**University of Tartu**  
**Estonia**

**The University**  
The University of Tartu was founded by King Gustav II Adolf of Sweden in 1632. It is the largest multidisciplinary public university of Estonia with student population of 18000.  
[www.ut.ee/english](http://www.ut.ee/english)  
To watch an introduction video on the University of Tartu please go to [http://www.ut.ee/105840](http://www.ut.ee/105840) and click on General Video.

**The City**  
The northernmost of the three Baltic States, Estonia has historically served as a crossroads between east and west. Tartu, with its population of 100,000 people, is the second largest city of Estonia. One fifth of city population is university students, making Tartu a very unique and young university town. Tartu is situated 185 kilometers south of Tallinn and boasts rich historical heritage and culture, with picturesque neo-classical old city center, Botanical Gardens, parks, a river, numerous museums, art galleries and theaters.  

**About the Program**  
The program with the University of Tartu is part of the MAUI-Utrecht Exchange and open to students from member institutions only. The University of Oklahoma is a MAUI member. Students can attend for one semester or full academic year.  
[www.ut.ee/studentoffice](http://www.ut.ee/studentoffice)

**Academic Calendar**  
[www.ut.ee/studentoffice/organisation/calendar](http://www.ut.ee/studentoffice/organisation/calendar)  
Examination period:  
At the end of semester, generally:  
end of December and in January and end of May and in June.

**Am I eligible for this program?**  
You must have a 2.5 Combined Retained GPA.

**What could I study?**  
The language of instruction is Estonian, however the University of Tartu offers a number of courses in English, mainly in the areas of Humanities.  
[http://www.ut.ee/studentoffice/shortterm](http://www.ut.ee/studentoffice/shortterm)  
For information on Beginning and advanced Russian and Estonian Language courses visit [http://www.ut.ee/191664](http://www.ut.ee/191664).  
For information on courses in Russian Language and Literature, please check the Russian Studies module at [http://www.ut.ee/studentoffice/shortterm/semester/russian](http://www.ut.ee/studentoffice/shortterm/semester/russian).
What about academic credit?
Grades received on reciprocal exchange study abroad programs through the University of Oklahoma are posted by the Office of Admissions as Satisfactory (S) or Unsatisfactory (U) on the OU permanent record. **These grades are not factored into the participant’s Grade Point Average.** Because each student is enrolled in 12 credits per semester while abroad, participants are expected to enroll in an equivalent number of credits at the host university. Academic systems around the world vary in what equals 12 OU credits. The decision about awarding credits is made in the Office of Admissions at OU.

Where would I live?
Exchange students stay in residence halls located downtown Tartu. Each residence unit consists of three double study-bedrooms, with a shared kitchen and bathroom.  

How much does it cost?
**Costs at OU:** All students participating on semester or academic year reciprocal exchange programs are enrolled at OU for 12 credits each semester abroad. Tuition and fees are billed through and paid directly to OU at the appropriate resident or non-resident rate. Fees are charged at the Arts and Sciences College rate, even if the student’s major is in a different college. All participants pay a $10/credit hour study abroad fee. There is a $35 non-refundable application fee for study abroad. Below are the expense estimates per month provided by the University of Tartu:  
Housing: 80 euro (dormitory)  
Food: 130 euro  
Books: 30 euro  
Local transport: 7 euro (If monthly pass is used; otherwise more expensive)  
More information at www.ut.ee/studentoffice/practical/before

How do I apply?
Instructions for applying to any semester or academic year exchange program may be found on our website. Since this program is part of the MAUI-Utrecht exchange, you may be asked to submit your study abroad application before the official study abroad application deadline.

For more information, please contact:  
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