for Global Citizens

Key Competences LA in-depth 3 ECTS



Germans are cold, Polish drink too much, Chinese don't come out with their opinions, French are arrogant, US Americans are loud, Africans are always late... Stereotypes and bias are

Geographic Information Systems (GIS) in Education for Sustainable Development

Education and Communication for Sustainable Development LA thematic 2 ECTS



The aim of this course is to gain basic knowledge and practical experience in the use of Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and to explore existing European data resources (Geodata /

Constitutional Law of the European Union (European Constitutional Law)

European Futures LA thematic 5 ECTS



The course focuses on the institutional structure of the European Union aiming at highlighting its constitutional features. The course examines, firstly, conceptual issues (the

north2north

(under the Uarctic network)

Grants and tuition fee waivers for Nordic and North American universities.

Application process is a bit different:

- Motivational Letter and CV required

Priority given to students:

- within study programs that are thematically related to the north/Arctic
- with a specific personal or academic interest in northern/arctic issues.

Deadline: 15 February, 2024

More information: mitsdu.dk/studyabroad → Menu in top-right corner → north2north



Summer schools

Same procedure as self-arranged study abroad

Possible to get Udlandsstipendium/State Grant to pay the tuition fees if credit earning

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
www.summerschoolsineurope.eu

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Maritime Informatics & Robotics - Maritime2023

SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING - Department of Product and Systems Design Engineering
3 Jul 2023 to 12 Jul 2023
Syros

Spend 10 days in Syros, designing and building a real sea going robot!


 **Creative Storytelling and Creative Writing**

REGISTRATION

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SUMMER SCHOOL
5 ECTS

Summer School on EU Policy Making
Analysing civil rights in today's EU



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- ✓ Thinking imaginatively with an "outside the b
- ✓ Writing for the audier ability to make them e

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I'm confused...
Who can help me?
Glad you asked!

SDU International

- Exchange places
- Application process
- Admission to host university
- Finances
- Contact to partner universities

Study Board / Academic Advisor

- All questions related to courses and your study programme at SDU
- Pre-approval of courses
- Final credit transfer

Host university

- Application form
- Acceptance letter
- Courses / type of work
- Housing
- Introduction

How can I contact SDU International?



SPOC.sdu.dk

SDU International (EN) / International uddannelse (DK)



+45 6550 2264

Monday: 10:00 - 14:00

Tuesday: 12:00 - 14:00

Wednesday-Friday: 10:00 - 14:00



Campus Esbjerg: February 21: Open office, room E-81015, 10:00 - 14:00

Campus Sønderborg: February 20: Open office, by the Student Services, 10:00 - 14:00

Campus Slagelse: February 20: Open office in A-1.06, 12:15 - 15:15

Campus Kolding: February 22: Open office in 21.56, 10:00 - 14:00

Campus Odense: Office at Campus Square: Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10:00 - 14:00