

**INFORMATION SHEET FOR**  
**MOBILITY EXCHANGE STUDENTS AND INTERNATIONAL COORDINATORS**  
**ESCUELA POLITÉCNICA SUPERIOR - UNIVERSIDAD DE ZARAGOZA (E ZARAGOZ01)**

As the Deputy Director for International Affairs at the “Escuela Politécnica Superior (EPS)” of Huesca – University of Zaragoza (UZ), I would like to invite your students and staff to come to the EPS, within a MOBILITY program.

UZ is located in Aragon, a region in the northeast of Spain, which is close to the Pyrenees, the natural border with France. The EPS is located in Huesca, the second-largest city in Aragon (more than 50000 inhabitants), very close (ca. 70 Km) to Zaragoza city (more than 700000 inhabitants) (<http://eps.unizar.es/en/find-us>).

UZ was founded in 1542 and nowadays it has approximately 33600 students and 4300 professors/researchers.

Our University is characterized, among other appealing attributes such as its friendly people, personalized SERVICES and excellent FACILITIES, by a great RESEARCH reputation and a high-quality EDUCATION. Indeed, our university is ranked among the **top 500 universities in the world** (Academic Ranking of World Universities 2020).

Let me highlight herein, the **eminent position in several rankings of our university in the area of Agriculture and Environmental Science:**

- Agriculture & Forestry: 101-150 in the world (QS WORLD UNIVERSITY RANKINGS-2021)
- Agriculture Sciences: 301-400 in the world (ACADEMIC RANKING OF WORLD UNIVERSITIES (Shanghai ranking)-2021)
- Environmental Sciences and Engineering: 401-500 in the world (ACADEMIC RANKING OF WORLD UNIVERSITIES (Shanghai ranking)-2020)

Intriguingly, in the field of Environmental Science, there are many opportunities to be explored in our county. From the subdesert areas of “Los Monegros” up to the peaks of the Pyrenees mountain range, this amazing region represents an excellent natural laboratory just on the border of the Atlantic and Mediterranean climates and flora regions, for learning about the environment and studying solutions for its conservation and sustainable management.

Please visit the following link, where some **research lines** of our faculty and researchers are described (<https://eps.unizar.es/investigacion>). It may be a great opportunity for students interested in doing their Bachelor's or Master's thesis abroad (<https://eps.unizar.es/en/internships>).

Our **study programs** are (each third link contains courses schedule information):

**\*Degree in Environmental Sciences**

<http://eps.unizar.es/titulaciones/ccaa> (in Spanish)  
<http://eps.unizar.es/en/degree-environmental-sciences> (in English)  
<http://eps.unizar.es/academico/horarios-ccaa> (in Spanish)

**\*Degree in Agri-Food and Rural Environmental Engineering**

<http://eps.unizar.es/titulaciones/iamr> (in Spanish)  
<http://eps.unizar.es/en/degree-agrifood> (in English)  
<http://eps.unizar.es/academico/horarios-iamr> (in Spanish)

**\*Master in Agricultural Engineering**

<http://eps.unizar.es/masteria> (in Spanish)  
<https://eps.unizar.es/en/master-agronomic> (in English)  
<http://eps.unizar.es/academico/horarios-masteria> (in Spanish)

For a **course catalogue**, see:

[https://eps.unizar.es/sites/eps.unizar.es/files/users/ccano/folletos/programas\\_titulaciones\\_castellano-english.pdf](https://eps.unizar.es/sites/eps.unizar.es/files/users/ccano/folletos/programas_titulaciones_castellano-english.pdf)

I would like to highlight herein our program **“English Language Friendly Courses”** which offers LITERATURE, ACADEMIC TUTORING and ASSESSMENT in English for some of our courses (<https://eps.unizar.es/subjects-asignaturasef>). The aim behind this initiative is to facilitate the stay to those students who are interested in learning and improving their Spanish knowledge since the courses are taught mainly in that language (Spanish).

Moreover, mobility students have the opportunity of taking **Spanish courses** offered by UZ with a discount on the tuition fees.

