

# Universidad Autónoma de Madrid **EXCHANGE FACT SHEET 2025/26**

#### **INSTITUTIONAL DETAILS**

Name UNIVERSIDAD AUTÓNOMA DE MADRID (UAM)

City, Country Website

Madrid, Spain
<a href="https://www.uam.es">https://www.uam.es</a> / Video

About the University

Universidad Autónoma de Madrid (UAM) is a public university with an outstanding international reputation for its high-quality teaching and research. Founded in 1968, it has been generally recognized as one of the best Spanish universities in both national and

international rankings.

1,000 administrative staff.

UAM has the following Faculties/Schools: Science, Economics and Business Studies, Law, Arts and Humanities, Medicine, Psychology, Teachers' Training and Education, a School of Engineering, and several affiliated centres, offering a wide range of studies in humanities and scientific and technical fields. Currently it has about 30,000 students, about 2,800 professors and researchers and nearly

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS SERVICE

Website https://www.uam.es/uam/internacional/serim

Director Matilde Delgado Chauton

Head of Mobility Mónica Pellisé

Contact for incoming and outgoing students

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Erasmus Training: <u>practicas.internacionales@uam.es</u>

Erasmus Staff: erasmus.staff.mobility@uam.es

o Erasmus KA107: erasmus.ka107.em@uam.es

o International Agreements: <a href="mailto:serim.movilidad@uam.es">serim.movilidad@uam.es</a>

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Full contact details: <a href="https://www.uam.es/uam/en/internacional/contacto">https://www.uam.es/uam/en/internacional/contacto</a>



### GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Academic Calendar The academic year is divided into two semesters:

Semester 1: Sept. – January | Semester 2: Febr. – June Check the exact dates for 2025-26 academic calendar.

Orientation days are planned to welcome exchange students at

the beginning of each semester. Attendance is highly

recommended.

Academic offer <u>Undergraduate Studies</u>

**Postgraduate Studies** 

**PhD Studies** 

Description of the UAM Grading System

Grades are given on a scale from 0 to 10, with 5 being the minimum passing grade.

 No presentado (NP): The student did not sit the exam no evaluable

• Fail (from 0 to 4,9) considerable further work is required.

The student must resit the exam

 Pass (from 5 to 6,9) satisfactory knowledge of the contents

 Good (from 7 to 8,9) students who demonstrate a thorough knowledge of the course contents

• Excellent (from 9 to 10) outstanding performance

• Honours (+ 9) exceptional performance

Apto (pass) satisfactory performance in extracurricular

 Aptivities

activities

# FACULTY AND SCHOOL INFORMATION

| FACULTY/SCHOOL WEBSITE           | INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS OFFICE CONTACT INFO   |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Faculty of Science               | Tel. +34 91 497 44 52 ori.ciencias@uam.es     |
| Faculty of Law                   | Tel. +34 91 497 82 31 ori.derecho@uam.es      |
| Faculty of Arts and Humanities   | Tel. +34 91 497 43 64 ori.filosofia@uam.es    |
| Faculty of Psychology            | Tel. +34 91 497 50 90 ori.psicologia@uam.es   |
| Faculty of Medicine              | Tel. +34 91 497 54 01 ori.medicina@uam.es     |
| Faculty of Business and Economic | Tel. +34 91 497 50 38 ori.economicas@uam.es   |
| <u>Sciences</u>                  |   |
| School of Engineering            | Tel. +34 91 497 22 98 ori.eps@uam.es          |
| Faculty of Teacher Training and  | Tel. +34 91 497 86 24 ori.fprofesorado@uam.es |
| <u>Education</u>                 |   |
| <u>Doctoral School</u>           | Tel. +34 91 497 24 40 ori.doctorado@uam.es    |

## REQUIRED/ RECOMMENDED LANGUAGE SKILLS

Spanish <u>In general, the language of Instruction is Spanish.</u>



Nevertheless, some courses are taught in English (see below)

REQUIRED LEVEL of Spanish (for those students taking courses in Spanish) \*

- General rule: B1 required, B2 highly recommended
- Specific rules: B2 required for the following studies:
  - o Postgraduate studies: Master
  - o Faculty of Economics and Business Studies
  - Faculty of Arts and Humanities for the following Degrees:
  - Hispanic Studies Degree
  - Modern Languages, Culture and Communication Degree.

\*In general terms, the limited offer of courses taught in English means that exchange students must take part of their courses in Spanish and for this, they must have at sufficient level of Spanish to follow their courses.

#### **REQUIRED CERTIFICATE of Spanish**

As a rule, students do not need to send their Spanish certificate to UAM. It is the responsibility of the home university to select their students according to UAM linguistic requirements as mentioned above.

