

Unlock Your Future Success: Explore Study Opportunities in Latvia

Study
Latvia 



State Education
Development Agency
Republic of Latvia



Latvia

Population: ~1.9 million

Currency: Euro (€)

Official language: Latvian

Widely spoken: English (easy communication with locals)

Member of: European Union | NATO | EEA



Latvia

- **18 hours** of sunlight in midsummer
- **496 km** of white sandy beach coastline
- **~50%** of territory covered by forest





Why Latvia?

Rich natural heritage

Green country

Biodiversity protection



Four seasons





Flights from Riga

100+ destinations from Riga International Airport (RIX)

Tailored Education



Modern facilities



Personalised approach

Individual consultations with professors

University and industry partnerships



Innovations



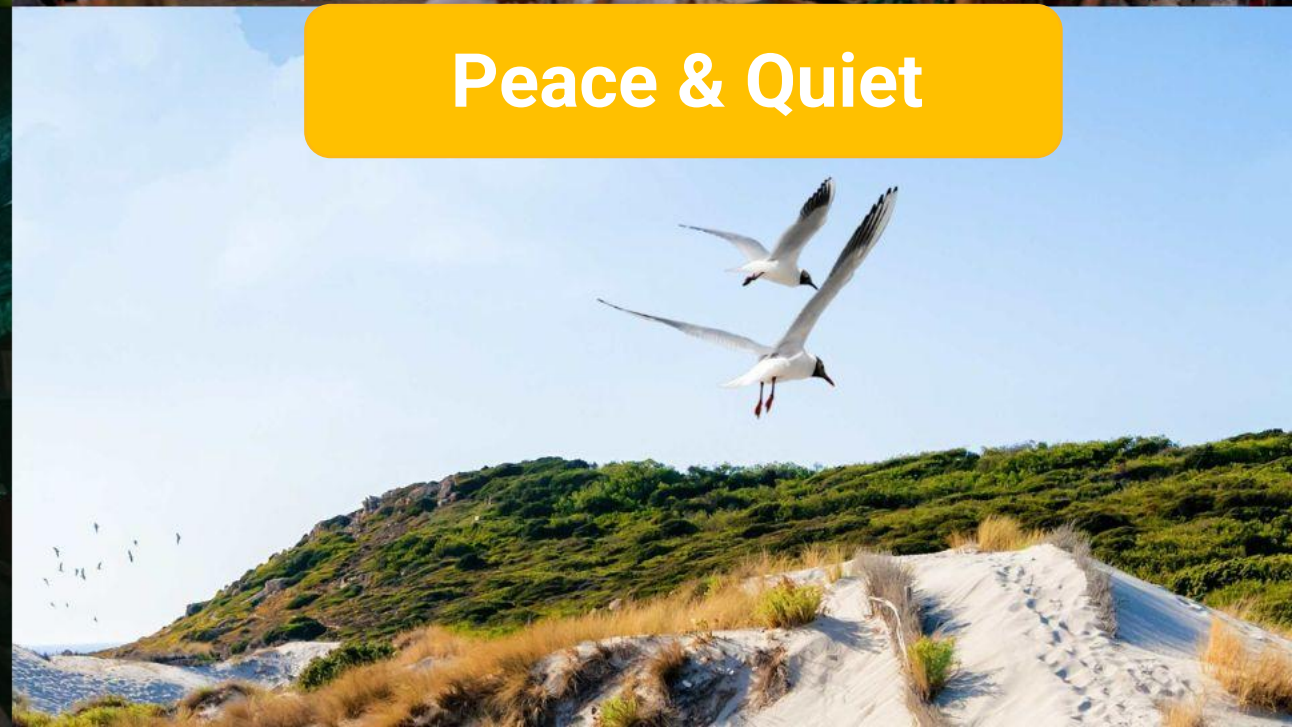
Leisure



Events



Peace & Quiet





Organizations & Associations



Interest Groups



Sports & Active Lifestyle



Volunteering & Projects



International students

12 343 international students – **16%**

EU average – **8.4%** (*Eurostat, 2025*)

116 different nationalities

The top:

Germany

Ukraine

Sweden

Uzbekistan

India

Admissions twice a year



AUTUMN ADMISSIONS

(September intake)

Application deadline –
Around the beginning of June



WINTER ADMISSIONS

(February intake)

Application deadline –
October / November

Higher Education in Latvia

45%

of the employed
(age 25-34) hold
higher education
degrees)

*(European
Commision, 2025)*

57%

Female
students

(OECD, 2025)

