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## JoinEU-SEE: Information Sheet

### Name of University

Katholieke Universiteit Leuven

### General websites

Website of the university	<a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/english">http://www.kuleuven.be/english</a>
Website for JoinEU-SEE students	<a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/international/emecw_joineusee.html">http://www.kuleuven.be/international/emecw_joineusee.html</a>

### Academic calendar

Start and end dates of the winter term (lecture period)	September 22 – December 19, 2009
Start and end dates of the spring term (lecture period)	February 8, 2010 – May 22, 2010
Link to academic calendar	<a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/about/academic_calendar.html">http://www.kuleuven.be/about/academic_calendar.html</a>
Examination period(s)	January 2010, 11-30 & June 7, 2010 - July 3, 2010
Registration Session / Date	August 17, 2009: start registration period for 2009-2010.

### Admission & registration

Admission & registration deadline for degree students	Admission deadline: March 1. Registration deadline: October 15.
Admission & registration contact information for degree students	<a href="mailto:admission@kuleuven.be">admission@kuleuven.be</a>
Admission & registration deadline for exchange students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Admission deadline for mobility in the fall semester: May 20</li><li>• Admission deadline for mobility in the spring semester: October 20</li><li>• Registration deadline: October 15</li></ul>
Admission & registration contact information for exchange students	<a href="mailto:admission@kuleuven.be">admission@kuleuven.be</a>

### Tuition fees

The tuition fees range from € 567,8 to € 8600.



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## Course information websites

Study opportunities within JoinEU-SEE: [http://www.kuleuven.be/international/emecw\\_joinusee.html](http://www.kuleuven.be/international/emecw_joinusee.html)

Useful information: <http://www.kuleuven.be/admissions>

## Number of credits/points/units for full-time degree studies

In one term of master/doctorate's studies	30 credits/not applicable
In one year of master/doctorate's studies	60 credits/not applicable

## Master's degree

No. of credits required for completion of a master's degree	60 or 120 credits
No. of years required for completion of a master's degree	1 year or 2 years

## Doctorate's degree

No. of credits required for completion of a doctorate's degree	Not applicable
No. of years required for completion of a doctorate's degree	4 years

## Language of instruction and verification of language proficiency

Please note: The requirements depend on the programme you are applying for. You can find the requirements on the webpage of each programme.

Language of instruction (depends on the study fields)	You can find this on the webpage of each programme.
Language test certificate required for JoinEU-SEE degree students (yes/no)	Yes
Language test certificate required for JoinEU-SEE exchange students (yes/no)	No
If yes, please answer what kind of certificate is needed	TOEFL or IELTS
<i>If English-test is needed, please answer what minimum score is required</i>	
TOEFL score (computer/internet/paper)	213 on a computer-based TOEFL test 79 on an internet-based test 550 on a paper-based TOEFL test
Cambridge/Oxford score	/
IELTS score	6,5
Other programmes	/



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## Housing

Housing assistance	<p><b><u>Proir to arrival</u></b>  <b>We oblige students to book temporary (a few nights) guesthousing themselves in advance.</b>          Guesthousing can be found on:  <a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/accommodation/guestroom.html">http://www.kuleuven.be/accommodation/guestroom.html</a>  <b>It's impossible to arrange permanent housing before arrival in Leuven!</b></p> <p><b><u>Upon arrival in Leuven</u></b>          Once in Leuven and settled in a temporary guestroom, you are welcome to come to the Housing Service (Van Dalecollege, Naamsestraat 80). The Housing Service will provide and assist in finding permanent accommodation. You can find the available rooms in this online database:  <a href="http://cwisdb.kuleuven.be/pls/kamers/hvzoek.warung">http://cwisdb.kuleuven.be/pls/kamers/hvzoek.warung</a>          In order to arrange permanent housing smoothly, we recommend that students come to Leuven approximately 1 week before the beginning of the courses. It will take from a few days up to one week to find suitable accommodation.</p>
Link to housing information/application	<a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/accommodation">http://www.kuleuven.be/accommodation</a>
Housing application deadlines	Arrange temporary housing as soon as you have received your letter of admission to K.U. Leuven.
Living expenses	<a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/admissions/pdf/living.pdf">http://www.kuleuven.be/admissions/pdf/living.pdf</a>
Facilities for students with special needs	<a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/studentervices/disability.html">http://www.kuleuven.be/studentervices/disability.html</a>

## Welcome Service

Mentor system	<a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/orientationdays/programme/buddy.html">http://www.kuleuven.be/orientationdays/programme/buddy.html</a>
Welcome event / orientation week	Wednesday September 16, 2009 - Sunday 20 September 2009 Wednesday February 3, 2010 – Sunday February 7, 2010 <a href="http://www.kuleuven.be/orientationdays/index.html">http://www.kuleuven.be/orientationdays/index.html</a>
(Intensive) language courses offered before the beginning of the semester	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• General English Crash Course:  <a href="http://ilt.kuleuven.be/english/cursus/andere_eng_crashcourse.php">http://ilt.kuleuven.be/english/cursus/andere_eng_crashcourse.php</a></li> <li>• Full-time intensive summer course in Dutch language and culture: <a href="http://ilt.kuleuven.be/english">http://ilt.kuleuven.be/english</a></li> </ul>
(Intensive) language courses offered during the semester	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic English for Master's Students:  <a href="http://ilt.kuleuven.be/english/cursus/andere_academic_english.php">http://ilt.kuleuven.be/english/cursus/andere_academic_english.php</a></li> <li>• Dutch for Foreign Students: this free course lasts 3 months and is meant for beginning students in order to activate communication through conversational exercises. It is a practical course based on the principles of Dutch grammar. The aim is to make students acquainted with the vocabulary of every-day life. Students who already have a basic or advanced level of Dutch can gain entry to one of the higher levels of the regular courses if they pass the placement test. In total, 5 basic levels and 1 perfection level of Dutch are taught. The level 1 to 5 modules can be taken either intensively (12 hours/week) or</li> </ul>



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	over a more extended period (6 hours/week). The perfection level 6 is only offered at a pace of 4 hours/week. EMECW JoinEU-SEE applicants can only apply by sending an e-mail to Ms. <a href="mailto:katrien.vanelven@int.kuleuven.be">katrien.vanelven@int.kuleuven.be</a>
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### International Office / International Student Service Office

Address	K.U. Leuven International Office Atrechtcollege Naamsestraat 63, box 5410 3000 Leuven Belgium
Contact person for incoming students (Name, email address, phone number)	Ms. Maya Georgieva-Özden Maya.Georgieva@int.kuleuven.be Tel.: +32 16 328440  Ms. Katrien Vanelven Katrien.Vanelven@int.kuleuven.be Tel.: +32 16 324094
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### Other useful information

#### Read our brochures online:

- General information on K.U. Leuven:  
<http://www.kuleuven.be/international/downloads/UNIVERSITYOFLEUVEN.pdf>
- Travelling to Leuven: <http://www.kuleuven.be/admissions/pdf/travelling.pdf>
- Studying in Leuven: <http://www.kuleuven.be/admissions/pdf/studying.pdf>
- Living in Leuven: <http://www.kuleuven.be/admissions/pdf/living.pdf>
- Housekeeping tips for living in Leuven:  
<http://www.kuleuven.be/socialservices/pdf/housekeepingtips.pdf>