**Exceptions where students** are required to send their Spanish certificates:

- o Students nominated for the School of Engineering (B1 certificate)
- o Students nominated for a Faculty of Teacher Training & Education's Masters (B2).
- o Students nominated for the Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Law or Faculty of Science (B1 certificate)
- o Students nominated for the Faculty of Philosophy and Arts for the following degrees:
- Hispanic Studies Degree (DELE or SIELE B2 certification). Other certifications are NOT accepted.
- Modern Languages, Culture and Communication Degree (DELE or SIELE B2 certification). Other certifications are NOT accepted.

# **English**

#### **UAM English Courses**

Level of English (For those students taking courses in English):

B2 level of English is recommended (It is not necessary to send any certificate to UAM at the time of nomination. Certification may be requested by the host Faculty/School during course enrolment).

| APPLICATION PROCESS |            |                      |  |  |
|---------------------|------------|----------------------|--|--|
|                     | NOMINATION | ON-LINE REGISTRATION |  |  |
| Semester 1          | 1/04-30/04 | 1/05-31/05           |  |  |
| Semester 2          | 1/09-30/09 | 1/10-31/10           |  |  |
| REQUIRED DOCUMENTS  |            |                      |  |  |
| COMMON<br>DOCUMENTS | ☐ Passport |                      |  |  |



| APPLICATION PROCESS               |  |  |  |  |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
|                                   | NOMINATION ON-LINE REGISTRATION  |  |  |  |
| ☐ <u>Health Sworn Declaration</u> |  |  |  |  |
| SPECIFIC<br>DOCUMENTS             | Check your programme manager for other specific documents.  Also, host Faculty may require additional documents.  Students will be informed during the application time. |  |  |  |
| ON-LINE APPLICATION               |  |  |  |  |
|                                   | FIRST: USER REGISTRATION   |  |  |  |
| MANDATORY STEPS                   | Students must complete the Registration form: REGISTRATION   |  |  |  |
|                                   | Please, bear in mind that the e-mail account used in this registration   |  |  |  |
|                                   | form will be used in future communications.  |  |  |  |
|                                   | SECOND: ADMISSION APPLICATION  |  |  |  |
|                                   | Students must complete the <u>ADMISSION APPLICATION</u> .  |  |  |  |

According to the Exchange Programme, nominations & documents should be sent to:

| EXCHANGE PROGRAMME                       | UAM FACULTY / SERVICE              | MORE INFO               |
|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Erasmus +                                | Science                            | ori.ciencias@uam.es     |
| SEMP (Switzerland)                       | Law                                | ori.derecho@uam.es      |
|  | Arts and Humanities                | ori.filosofia@uam.es    |
|  | Psychology                         | ori.psicologia@uam.es   |
|  | Medicine                           | ori.medicina@uam.es     |
|  | Business and Economic Sciences     | ori.economicas@uam.es   |
|  | School of Engineering              | ori.eps@uam.es          |
|  | Teacher Training and Education     | ori.fprofesorado@uam.es |
|  | PhD                                | ori.doctorado@uam.es    |
| International<br>Agreements (non-<br>EU) | International Rel.& Mobility Serv. | serim.movilidad@uam.es  |
| E+ KA171                                 | International Rel.& Mobility Serv. | erasmus.ka107.em@uam.es |
| Visiting                                 | International Rel.& Mobility Serv. | oficina.acogida@uam.es  |

## **ENROLMENT TO COURSES**

You will be informed by your Faculty/School on the Enrolment to the Courses. Each Faculty/School has different processes and deadlines.



It is very important that you bear in mind that at least 50% of your courses will have to be enrolled in the Faculty/School where you have been accepted.

**IMPORTANT**: Check HERE the enrolment restrictions at each Faculty/School.

The UAM Language Service organizes Spanish language courses with a reduced fee for students coming from partner universities. Check more information on the <u>Language Service Website</u>. Important: places in Spanish language courses are limited and allocated on a first-come first-served basis.

Spanish Language courses

Study Abroad offers an intensive Spanish course that lasts two weeks called "Brush Up on Your Spanish" at the beginning of each semester, both in August and in January. Check more information

here: Brush-up on your Spanish | UAM

# VISA, INSURANCE AND HOUSING

International Welcome Office **Edificio Plaza Mayor Planta** 

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## SPECIAL NEEDS

Office of Spacial Needs If you have a disability or special education needs, please

inform us as soon as possible, by contacting

programa.discapacidad@uam.es in advance of your arrival in

Madrid as well as your programme manager.

**Further information here** 

#### OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

**Buddy Program International Mentors Program** 

**Sports** servicio.deportes.informacion@uam.es

Sports Service Website | Sports Service Facebook

**ESN UAM Website** 

and Promotion of Music

**ESN UAM Facebook** Higher Center for Research

(CSIPM)

This Center organises a variety of activities related to music and culture, which are open to all members of the university

community.

https://www.uam.es/uam/csipm