FACT SHEET FOR 2027/2028

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Study process/ Grading System	Academic performance is evaluated according to a 200-point scale: 0-99=fail; 100-139=pass; 140-159=pass with merit; 160-200=excellent. The school uses the European Credit Transfer (ECTS) system.
Accommodation Information	https://www.sseriga.edu/education/bachelor/campus
Health care coverage	Insurance policies can be purchased here (but not limited): • https://www.bta.lv/en • https://www.if.lv • https://www.ban.lv/en/ • https://balta.lv/en/private • https://www.ergo.lv/ • https://www.compensa.lv/private/ • https://www.balcia.lv/en/ Insurance Broker Contact (SIA PROVECTUS) https://provectus.lv/kontakti/ Students must insure themselves.
Map/surroundings/on site services	Map of Location https://www.sseriga.edu/contacts/contact-us

Academic and Administrative Exchange Information:	
Courses Available to exchange students	All courses indicated in course catalogues
Type/level	First cycle (Bachelor level)
Nomination Deadlines	1st semester: April 15th, 2nd semester: October 15th
Academic Calendar Dates	Academic periods are as follows: 1st semester: August 23 – December 22 2nd semester: January 3 – June 22
University services available to exchange students	Library, cafeteria, SSE Riga dormitories.

Application procedure	**1st step:** Students must be nominated by the home university international office representative by April 15/ October 15; **2nd step:** Application form for exchange students will be sent out after the nomination is approved **3rd step:** Students must submit applications by April 30/ October 30
Language of instruction	English
Additional requirements	1. Students must be at least in their 2nd year of studies. 2. Students' grades must be at least B according to the ECTS grading system.
English language proficiency	B2 is required, however, highly recommended C1 or higher on the CEFR scale. If student proficiency level appears to be lower than expected, SSE Riga reserves the right to administer its own test upon arrival. If the results are unsatisfactory, students will be requested to take intensive English course.

Arrival and Orientation:	
Orientation Program Dates	August 23, 2027; January 3, 2028
Accommodation:	
Dormitories	We are pleased to offer our students accommodation at the **SSE Riga Student Dormitories**. The dormitories are located at Patversmes iela 22, Riga, and are about 20 minutes by bus from SSE Riga. The prices range from 240 to 360 EUR per month (for one student). They are effective for the 2026/2027 academic year (beginning July 2026). Prices include all utilities: electricity, heat, hot water, Wi-Fi internet, and kitchen facilities. The prices listed are in effect for the 2026/2027 academic year (beginning July 2026) and are subject to change for the following academic year. A 100 EUR security deposit is required. Please note that contracts for the dormitories are executed on a semester or school year basis and are not available on a month-to-month basis. The minimum term for a contract is one semester. The Dormitories have four large shared kitchens, as well as study rooms and a leisure room, and wifi internet throughout. If you are interested in living in the Dormitories, please complete **the form.** If you have some questions about dorms, feel free to contact the property manager Janis Meija (janis.meija@sseriga.edu).
Visa and Other Migration Related Requirements:	
Migration requirements	**Citizens of the EU, EEA, and Switzerland** who are studying on an exchange for one semester or up to one full academic year only need to hold a valid national passport or ID card. No additional residence documentation or migration registration with the Office of Citizenship and

	Migration Affairs is required pursuant to Paragraph 26.3 of Latvian Cabinet Regulation No. 675. More information is available here. **Non-EU/EEA nationals** enrolling in a semester exchange generally require a long-term visa (Type D) to study in Latvia http://www.pmlp.gov.lv/en/home/services/visas-and-invitations/#1.
	Mandatory Electronic Travel Declaration (https://eta.gov.lv/en/) Non-exempt third-country nationals who do not hold a valid visa or residence permit issued by the Republic of Latvia (including those holding a visa or residence permit issued by another Schengen/EU country) must submit an Electronic Travel Declaration at https://eta.gov.lv/en/ at least 48 hours before entering Latvia (including for transit). **Exemptions:** This declaration does not apply to citizens of a member state of the European Union, the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, the European Economic Area, the Principality of Andorra, the Federative Republic of Brazil, the Principality of Monaco, the Republic of San Marino, or the Holy See (Vatican City State).

Estimated Expenses:	
Food (per month)	EUR 400-450
Local Transportation (type and cost/month)	Riga has a well-developed public transportation system. A one-way ticket on any kind of public transport costs EUR 1,50
Personal (entertainment, etc.)	Normally in Riga: cinema ticket EUR 10-15, theatre ticket EUR 20-30, opera ticket EUR 15- 130, restaurant meal 30 – 60 EUR/pers.

University Facts:	
Location (map)	SSE Riga is located in the central part of Riga, which is half an hour drive by bus from the Riga airport, and a 20 minutes walk from the Central Railway Station and the Central bus station.
City Population	Around 600 000
Student Population	~500 students at SSE Riga
Number of students from abroad	~50-60 + international exchange students per year
Area of special competence	Economics and Business