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Website https://en-coller.tau.ac.il/the-programs/exchange/overview Nomination deadlines - AY2023/24 Summer Term: May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Fall Term: July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 Spring Term: November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023

## **Nomination procedure**

A formal exchange nomination should be sent by the home school Exchange Coordinator. Please send nominations via the **Online Nomination Form** (Link will be provided via email). The Online Nomination Form will include the students' names, citizenship, gender, birthdates, university email addresses, and secondary email address.

## **Application procedure**

#### **Required Documents for students from partner schools:**

After a nomination is submitted, the coordinator will ask students to complete the Exchange Application, and deliver the following documents: Record of Studies, CV, and Passport Photo, as well as an English Certification (more information under **English Requirements**).

#### **Required Documents for Free Movers (from non-partner schools):**

Free Movers must provide the following documents: Record of past and current studies, CV and homeschool approval, a Passport Photo and an English Certification (more information under **English Requirements**).



### \*Tentative\* Dates for 2023-2024 Academic Year

During our fall semester, Students can come for a full term (14 weeks) or the first half of the term as a mini module (7 weeks). We will also be offering exchange in our third module which is the first 7 weeks of the spring semester.

#### Summer Program 2023: July 16, 2023 - September 10, 2023

\*Short intensive courses (see summer 2023 brochure <u>here</u>). Exchange ratio is 1:3. <u>Course Registration</u>: Tentative selection in September (for Fall courses). Final selection during the second week of the term.

#### \*Exams are held during the 2-3 weeks after the end of each module.

Fall 2023: October 15, 2023 – January 21, 2024

\*Arrival: 7-10 days before the term starts.

Orientation: takes place a week before the semester starts.

- Fall Module 1 (Mini-Module): October 15, 2023 December 1, 2023
- Students can either attend the first half of the fall term as a short exchange program (lasting 7 weeks only) or the entire semester (lasting 14 weeks).
- Fall Module 2 (Mini-Module): December 3, 2023 January 21, 2024

Spring 2024 - Module 3 (Mini-module): February 18 – April 7, 2024

#### Orientation: takes place a week before the semester starts.





### **Academic overview**

The Coller Exchange Program is open to MBA/MSc/MA students and qualified professionals. The Coller School of Management offers a variety of courses for its visiting students in strategy, entrepreneurship, finance-accounting, marketing, organizational behavior, decisions and operations research, technology and information systems. The program also offers courses from other TAU schools on Israeli Culture, History, Economics and more.

### **English requirements**

#### All courses are taught in English.

A high level of English Proficiency is required. If your home school is not affiliated with <u>PIM</u> we require one of the following:

- TOEFL: we require a minimum of 100 on the internet-based test and 250 on the computer based test.
- IELTS: we require a minimum of 7.
- Students who completed their undergraduate studies in English or are currently studying their entire graduate degree in English can submit a letter from their home university confirming English proficiency in lieu of an English proficiency exam.
- An official letter from an English expert at the home university that confirms the English level is B2 or above.

#### **Available Language Courses**

Hebrew language courses are offered to exchange students at <u>TAU International</u> (the cost of these courses is not part of the partner's school agreement).

#### Courses

#### Fall 2022 Course List

\*The full list of courses for 2023-2024 will be published about a month before the semester. All students can take courses at <u>TAU International</u> (undergraduate level) and at the <u>Buchman</u> <u>Faculty of Law</u>.

#### **Course load**

A term at the Coller School of Management runs 13 or 14 weeks and is divided into two modules. Exchange students can stay for the full term or for half a term. Students attending the Full Semester are expected to take at least 5 Coller credits. Students attending half a term are expected to take at least 3 Coller credits. Most courses are one credit. One credit is equivalent to 7 meetings of 2:45 minutes (with a 15-minute break). Two credit courses are 14 meetings.

One credit at Coller is 4 ECTS.

#### Learning expectations

Most courses combine frontal lectures with case studies and teamwork. The evaluation of class participation and attendance differs from class to class and is at the teacher's discretion.

#### Grading

The TAU grading system is based on scores of 0-100:

100-95=Excellent, 94-85=Very Good, 84-75=Good, 74-65=Fairly Good, 64-60= Fair, 60-0=Fail.

Transcripts are sent by e-mail to both the school and the students.

#### **Exams**

Exams are held during the 2-3 weeks following the end of each module. All exams are written ones.



## **Useful information**

### **Housing and Living Expenses**

On-Campus housing is not guaranteed and is offered on a limited basis. Students should seek housing as soon as possible. The Exchange Coordinator will provide students with information on housing around the city.

Off-campus housing: 600-800 USD per month (a room in a rented apartment).

#### **Academic Expenses**

~100 USD per term.

#### **Other Expenses**

Living expenses: 1,000 USD per month (transportation, food, pastime, etc.).

Student activities: 100 USD (optional).

Sport club: 400 USD (optional).





## **Important information**

### **Health Insurance**

Exchange students must have health insurance either from home or from an Israeli company (offered through the university). The estimated cost is 2.5 USD per day. **Each student must provide health insurance coverage documents prior to arrival.** 

### Visa

The letter of acceptance produced by the Exchange Coordinator may be used to obtain a student visa. **Students should secure a student visa before arriving in Israel**.

### **University Facilities**

The TAU 220-acre campus is known for its aesthetic appeal. Its foliage, attractive buildings, and various lawns, where students spend time in between classes. Further, there are several libraries and computer centers. Social activities are plentiful and the Campus Sports and Recreation Center provides a broad range of activities.

The Coller School of Management has up-to-date technological and electronic infrastructure enabling the use of the latest teaching techniques. The classrooms are connected through a local area network, equipped with audio-visual, amplifying and screening systems. For those who use laptops, there is a Wi-Fi network available.

### **Important information**

#### Internships

Many companies in Israel demand at least a full-year internship and some knowledge of Hebrew. Therefore, not many exchange students can land internships. Yet, some students contact foreign embassies or other foreign companies and do manage to find short-term internships. For more information, please contact our Career Management Center: <u>collercmc@tauex.tau.ac.il</u>

#### **Exchange Coordinator Services:**

We want to ensure you enjoy their stay at Coller! We do our best to attend to any special personal needs and requirements. You can get information about our exchange program through our website, by email, or by regular mail.

