

BMS & MMD abroad

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Radboudumc International Office

Contact Information

- **Location:**
Route 84 at the StIP
- **Half-hour appointments can be made via StIP:**
 - By phone (024 -3615065/66)
 - Or at the frontdesk (workingdays between 10:00 & 14:00)
- **Walk-in hours:** Wednesdays 12:30 - 13:30
(for short questions & signatures, max. 10 min)
- E-mail: internationalofficestudents@Radboudumc.nl



www.radboudumc.nl/internationaloffice

Options abroad: BMS

- **Large internship**, minimum of 27 weeks
- **Small internship**, minimum of 18 weeks
- **Electives**
 - Extra internship
 - Courses (need to be at least 2,5 EC)



Examples internships BMS

University/Institution abroad	Country
<u>Griffith University, Queensland</u>	Australia
<u>University of British Columbia</u>	Canada
<u>WHO Kopenhagen</u>	Denmark
<u>University of Padjadjaran</u>	Indonesia
<u>University of Rome</u>	Italy
<u>Aichi Cancer Center Research Institute, Nagoya</u>	Japan
<u>Institut Municipal d'Investigacio Medica</u>	Spain
<u>Liverpool School of Tropical Medicine</u>	United Kingdom
<u>Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory</u>	United States
<u>Deutschen Krebsforschungszentrum</u>	Germany
<u>Karolinska Institutet</u>	Sweden
<u>University Hospital Basel</u>	Switzerland

Options abroad: MMD

- First year **internship, 22 weeks** (Dutch students)
- second year **internship, 27 or 31 weeks** (all students)
- **Electives**
 - Theoretical or practical courses
 - Courses need to be at least 1,5 EC



Examples internships MMD

University/Institution abroad	Country
<u>University of Cambridge</u>	United Kingdom
<u>Laboratoire Maladies, Bordeaux</u>	France
<u>German Cancer Research Center (DKFZ, Heidelberg)</u>	Germany
<u>University of Oxford</u>	United Kingdom
<u>King's College London</u>	United Kingdom
<u>Harvard University</u>	United States
<u>Whitehead Institute for Biomedical Research, Boston</u>	United States
<u>Yale University</u>	United States
<u>Ottawa Hospital Research Institute</u>	Canada
<u>Molecular Genetics of Cancer Division, Melbourne</u>	Australia
<u>Karolinska Institutet</u>	Sweden
<u>University of Basel</u>	Switzerland

Academic preparation

- Study: - Where (top 3 of universities)
 - What (courseload)
- Internship : - which research area (top 3)
 - Where (top 3 locations/countries)
 - via Radboudumc supervisor, internet, IO Radboudumc
- make your study/internship abroad part of your individual studyplan
- Get your updated studyplan and internship **approved by the Board of Examiners***:
 - a) Check the dates when the **Board of Examiners** meets (BMS, MMD)
 - b) Hand in your new studyplan & your internshipplan **at least two weeks before the meeting.**
You need approval **before** going abroad!

* MMD: Traineeship Agreement needs to be handed in (fully signed) as well

OSIRIS / Student Information System

“Stay Abroad” (2017-2018 mobilities)

The “Stay Abroad” option is available in OSIRIS for all study and internship mobilities in the **academic year 2017-2018 and onwards**:

- To secure a spot at a Radboudumc partner university (EU) for **study** (electives)
- To secure **funding** from Radboud University & Radboudumc **for study or internship in 2017-2018**

PLEASE NOTE: Funding requests for **internships** taking place in **2016-2017**, still need to go via SNUF or Radboudumc!

OSIRIS / Student Information System for study / internship in 2017-2018

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Stay abroad

On this page you can apply for studying abroad or doing an internship abroad. Please make sure you have contacted the International Office of [your faculty](#) or your internationalisation coordinator before you submit a new request for a stay abroad.

On the website of the [International Office](#) you can find all information you need to know about the procedures and available options.

