



SSE RIGA

Stockholm School of Economics Riga

Erasmus Agreement Subjects

Economics and Business Administration

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University Introduction

“The Stockholm School of Economics in Riga (SSE Riga) was founded in 1994 by the Stockholm School of Economics (SSE) with the support of the Swedish government, and the Latvian Ministry of Education on behalf of Latvia. Since 2010 SSE Riga is owned by a foundation established by SSE, the University of Latvia and the SSE Riga Alumni Association. The operations of SSE Riga are governed by the Articles of Association of the SSE Riga Foundation, which have been agreed upon by all the founders, and one of the most important tasks of the new foundation is to raise funds for the School.

The mission of SSE Riga is to provide state-of-the-art education in economics and business that contributes to the economic and social development of the region, in particular the Baltic countries.

SSE Riga has proven to be a very interesting and challenging place to study! Even though SSE Riga is a relatively small school, each year it hosts 50-60 incoming exchange students.”

(<http://www.sseriga.edu/about/overview>)

According to the Financial Times Ranking of Top European Business School in 2017, SSE Riga as part of SSE group is the No. 1 business school in the Baltic/Nordic region.

(<http://www.sseriga.edu/about/ft-ranking>)

Term Dates

Semester 1: (August to December)

Semester 2 (January to June)

Application Deadlines

Mid April for Semester 1 or Full Year applicants

Mid October for Semester 2 applicants

Application Process

Following your nomination by Karlstad University, an application form will be sent out to students.

Additional requirement

- Students must be at least in their 2nd year of studies.
- Students' grade average must be at least B according to the ECTS grading system.

Language of Study

English. Students need to obtain C1 or higher on the CEFR scale.

Course Catalogue

<http://www.sseriga.edu/education/exchange-programmes/incoming-students> (Please click on the core courses schedule and elective courses schedule for more information).

Credits

Programmes are offered in ECTS credits for one or two semesters. Normally 30 ECTS credits equate to one semester's worth of studies.

Practical Information

<http://www.sseriga.edu/education/exchange-programmes/incoming-students>

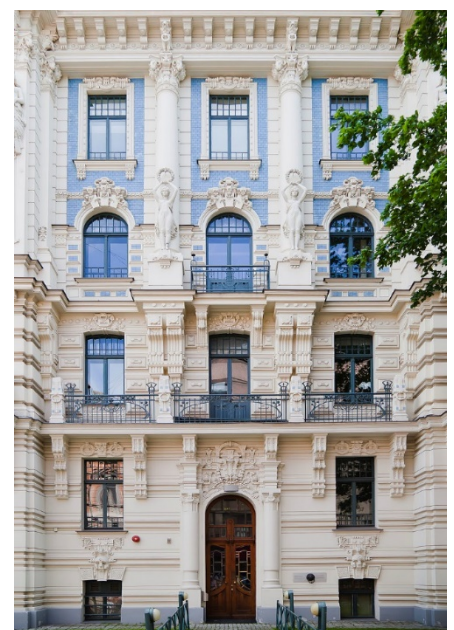


Figure 1. Main building on Riflemen Street.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stockholm_School_of_Economics_in_Riga#/media/File:Edificio_modernista_en_Strelnieku_Iela_4a,_Riga,_Letonia,_2012-08-07,_DD_02.JPG



Figure 2. The building of the Brotherhood of Blackheads is one of the most iconic buildings of Old Riga.
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Riga#/media/File:Old_Riga_Buildings.JPG

University Facilities

<http://www.sseriga.edu/education/bachelor/campus>

<http://www.sseriga.edu/about/student-organisations>

Social Media



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Accommodation

<http://www.sseriga.edu/education/exchange-programmes/incoming-students>

Riga

“Riga is the capital and largest city of Latvia. With 641,481 inhabitants (2016), it is also the largest city in the three Baltic states, home to one third of Latvia's population and one tenth of the three Baltic states' combined population.

Riga was founded in 1201 and is a former Hanseatic League member. Riga's historical centre is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, noted for its Art Nouveau/Jugendstil architecture and 19th century wooden architecture. Riga was the European Capital of Culture during 2014, along with Umeå in Sweden.

Riga is one of the key economic and financial centres of the Baltic States. Roughly half of all the jobs in Latvia are in Riga and the city generates more than

50% of Latvia's GDP as well as around half of Latvia's exports. The biggest exporters are in wood products, IT, food and beverage manufacturing, pharmaceuticals, transport and metallurgy. Riga Port is one of the largest in the Baltics. It handled a record 34 million tons of cargo in 2011 and has potential for future growth with new port developments on Krievu Sala. Tourism is also a large industry in Riga and after a slowdown during the recent global economic recessions, grew 22% in 2011 alone.”
 (Riga)

Map



Figure 3. Map of Latvia.
<https://www.worldatlas.com/webimage/countrys/europe/lv.htm>

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