



Student Exchange Program via Bilateral Agreements (non-Erasmus) for 2025-2026

We are pleased to announce the selection calendar for the 2025-2026 Student Exchange Program under our non-Erasmus bilateral agreements with partner universities worldwide. This program offers students the opportunity to study abroad for one semester.

Eligibility

Students who have completed minimum 2nd or maximum 3rd semester at their departments with a minimum CGPA of 3.00/4.00 are eligible to apply. Due to limited quotas, students who will apply to both Bilateral Exchange and Erasmus+ Programs must choose one program and cannot participate to both. Additionally, applications are not accepted for students in their graduation semester.

Application Process

Applications can be submitted online from 16 October 2024 to 30 October 2024 (17:00) via the application portal <https://app.erasmus.bilkent.edu.tr/> under the “BEA-Bilateral Exchange Applications” menu. The following documents must be uploaded during the online application process:

- CV
- Statement of purpose
- Signed application form (to be uploaded upon completion of the application)
- TOEFL/IELTS score (mandatory for applications to partner universities in the U.S. and Canada)

Selection Process

Departmental exchange coordinators will have access to the application forms, CVs, statements of purpose, and CGPA information via the portal from 31 October 2024. Coordinators may assess candidates based on their CGPA or conduct online interviews. We kindly request that you provide us with the list of successful candidates and their rankings by 6 November 2024 via exchange@bilkent.edu.tr. The university-wide results will be announced to students by our office on 8 November 2024 at 17:00.

For more information, students may visit our website or contact our office. We would appreciate it if you could share this information with your students. Please also remind qualified students that they must maintain a minimum CGPA of 3.00/4.00 until their departure.