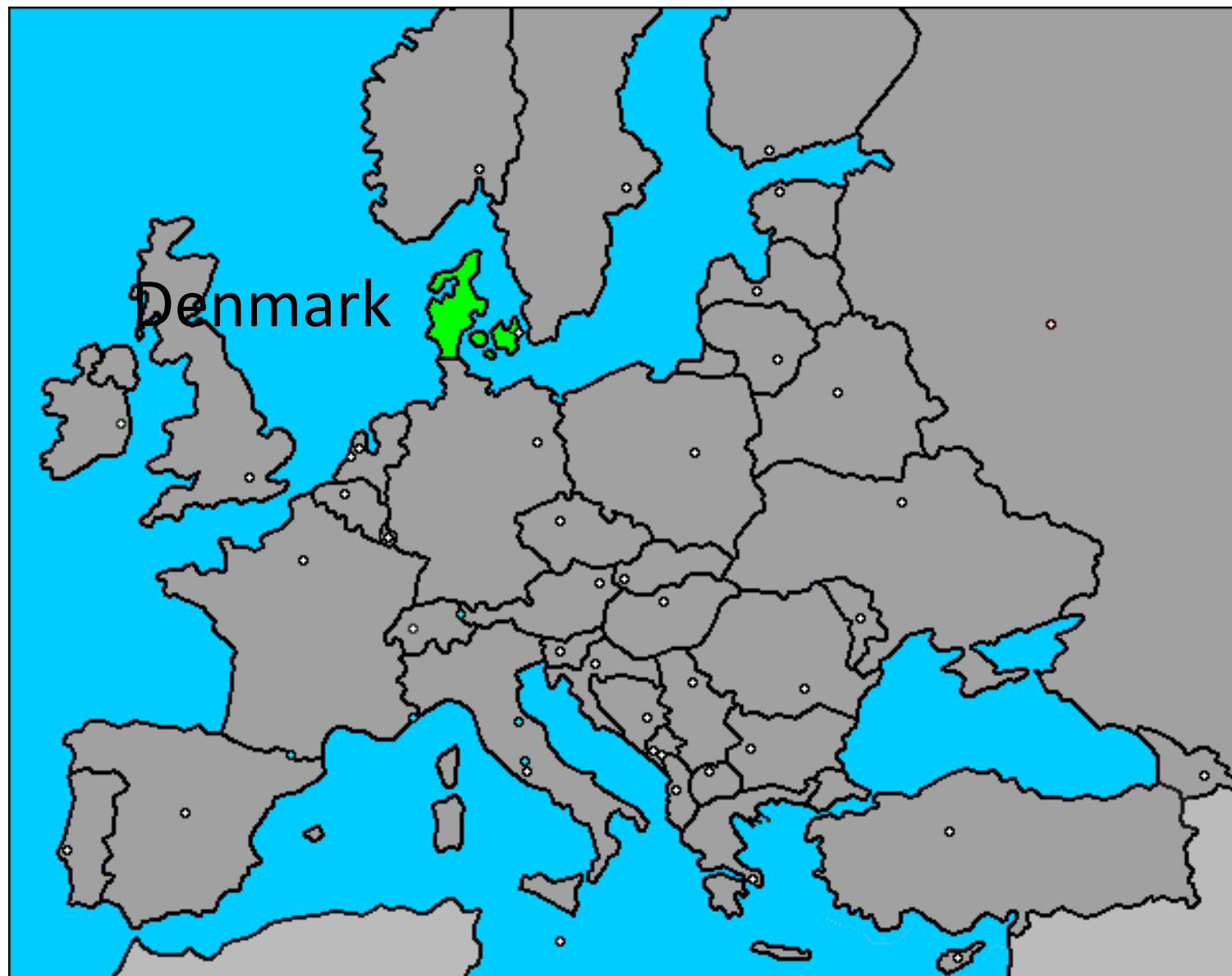


Study Abroad in Copenhagen





Beaches in Denmark

-  Bathing Beaches
-  Official Naturist (nudist) Beaches





**“Study abroad in Copenhagen
reinvigorated my interest in
academics!”**

- The faculty at UCPH and DTU respect & value the education and training of Caltech students.
- They do not focus on GPA for admissions to the exchange

Academics:

Copenhagen University (UCPH) and the Danish Technical University (DTU)

- **UCPH** - classes in the sciences & computer science. (No engineering)
- **DTU** - has applied science/engineering AND science courses.
- You must take 2 courses in your option.
- You can do research for credit at DTU
- All must take Danish language, taught at UCPH.
- UCPH must take a Danish Culture class

Students at UCPH
must take a culture
class. This is
optional for those
at DTU.