<https://cursosdeespanol.unizar.es/>

**Academic calendar** (approximate dates for our semester system):

<u>Winter semester:</u>	Lectures: mid-September – mid-January
	Final exams:* mid-January – 1 <sup>st</sup> week February
<u>Summer semester:</u>	Lectures: 2 <sup>nd</sup> week February – end May
	Final exams:* end May – end June

<http://academico.unizar.es/calendario-academico/calendario>

(\* There is a 2<sup>nd</sup> call during the 3 first weeks of September. In case the student needs this second opportunity; it would be possible to find a better solution, such as doing the exam in advance, etc.).

**Nomination and application process.** Only applications sent by students previously nominated by their universities will be admitted. Students must be previously selected by their universities. These nominations will include student data (Name / Last name / Studies area / Period / E-mail) and must be communicated to the corresponding Academic Mobility

Coordinator at the EPS and also to our administrative staff ([mobilityhuesca@unizar.es](mailto:mobilityhuesca@unizar.es))

Deadlines for nomination:

- Mid June: for 1<sup>st</sup> semester or full academic year
- Mid November: for 2<sup>nd</sup> semester

Students nominated by their university will receive an email containing the instructions they have to follow (students can start the procedure only if they have received such an email). We are using an **online application system**: <http://academico.unizar.es/en/movilidad/inicio>

Students first have to **register**. After the registration, they can fill in the required information.

Deadline for application:

- From March to the end of June for 1<sup>st</sup> semester or full academic year
- From September to the end of November for 2<sup>nd</sup> semester

**Enrollment** has to be fulfilled after arrival, according to the dates set in the academic calendar and/or with the enrollment guidelines of the EPS.

**Grading system.** 10-point grading scale:

- Grades 0 – 4,9 / FAIL
- Grades 5 – 6,9 / PASS
- Grades 7 – 8,9 / MENTION
- Grades 9 – 10 / OUTSTANDING
- Special mention for grades 9 – 10 / HONORS

**Transcript of records.** Issued by the EPS, it is sent to the international office of the sending institution within 5 weeks after the assessment period has finished at our College.

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING YOUR STUDENTS AND STAFF,  
AND TO SENDING OURS TO YOUR UNIVERSITY!**

**IT WOULD BE GREAT IF YOU CAN SHARE WITH THEM ALL THIS INFORMATION.**

Please, do not hesitate to contact us for any further questions or comments.

Thank you very much.

Best regards,

Deputy-Director for International Affairs  
Escuela Politécnica Superior de Huesca - UZ

### Further useful information:

#### EPS:

Escuela Politécnica Superior - Universidad de Zaragoza

Ctra. de Cuarte, s/n. 22071 HUESCA – SPAIN

Web: <http://eps.unizar.es/>

Get to know us: <https://eps.unizar.es/conocenos>

#### Huesca Campus:

<https://campushuesca.unizar.es/servicios-universitarios-en-el-campus-de-huesca>

Campus Huesca International office: 00 34 974 292535 [mobilityhuesca@unizar.es](mailto:mobilityhuesca@unizar.es)

#### UZ:

<https://www.unizar.es/information-institution/name-and-address>

<http://www.unizar.es/internacional>

#### Office for international relations (UZ):

Pedro Cerbuna, 12. 50009 ZARAGOZA – SPAIN. 0034 976 762 052 [relint@unizar.es](mailto:relint@unizar.es)

#### Tutor program - International students associations:

AEGEE: <http://www.aegEE-zaragoza.org/programa-tutor>

#### Accommodation for students in Huesca:

<https://eps.unizar.es/en/accommodation>

#### Visas and foreigner procedures in Huesca:

[https://www.mptfp.gob.es/portal/delegaciones\\_gobierno/delegaciones/aragon/servicios/extranjeria.html](https://www.mptfp.gob.es/portal/delegaciones_gobierno/delegaciones/aragon/servicios/extranjeria.html)

#### Assistance for disabled students:

<http://ouad.unizar.es/>

#### Leisure, culture and sports events in Huesca:

<https://campushuesca.unizar.es/cultura>

<https://campushuesca.unizar.es/actividades-e-instalaciones-deportivas>

<https://campushuesca.unizar.es/agenda-universitaria-campus-de-huesca>

<http://www.huescaturismo.com/en/inicio/>

<http://www.huescaturismo.com/en/entorno>

<http://www.turismodearagon.com/en>

<http://turismo.hoyadehuesca.es/en>

<http://www.urpirineos.es/>

<https://www.zaragoza.es/sede/portal/turismo/?locale=en>

