



# StFX Exchange Program Partner Profile:



HERIOT WATT UNIVERSITY	
<b>Location:</b>	Edinburgh, Scotland
<b>Main Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.hw.ac.uk">www.hw.ac.uk</a>
<b>Website for Exchange:</b>	<a href="#">Link</a>
<b>Program Suitability:</b>	Faculty of Business, Faculty of Arts - ECON
<b>Language of Instruction:</b>	English
<b>Fall Semester:</b>	September – January
<b>Winter Semester:</b>	January – May
<b>Notes:</b>	Students attending HW in the Fall will need to arrange to take their final exams early to line up with the Winter term at StFX.



Heriot Watt University is the eighth oldest higher education institution in the UK and originated as the School of Arts of Edinburgh, the world's first mechanics institute, in 1821. The University has multiple campuses, with three in Scotland, and one each in Malaysia and Dubai (Note: StFX students are limited to studying at the campus in Edinburgh). The main campus is located in South West Edinburgh on 380 acres of parkland. The campus consists of academic buildings, student residences, a postgraduate centre, shops, several library collections, childcare, healthcare, a chaplaincy, a variety of recreational and sports facilities, and a museum, as well as the Student Union's main premises.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION	
<b>Departments Available for Exchange Students:</b>	Business Administration, Economics
<b>Course Information:</b>	<a href="#">Business</a> , <a href="#">Economics</a> , <a href="#">Finance</a> or <a href="#">(Main Page Link)</a>
<b>Course Requirements:</b>	Exchange students are expected to take 60 UK credits per semester of study. 60 UK credits are equal to 15 credits at StFX. Courses at HW are worth 15 UK credits each. Therefore, 4 courses at HW are equivalent to 5 courses at StFX.
<b>Course Restrictions:</b>	<p>Course availability is subject to pre-requisites and timetabling. Please pay careful attention to course levels when selecting courses.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Level 7 = First year, introductory level.</li> <li>• Level 8 = Second year, prior knowledge in subject area likely to be required.</li> <li>• Level 9 = Third year, significant prior knowledge in subject area is required.</li> <li>• Level 10 = Fourth year, normally not open to study abroad students.</li> </ul>

## SAMPLE OF COURSES PREVIOUSLY TAKEN BY STFX STUDENTS

Department	Course Title
Business Administration	Operations Management
Business Administration	Strategic Management
Economics	Intermediate Microeconomics II

## ACCOMMODATIONS

<b>Type of Accommodation:</b>	On Campus Residence
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="#">Link</a>
<b>Cost:</b>	£568 - £715 per month. (Equivalent to approximately \$860 - \$1085 CAD)
<b>Details:</b>	<p>Heriot Watt offers a number of rooms on campus for single semester exchange students. Please note that places are limited and not guaranteed.</p> <p>All accommodation is single occupancy and self catered, and both traditional dorm rooms and studio flats are available.</p> <p>Accommodation fees include internet, heating, power, and basic room contents insurance. Campus laundry facilities are available on a pay-per-use basis.</p>

## OTHER COSTS

<b>Health Insurance:</b>	<p>All StFX students are required to purchase travel health insurance for the duration of their time abroad. <a href="#">Link</a></p> <p>Additionally, full-year exchange students to the U.K. will be required to pay an <a href="#">immigration health surcharge</a> (£470) as part of their student visa application fee.</p>
<b>Living Expenses:</b>	<a href="#">Link</a>
<b>Visa:</b>	<p>One semester exchange students will need a <a href="#">visitors visa</a>. (£95)</p> <p>Full-year exchange students will need a <a href="#">student visa</a>. (£348)</p> <p><i>*Please note that travel to the nearest British consulate or embassy will be required to apply for the student visa.</i></p>



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