25%

STEM
students

*(European
Commision, 2025)*



Strongest Competencies

#1 most innovative country in Baltics by Bloomberg

#1 most startup-friendly country in the world by Index Ventures



Biomedicine, Medical
Technologies, and
Pharmaceuticals



ICT & Smart City



Smart Energy and
Mobility



Photonics, Smart
Materials,
Technologies and
Engineering



Knowledge-intensive
Bioeconomy

Companies from Latvia

Some of our largest success stories:

MikroTik

One of the world leaders in **networking, hardware, and software**

Lightspace

Unique multifocal **AR headsets** for **civil and military purposes**

Aerones

First-ever robotic systems for **wind turbine care and maintenance**

Naco Technologies

Empowers the Green Hydrogen Revolution Through **Future-Proof Nano-Coatings**



**Unlock your career
potential**



Scholarships

For studies & summer schools
For nationals of 30+ countries

Quality evaluation criteria

Academic success

Motivation for studying in Latvia

Out-of-study activities

Annual call for applications
February 1 – April 1

Work while studying



Bachelor
20h per week



Masters & PhD
40h per week



Career consultations
available

Erasmus+

Study mobility

3-12 months

Traineeship mobility

2-12 months

Recent graduate mobility

2-12 months

Blended Intensive Programmes

Combine **various mobility activities** for up to 12 months per study cycle!





Erasmus+ Programme Countries

27 EU countries & Associated third countries

North Macedonia
Serbia
Iceland
Lichtenstein
Norway
Turkey

Not associated third countries

Canada
Australia
Japan
South Korea
+ 142 countries
worldwide



After graduation

Extend your residence permit:

Bachelor

by 4 months

Masters and PhD

by 4-9 months

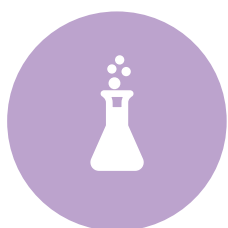
Work after graduation

Average monthly earnings before taxes



**Information &
communication**

€ 2 861



**Professional,
scientific &
technical**

€ 2 319



**Health & social
work**

€ 1 841



**Transportation
& storage**

€ 1 773



**Accommodation
and food service**

€ 1 190

Navigating Finances & Practicalities

Tuition fees



Healthcare

€9 000 – €17 000



Business Administration

€2 330 – €18 500



Engineering

€2 700 – €10 750



Computer Sciences

€2 330 – €5 880

Living costs

Average monthly living expenses
€700 – €1100

(Europe Compass, 2025;
EUROSTUDENT VII, upGrad (2026))



Accommodation

Latvia: €150 – €800
EU: €500 – €1200



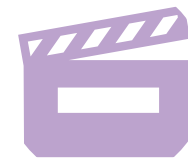
Public transport

Latvia: €12 – €40
EU: €30 – €80



Food

Latvia: €180 – €300
EU: €250 – €450



Leisure & Entertainment

Latvia: €50 – €150
EU: €100 – €300



Health Insurance

Latvia: €50 / month
EU: €50 – €150 / month

Study Scholarships



up to **10** months
for Bachelor's and
Master's



up to **11** months
for PhD



Bachelor

€500 / month



**Masters & Medicine programmes
starting from 4th study year**

€600 / month



PhD

€700 / month

!!! A scholarship do not fully cover all the expenses related to your studies!

Study Latvia

-  National initiative managed by the State Education Development Agency in partnership with the Ministry of Education and Science
-  National guide to higher education
-  Administrator of Latvian State scholarships for foreigners

Study Latvia

BEST PRACTICE UNIVERSITY



Ministry of Education and Science
Ministry of Foreign Affairs
Ministry of Interior



**16 higher education
institutions**
**200+ programmes in
English**



Recognised by the quality label

Universities in Latvia

- Turība University
- RISEBA University of Applied Sciences
- Daugavpils University
- European Christian Academy
- Latvia University of Life Sciences and Technologies
- Latvian Academy of Culture
- Art Academy of Latvia
- University of Latvia
 - BA School of Business and Finance
- Riga Graduate School of Law
- Riga Stradiņš University
 - Latvian Academy of Sport Education
- Riga Technical University (RTU)
 - RTU Liepāja Academy
 - RTU Riga Business School
 - RTU Latvian Maritime Academy
 - RTU Rēzekne Academy
- Stockholm School of Economics
- Ventspils University College
- Vidzeme University of Applied Sciences
- EKA University of Applied Sciences
- Transport and Telecommunication Institute



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