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DENMARK 101

Danish
Culture
Course
Examples

- Course in Danish Culture
- Danish Cinema
- Søren Kierkegaard and the Challenge of Existence
- Nordic Mythology
- Danish Architecture and Urban Planning
- Current Environmental Challenges for Denmark in a Historical Perspective

Two Different Block Systems

- **At UCPH**, for science subjects, the term is split into 2 intensive blocks that are approximately 9 weeks long. The 2nd block continues into January. You must get permission from the prof. to take the final exam before you leave in December in order to take 2nd block courses.
- **At DTU**, the block system refers to the time schedules of classes. Classes are taught in 4 hour blocks consisting of a lecture session followed by a problem solving session overseen by the professor.

UCPH Schema Groups

Diagram 2: Weekly timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning 08–12:00	B ₁	A ₁	C ₁	A ₁	B ₁	E
		A ₂			B ₂	
Afternoon 13–17:00	C ₁	B ₂	C ₂	A ₂	D	
	C ₂					
Evening 17–21:00	E	E	E	E		

Block 1: 3 September - 11 November 2012

Block 2: 19 November - 27 January 2013

DTU Block Schedule

DTU Timetable –Block System

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8-12	1A	3A	5A	2B	4B
12-13	Pause	Pause	Pause	Pause	Pause
13-17	2A	4A	5B	1B	3B
18-21					

*Warning! On the DTU course catalog,
E=Autumn and F=Spring. Don't select
courses listed during the F Semester!!
Spring in Danish is **Forår**.*

ECTS

- ECTS = European Credit Transfer System
- At UCPH
 - 7.5 ECTS courses = 9 CIT units
 - 15 ECTS courses = 9-12 CIT units
 - All HUM or SS courses are 9 CIT units
- At DTU
 - 5 ECTS courses = 9 CIT units
 - 10 ECTS courses = 9-12 CIT units

Possible Copenhagen Schedules

- Students must take at least 36 CIT units, ~4 courses or around 30 to 35 ECTS
- 2 to 3 DTU courses + Danish Language + Danish Culture (if 4th course is needed)
- 3 or 4 DTU courses + Danish Language or Danish Culture
- At UCPH, 2 Block I courses + 1 Block II course + Danish Language + Danish Culture



Danish Technical University

FINDING CLASSES: UCPH & DTU

DTU Course base overview:

<https://www.dtu.dk/english/education/course-base>

Coursebase: <https://kurser.dtu.dk/search>

UCPH Course Catalog:

<https://studies.ku.dk/visiting/overseas/course-information/online-course-catalogue/>

Use filters to find fall semester, English taught classes & by subject, level and block

All 3rd/4th year classes can be taught in English



Copenhagen Caveats

- You must understand the block schedules of DTU and UCPH
- You have to take Danish Language or Danish Culture for DTU and must take both for UCPH at the University of Copenhagen
- 3rd and 4th year courses taught in English.
- Cannot take PhD classes at either



Copenhagen Advantages

- You get to take Danish Language and Culture Classes
- Optional Intensive Danish Language Course in August for both DTU and UCPH
- Opportunities for research at DTU
- Longer study abroad experience
- A beautiful, safe, and walkable city with great public transport



Study Abroad in Copenhagen is a Social and Cultural Experience

- Copenhagen Arts
- Cycling Culture
- Historic City
- Food
- Scientific Community
- Teitgen Kollegiet (hall of residence)
- Danish Culture & History
- Travel to Other Scandinavian Countries
- Travel in Europe
- Has a Monarchy

City View



Castles



Town Square



Everyone Cycles!



UCPH



More of the UCPH “Campus”



UCPH Humanities Campus



DTU Campus



More of the DTU Campus





Kampsax Kollegiet at DTU

Private room with own bathroom

Share kitchen and lounge with about 12 to 15 other students,
usually Danes



Denmark is the Happiest Country in the World

According to the United Nations
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*What makes Denmark so
great?*

Life-Work Balance

Beautiful Landscapes

Safe Cities

*Excellent Social Services for
Everyone*

Top Universities