



MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY (METU)

FACT SHEET 2016 -2017 Academic Year

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Application Deadline:	Students (1. Through Erasmus+ K103 Intra Europe & 2. Mevlana and 3. Overseas Exchange Programs) November 15 to start in Spring Semester May 30 to start in Fall Semester/Academic Year Students of Erasmus+ K107 ICM program should consult METU International Cooperations Office for Application Deadlines Faculty Members (Erasmus+ K107 ICM Program only): There will be calls for application to come to METU. These will be announced by METU ICO. Faculty members are suggested to contact with their International Office at their home university.

Semester 1 (Fall)

Preferred Arrival Date	1 week before the classes officially start
Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 week before the classes start Registration is completed during the orientation week
Classes Start	September 26, 2016
Classes End	January 6, 2017
Final Exam Period:	January 9-21, 2017
Preferred Departure Date	January 21, 2017

Semester 2 (Spring)

Preferred Arrival Date	1 weeks before the classes start
Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 weeks before the classes start Registration completed during the orientation week
Classes Start	February 20, 2017
Classes End	May 26, 2017
Final Exam Period:	May 29 – June 10, 2017
Preferred Departure Date	June 10, 2017

International Summer School (only for fee paying students)

Preferred Arrival Date	1 week before the classes start
Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 week before the classes start Registration completed during the orientation week
Classes Start	July 03, 2017
Classes End	August 11, 2017
Last Day of Semester/ Exam Period	August 12-15, 2017
Preferred Departure Date	August 15, 2017

Academic and Enrollment Information

Website for the Course Catalog	https://catalog.metu.edu.tr/ http://oibs3.metu.edu.tr/View_Program_Course_Details_64/main.php
Website for Application	http://ico.metu.edu.tr/application
Application Deadline	Fall semester or Academic Year: 31 May Spring semester: 15 November
Language(s) of Instruction	English
Courses Taught in English or Website Address	All courses are taught in English.
What is the <i>minimum</i> enrollment requirement for exchange students (number of credits)?	Erasmus students are required to obtain 30 ECTS and other exchange programs students are advised to take at least 3 courses.
Application Requirements for Exchange Students	http://ico.metu.edu.tr/application
Language Requirements (such as proficiency tests)	English language proficiency level of B1 or TOEFL ibt 79 is strongly recommended, but English proficiency test score is not required.
Visa Requirements	Obtaining a student visa is strongly advised.

Application Documents

<http://ico.metu.edu.tr/application>

- Application form (photo attached)
Erasmus+ KA107 (ICM) students will make online application
- Accommodation form (to be sent only to the accepted students by ICO)
- Official transcript (record of courses)
- Copy of passport
- Copy of health insurance valid in Turkey (can also be purchased in Turkey)

Scanned copies are accepted.

Accommodation and Other Services

Accommodation application	http://ico.metu.edu.tr/accommodation
Type of accommodation	Only on-campus accommodation in dormitories is offered by METU. Students are free to look for off-campus accommodation.
Method of payment	A deposit and the first month accommodation installment will be paid during dorm registrations
Date students can move into dormitories	Dormitories are open to exchange students starting from a week before the orientation program
Disability support	Disability Support Center http://engelsiz.metu.edu.tr/en/
Health issues on campus	METU Medical Center http://www.mc.metu.edu.tr/index-eng.php