

## UNIVERSITY of LIMERICK

OLLSCOIL LUIMNIGH

## **SPRING 2018 APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

Once you have been nominated by UMass Boston's Office of Global Programs your application status will be changed to Nominated.

## STEPS AFTER NOMINATION:

1. Apply to UL for the Spring 2018 semester here: <u>https://www.si.ul.ie/urd/sits.urd/run/siw\_ipp\_lgn.login?process=siw\_ipp\_app&code1=EXOTUL1</u> <u>SBD&code2=0005</u>

You will need the following 3 items for your online application:

- a. Official Transcript
- b. Photo ID
- c. Bank Statement showing proof of €1,500 per semester in funds).
- 2. **Airport Collection:** Complimentary Airport collection from Shannon Airport (SNN) is on Monday 15th and Tuesday 16th January 2018. The University of Limerick will be sending information to you by email closer to the start of the semester with information on how to sign up for this.
- 3. Welcome Week and end of semester dates:
  - a. The Exchange programme begins with a compulsory welcome week on Wednesday
    17th, Thursday 18th and Friday 19th January 2018.
  - b. Attendance at welcome week is mandatory. Classes begin on Monday January 22nd 2018 and exams end on Monday May 14th 2018 at 6.00pm.
- 4. Accommodation: Accommodation on campus should be booked using <u>this accommodation link</u>. Your UL Student ID number will be needed to apply online. This is the Application Number on the top left hand corner of your offer letter, which you will be sent once your application has been processed. Any queries on accommodation should be directed to <u>accommodation@ul.ie</u>
- 5. Financial Statement & Health Insurance Cover Non EU Only:
  - a. On registration at the University of Limerick, all NON-EU students will be required to individually meet with the Garda National Immigration Bureau in Limerick city centre. Appointments for this meeting are set up by the International Education Division and

students must pay a mandatory administration fee to the GNIB at this appointment. Students will need proof of financial ability to support themselves for the duration of their study period.

- b. If a student is supporting him/herself financially, they will need to show proof to the GNIB officer that they have sufficient funds in their bank accounts – at least €1,500 per semester.
- c. If a parent/guardian is supporting the student, the student will need to have a notarised letter of financial support from their parents to bring to their GNIB appointment. If this is not sent with the application form it is the responsibility of the student to ensure they bring it with them.
- d. All Non-EU Study Abroad and Exchange students need to extend their general medical insurance to cover their stay while in Ireland.
- 6. **Classes and Module Selection:** You should begin to look at module selections at this point if you have not already done so. Our most up to date module information is available on our website: <a href="http://www.ul.ie/international/exchange/incoming-students/courses-and-credits">http://www.ul.ie/international/exchange/incoming-students/courses-and-credits</a>