

TECNUN Information sheet





About the university:

The University of Navarra is a Catholic University founded in 1952 and recently has been ranked among the best by "The Herald Tribune" and ranked as the 4th best Spanish university in Europe according to the Times Higher Education QS University Ranking.

It has 4 Campuses, the <u>IESE</u> Business School in Madrid, Barcelona and New York, and the main campus in Pamplona, which has 17 Faculties and Schools (and including <u>University of Navarra Hospital</u> and the <u>CIMA</u> Medical Research Center), and the <u>Technological Campus</u> in San Sebastian, which hosts <u>Technological Campus</u> in San Sebastian in San

Tecnun is ranked as the 1st private Spanish Engineering School and it is 3rd in global ranking, according to the Spanish ranking in "El Mundo".

TECNUN offers new degrees in the Bch/Ms model (4+1) according to the post-"Bolonia Agreement" that started at Tecnun in year 2009-2010.

The current Tecnun academic offer is:

- Undergraduate Degrees:
 - o Engineering in Industrial Technologies
 - o Mechanical Engineering
 - o Electrical Engineering
 - Engineering in Industrial Electronics
 - Engineering in Telecommunications Systems
 - Engineering in Communications Electronics
 - Industrial Management Engineering
 - Engineering in Industrial Design and Product Development
 - Biomedical Engineering
- Master's Degrees:
 - MSc in Research in Applied Engineering
 - MSc in Indurstrial Engineering
 - MSc in Telecommunicatins Engineering

We have a very close relationship with the CEIT Research Centre, where students can engage in research projects, some of which are funded by industry, which they could write up in English. The web site for CEIT is at http://www.ceit.es.

We also have links to multinational companies that have factories in Spain and where students can work or train in 6-month internships, where in some cases it is possible to participate in English.

Academic matters:			
Link to course information on web page	Next academic year Tecnun will be offering the 5th year of the old previous 5-year degrees (Pre-Bolonia plan: http://www.tecnun.es/en/academic-programs/engineering-degrees-plan-99.html) and the complete new 4-year Bachelor degrees (Bolonia Plan: http://www.tecnun.es/en/academic-programs/engineering-degrees-plan-2009-bolonia.html).		
Language requirements	No language requirements. But some knowledge of Spanish is recommended.		
Courses taught in English	More than 20% of the TECNUN courses are offered in English, intensively in the last years which help students from other countries to afford their stay.		
Language support available to Erasmus students	Spanish classes are offered for international students. And most of the teachers can attend individual tutorials in English.		

Semester dates:

1st semester: early September to December (before Christmas) 2nd semester: early January to mid May

Extraordinary exams: June

More info: http://www.tecnun.es/alumnos/informacion-curso-2011-2012.html

Housing:

TECNUN haven't its own hosting infrastructures on campus or in the environs of San Sebastián. But there is a department which support students trying to find accommodation for their period of study in San Sebastián.

More info: http://www.tecnun.es/en/admision/accommodation.html

Application information:				
General application procedure for Erasmus students		Students on exchange programmes should submit the on-line application form for admission before the deadlines outlined below. https://www1.tecnun.es/esiiss-s/Admision/applicationform.htm		
Application deadlines		 1st of May for the 1st semester (winter semester). 1st of October for the 2nd semester (summer semester). 		
Pre-arrival information:				
Mentoring programme	Student mentoring is defined as a one-to-one relationship between a student and a lecturer. The lecturer provides consistent support, guidance, and concrete help to a student who is in need of a positive role model. Mentoring is a service that seeks to improve the students' academic performance and to facilitate their participation in college life. The lecturer offers career advice, outlining available options and avenues for further education. Mentors help students to plot cultural and personal goals leading to a more personal and efficient form of education. Additionally, a local student, known as a "Buddy", can be assigned to an international student to help with their needs in whatever circumstance.			

Orientation programme	A <u>Welcoming Day</u> is designed to assist new international students in settling into university life at the University of Navarra. During Welcoming Day you can:		
	 Meet other students and staff, including mentors (Tecnun faculty members) and Buddy (local students) Receive important information about your programme of study Familiarise yourself with the School and all its facilities 		
Is the orientation compulsory?	Not compulsory but advisable		

Tourist Information:

San Sebastián - The city

San Sebastian is a stunning Summer destination, one of the most beautiful beach-towns in Europe according to the British Newspaper <u>The Times</u>, a city that is impossible not to fall in love with, as <u>Lonely Planet</u> states and one of the "15 destinations on the rise", according to <u>Tripadvisor</u>.

San Sebastian (also called Donostia in Basque) is a cosmopolitan city, medium sized (around 180,000 inhabitants), facing the sea, and very famous for its beauty and aesthetic appeal. It's a great city to live and study.

www.donostia.org www.gipuzkoa.net www.turismoa.euskadi.net www.euskadi.net

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