

# INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

## ERASMUS+ EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

Since its foundation, Kırklareli University has been actively participating in Erasmus+ Exchange Programme which provides international mobility for students and academics. Erasmus+ gives opportunities to undergraduate, postgraduate, and Ph.D. students to study or do internships for one or two terms in a higher education institution abroad, mostly within European Union. Our university has **92 Erasmus+ agreements with 26 different countries**.

## MEVLANA EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

Mevlana Programme, which was introduced by the Council of Higher Education of Turkey, aims the exchange students and academic staff between Turkish higher education institutions and higher education institutions of other countries. Our university signed a total of **15 Mevlana agreements with 9 different countries including Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Ukraine, and Romania**.

## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSION

Our university accepts international students without examination according to their high school diploma grades. **As of 2022, 2.049 international students from 42 different countries** are studying at Kırklareli University. The expert staff of KLU supervises the socio-cultural orientation process of international students through International Students Office and International Student Club.

## INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

In parallel to our internationalization strategy, we aim to increase cross-cultural interactions, share research and knowledge universally and promote the level of education to international standards. Kırklareli University is an active member of the Balkan Universities Association and World Universities Association for Community Development (WUACD) fostering international scientific and academic project partnerships. Moreover, KLU signed a total of 31 Memorandum of Understanding agreements with universities in 17 different countries.

# ACADEMIC UNITS

## INSTITUTES

- Institute of Natural Sciences
- Institute of Medical Sciences
- Institute of Social Sciences

## FACULTIES

- Faculty of Science and Letters
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences
- Faculty of Theology
- Faculty of Aeronautics and Astronautics
- Faculty of Architecture
- Faculty of Engineering
- Faculty of Technology
- Faculty of Medicine
- Faculty of Tourism
- Faculty of Health Sciences
- Faculty of Applied Sciences

## SCHOOLS

- School of Foreign Languages

## VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

- Babaeski Vocational School
- Lüleburgaz Vocational School
- Pınarhisar Vocational School
- Vocational School of Health Services
- Vocational School of Social Sciences
- Vocational School of Technical Sciences
- Vize Vocational School

## RESEARCH AND APPLICATION CENTRES

- Advanced Technologies Application and Research Center
- African Studies Application and Research Center
- Balkan Studies Application and Research Center
- Career Application and Research Center
- Continuing Education Application and Research Center
- Digital Tech. in Livestock Sector Application&Research Center
- Distance Learning Application and Research Center
- Economic and Social Studies Application and Research Center
- Energy Technologies Application and Research Center
- European Studies Application and Research Center
- Food R&D, Innovation&Entrepreneurship Application Center
- Food Security&Digitalization Application and Research Center
- Public Diplomacy Application and Research Center
- Turkish Teaching Application and Research Center
- Turkic Studies Application and Research Center
- Woman and Family Studies Application and Research Center

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# LIFE AT UNIVERSITY

## FOUNDATION

Kirklareli University, one of the young and dynamic universities in Turkey, was founded in 2007 and continues higher education with its 3 institutes, 14 faculties, 7 vocational schools, 1 school, 1 state conservatory and 16 application and research centers. Kirklareli University continues its dedicated work to prepare its approximately 23,000 students for the future in dynamic and contemporary educational environments with its 851 academic and 500 administrative staff.

## ACCOMMODATION

The students of the Kirklareli University can accommodate in the dormitories of the Higher Education Credit and Hostels Institution, most of which are close to our campuses and in private dormitories and hostels in the city center. People living in Kirklareli also provide convenience in renting flats.

## FOOD SERVICES

In order to meet the food needs of our students, various dining alternatives are offered in the dining halls on all campuses. The fees in the dining halls are quite affordable for the students and the food production facilities are regularly inspected by the staff to provide the highest quality and healthy food service.

## LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SERVICES

The Central Library serves our students with its rich printed and electronic resources on weekdays between 08.00-22.00. Our library has modern study areas, reading rooms and internet rooms. Our university, which makes use of technological facilities as much as possible, offers computer and internet services equipped with the latest technology on campus and in all units. With **an internet output rate of 350 Mbit / second**, free Wi-Fi is actively used at every point of the campus.

## SPORTS FACILITIES

With its sports facilities, our university makes sure that students spend enjoyable, productive, and quality time. For this purpose, indoor sports halls, football fields, basketball and volleyball courts, a tennis court, and a fitness center are brought into the use of all students.



## SOCIAL, CULTURAL, ARTISTIC ACTIVITIES

One of the main priorities of Kirklareli University is to enable students to evaluate their extracurricular time with social, cultural, artistic, and sporting activities. Every year Career Days and Employment Fair activities are organized to help our students to meet the business world, learn about different sectors and guide their careers. In addition, concerts, theater shows, cinema shows, street festivals, commemoration and celebration ceremonies, exhibitions, congresses, panels, symposiums, and conferences, as well as various social, cultural, and artistic activities are held throughout the academic year.

## STUDENT CLUBS

Kirklareli University considers the formation of student clubs as a part of university life to support the social, cultural, and academic development of the students. As of 2022, **83 student clubs** are active in our university.