By clicking on 'new request' you will start your application procedure. Below you will find an overview of your requests for a stay abroad and it's status. By clicking on 'details' you can find specific information about your request. Under progress you can find the status of your application.

Please make sure your personal details you have provided in Osiris are up to date.

Stay abroad requests

Type	Degree programme	Period	Status	Decision	Progress
Study Abroad	B AP History	01/02/2017 until 01/04/2017	Not yet submitted		Step 0 of 1 (More info) Details
Study Abroad	B AP History	01/09/2016 until 01/01/2017	In progress		Step 1 of 1 (More info) Details

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Study exchange applications

Documents to be uploaded:

- Motivation Letter
- Resume, including proof of language level

Deadline for the academic year 2017-2018:

- Before March 1st 2017
- Digital submission via OSIRIS Stay Abroad
- Instruction on how to apply can be found [here](#)

Selection

- Based on motivation, language level & grades list
- Results will be announced in April

Radboudumc Erasmus study partners

university	country	Medicine, BMS, MMD	students	months	Language & level
Medical University Innsbruck	Austria	Medicine	2	4	B1 German
University of Antwerp	Belgium	Medicine BMS	1 1	6 8	B2 English
Medical University Plovdiv	Bulgaria	Medicine	1	6	B2 English
Università degli studi di Milano	Italy	BMS	2	6	B1 English
Università degli studi di Roma Foro Italico	Italy	BMS	1	3	A2 English
Università degli studi di Udine	Italy	Medicine	1	6	-
Medical University Łódź	Poland	Medicine	1	5	B2 English
University of Ljubljana	Slovenia	Medicine	2	3	B2 English
University of Istanbul	Turkey	Medicine	2	6	B2 English
Acibadem University	Turkey	Medicine	2	5	B2 English
St George's Hospital Medical School	UK	BMS MSc MMD	1	6	B2 English

Non-academic preparation

Practical matters:

- Visa arrangements, Insurance coverage, Finances
- Language & cultural preparations

Beware of deadlines:

- Board of Examiners meetings
- Funding applications



Visa application

Checklist

- Visa application may take up to 6 months
- Check the embassee websites for specific requirements
- If necessary: supportletter from Radboudumc International Office

Required documens

- Evidence of financial independence
- Evidence of sufficient insurance coverage
- Sometimes Proof of Health
- Sometimes Criminal Records Check



VISA UK for non-EU students

- **Tier 5 visa** for **non-EU** students (Erasmus traineeships)
 - Via Erasmus coordinator, British Council & UK visas and immigration
- **Certificate of Sponsorship (CoS)** number (British Council)
- **Documents** required for CoS (total may not exceed 10MB):
 - Complete copy of passport (inside & out)
 - Letter from home university
 - Letter from the host institution
 - Fully completed & signed CoS form
 - Fully completed & signed Learning Agreement for Traineeship
 - Transcript of Records



More information via the website of the British council & UK visa and immigration website

VISA USA

- **J-1 visa** for students, do not go with a B1 visa!
- Subclass:
 - J-1 Intern / trainee
 - J-1 (junior) researcher
- Online procedure
- DS-2019 & DS-7200 (trainee) forms provided by the internship location
- Appointment at the American Consulate in Amsterdam



More information on visa procedures and different types of visa:

- *website of the Fulbright Center (Dutch)*
- *or via the website of the American consulate (English)*

VISA Australia

- **Training & Research visa, subclass 402** (Occupational Trainee stream)
 - postal mail / fax procedure
 - can take up to 5 months
- **Working Holiday** (max 6 months with same employer)
 - online procedure
 - Fast procedure (one month maximum)



Visa Canada



- Depending on **visa agreements** with your home country!
- **Up to 6 months:** often no work permit required
 - Check with receiving institution!
 - “Letter of Invitation” needed from your Canadian supervisor
- **More than 6 months:** work permit required
 - online via the embassy in Vienna
 - takes up to 60 days
 - “Letter of Invitation” needed from your Canadian supervisor

Check the website of the Canadian Immigration Services
for your specific situation!

