



Please note that this is not your admissions letter.

Welcome to the University of Gävle and the Master Programme in Electronics/Automation, 120 credits

Programme Introduction and Registration

Registration and an introductory session to your programme is held on **11th of September, 10.15-12.00** in room **99:136**. Here you will receive a short introduction to your programme by me, **Prof. Edvard Nordlander**, your programme director. For questions about the programme you can contact me via e-mail: enr@hig.se or telephone: **+46 70-6421700**. Remember that individual courses may start two weeks earlier.

If you, for some reason, cannot attend the start of the programme you have to contact me in advance by e-mail: enr@hig.se, and give the reason for your late arrival. If you are absent from the registration without informing us, you will lose your place on the programme.

If you have been admitted or placed on a waiting list in the first admissions round you have to reply to the Notification of Selection Results you received via universityadmissions.se to keep the place you've been offered. If you have been admitted in the second admissions round you do not have to reply to the Notification of Selection Results. However, if you're not intending to start the programme, it is important that you decline the offer. That way your place can be offered to someone else. You can decline your offer via "My pages" at universityadmissions.se.

Start the process of getting a residence permit as soon as possible. The process of getting a residence permit in Sweden can be very slow and take several months. Hence, it is a good idea to start the process as soon as possible. Go to [How to apply for a residence permit for studies at a university](#).

Introduction Day for International Students

The International Office at the University of Gävle welcomes you to the Introduction Day for International Students on **24-25 of August**. All international students are encouraged to participate. At the introduction day you will receive information regarding rules and procedures, as well as practical information about studying and living in Sweden. For further details, please visit hig.se/newstudent.

Please send an e-mail to studentcentrum@hig.se to confirm your attendance at the introduction day.

Get Started with Your Studies!

To get started with your studies please follow these three steps. More information at hig.se/newstudent.

1

Activate Your Computer Account

You can activate your computer account via hig.se/computeraccount two weeks before the autumn semester starts. Your computer account consists of a username and a password and gives you access to the University web services.

2

Register for Your Courses

You must be registered on a course to attend lectures and sit exams. Course registration normally opens one week before the course start date. You will lose your place on the course if you do not register in time. Please register for your course via the Student Portal at studentportal.hig.se

3

Log in to Blackboard

The Blackboard platform is a web-based learning management system where you will find your course material. You can access Blackboard the day after you register for your course. [Log in to Blackboard](#).

The programme Blackboard site is called Master Programme in Electronics (course ID: **PRG_MScET**). Enroll and be able to access useful information about the programme.

Programme information

For a good start of the studies, you should recapitulate the contents of your basic academic education, especially Mathematics and Electronics.

Four courses are given each semester – two in parallel. During the first half of the autumn semester you will study

[RF Measurement Technology \(EEG503\)](#) and [Applied Mechanics II \(FYG500\)](#) in parallel.

The second half of the autumn semester you will study

[Industrial Statistics \(IEG501\)](#) and [Wireless Sensor Networks \(EEA001\)](#) in parallel.

Welcome to the beginning of an excellent career!

Prof. Edvard Nordlander

Programme director

Contact Information

If you, after having read the information provided in this letter, still have questions about the programme, you can contact me via e-mail enr@hig.se or telephone +46-70-642 17 00.

For other, study-related questions, please contact the Student Centre at studentcentrum@hig.se.

General Information

Library

The library is located in the middle of campus and is open to everybody. You need to visit the library to activate your entrance card as a library card. You can reach all digital resources such as e-books and e-journals after logging in with your computer account. You can read more about the library services at hig.se/biblioteket.

Campus

A map of the campus area is available at hig.se/newstudent

HIG Card

This card works as an entrance card and gives you access to doors and computer rooms. The card also works as a library card as well as a copy card. You can get the card at the reception desk at the Student Centre.

IT Support

This is where you turn to if you encounter any problems regarding your computer account or any other IT related problems. The IT support is open for visits 09.00-15.00 in building 22, Monday to Friday. You can also contact them by telephone +46 (0)26-64 88 00 or email itsupport@hig.se

Course syllabus and Reading List

Find your course syllabus at hig.se/syllabuses

Course Schedule

Registered students at the University of Gävle will find their personal course schedules in the Student Portal. If you are not registered, you may find course schedules through our online schedule search service at schema.hig.se

Student Accommodation

You need to apply for accommodation yourself. Please remember to do it in good time before your arrival. You can find information about how to apply for student accommodation at hig.se/newstudent.

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The Student Centre

At the Student Centre you will meet knowledgeable staff that can assist you in just about anything regarding your studies at the University of Gävle. The Student Centre is located in building 22. You will also find a café in this area and a TV display showing the daily timetabling. You can contact the Student Centre by email at studentcentrum@hig.se.

Student support

Sometimes you need help to manage your studies and student life. At the University of Gävle we have several support functions to help you deal with various study-related situations, such as, for example, study counselling, student health, and support for disabled students. For more information about student support at the University of Gävle, please visit hig.se/studiestod