

Why Erasmus at the Thrace Law School?

Geographically spread throughout the region of Thrace, the Democritus University of Thrace is now the largest regional University in Greece with 8 Schools, 20 Departments and an active student population exceeding 29,000 (undergraduate students, postgraduate students and PhD candidates). The School of Law, the founding academic unit of the University, has been in operation for 47 years. It offers high quality teaching and research by its academic staff and is supported by infrastructure of the highest standard. The School of Law has developed in line with European academic standards and has gained international renown which enables it to respond to the expectation of academic excellence with great success. The Thrace School of Law has been a participant in the mobility programs of the European Union for more than 30 years and has developed a wide network of collaboration with European Universities. Studying at the Thrace School of Law in the context of the Erasmus program is an attractive choice for a number of reasons:

The School offers an up-to-date and wide-ranging curriculum, offering the Erasmus entrants courses on 28 subjects, divided into two semesters. English is the teaching language.

The University provides the Erasmus entrants free-of-charge accommodation and meals at the student halls of residence and the University mensa in Komotini.

The presence of more than 10.000 students has transformed Komotini into a student city, distinguished for its safety and multiculturalism, thus providing an ideal environment for studying abroad.

Prior to their arrival, the Erasmus entrants are supported, by the staff of a well-organized University International Relations Office, while the Student Associations, and especially former Erasmus students, are willing to assist new students providing them with information concerning their studies and life in the city.

Finally, Thrace is an extremely interesting region with an old history, being the home of philosophers Democritus, Leucippus and Protagoras and ancient god Orpheus. Located at a short distance from Turkey and Bulgaria it is at the crossroads of different peoples and cultures and

combines the natural beauty of the Rodopi Mountain range with the enchanting beaches of the North Aegean Sea.