Insurance

- Health insurance
- Travel insurance
- Liability insurance



For all of the above insurances:

check whether you have Europe / world coverage

For Health- & Travel insurance:

check whether there is a special internship insurance

- **Medical liability insurance**
When coming in direct contact with experimental subjects and/or patients

Finances

- Radboudumc & Radboud University
- European Scholarship (Erasmus+)
- Foundations
- Prizes for research reports



Subsidies from RU & Radboudumc, overview via RU website

https://radboud.formstack.com/forms/grant_opportunities_to_study_abroad

Radboudumc Studentbudget

Monthly scholarship amounts

- EU € 150,- per month
- non-EU € 200,- per month

- **Maximum € 600,- per student**

- Not in combination with Erasmus+!

- **Requestform** available online via StIP webpages
(www.radboudumc.nl/student -> right column "StIP" -> "Formulieren/Forms" -> "International Office")

- Hand in requestform @ StIP together with **proof of approval** by Board of Examiners (e-mail BoE or print-out Webdossier)



Radboud University: SNUF

Monthly scholarship amounts

- EU € 200,- per month (max. € 800,-)
- non-EU € 300,- per month (max. € 1.200,-)

- Minimum of 2 months, maximum of 4 months

- **Not** in combination with Erasmus!

- **Requestforms** available online via website SNUF
(www.ru.nl/snuf/english; under “Grants” -> “Individual Travel Grants”)

- **Support letter** available via Radboudumc International Office **after** Board of Examiners has granted approval

STICHTING NIJMEEGS
UNIVERSITEITSFONDS

European scholarship: Erasmus+



- Multiple times (during Bsc, MSc & PhD)
- Minimum of 2 months for internship
- Minimum of 3 months for study
- In total a maximum of 12 months per cycle (BSc, MSc, PhD)
- Amounts depend on hostcountry
- Online language test for English, German, French, Spanish & Italian

For more details: see [website](#) of the central Radboud International Office

Application via Radboudumc International Office for internships 2016-2017!

Applications for 2017-2018 and onwards via OSIRIS!

Erasmus+ scholarships per country

- Group 1:** Austria, Denmark, Finland, France, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Norway, Sweden, UK
- Group 2:** Belgium, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Luxemburg, Netherlands, Portugal, Slovenia, Spain, Turkey
- Group 3:** Bulgaria, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Republic of Macedonia, Roemania, Slovakia

GROUP	STUDY	INTERNSHIP
1	€ 270 per month*	€ 390 per month*
2	€ 210 per month*	€ 330 per month*
3	€ 150 per month*	€ 270 per month*

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* Scholarships are calculated per day

Foundations

- Netherlands Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (NVBMB)
- Young Royal Dutch Chemical Society (Jong KNCV, Dutch)
- Maag, Lever, Darmstichting (Digestive Diseases foundation, Dutch)
- Reumafonds (Rheumatism fund, Dutch)
- Nationaal MS-fonds (Multiple Sclerose fund, Dutch)
- Stichting MS-Research (MS research Foundation, Dutch)
- Aids Fonds (Aids foundation)
- Nierstichting (Kidney foundation, Dutch)
- Hartstichting (Heart foundation, Dutch; applications only via Radboudumc contactperson)



Prizes for research reports

- Pfizer Prize for Life Science (BMS & MMD students, deadline September)
- Echo Award for the most excellent non-Western immigrant student (deadline end of January; Dutch)
- Faculty and university studyprizes (deadline 1 February)
- 'Innovations in healthcare' thesis award (deadline 1 December; Dutch)
- Koninklijke Nederlandse Chemie Vereniging = Royal Dutch Chemical Society; poster competition (deadline May; Dutch)
- Nijbakker-Morra Stichting prizes in the area of oncology (deadline 1 November; Dutch)

Questions

