Welcome to ESN Messina!
WHAT IS ESN?

ERASMUS STUDENT NETWORK

ESN is one of the biggest student associations that supports student exchange opportunities and promotes cultural integration in Europe.
WHAT DO WE DO?

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TIP 1

HOW TO GET TO MESSINA

FROM CATANIA

Arrival at Fontanarossa airport.

Two options:

- From the train station Catania Centrale to Messina Centrale.
- From the airport, take the SAIS Bus to Messina Centrale.

For further information click on this link.
TIP 1

HOW TO GET TO MESSINA

FROM PALERMO

Arrival at Falcone e Borsellino airport.

Two options:

- From the train station Palermo Centrale to Messina Centrale.
- From the bus station Stazione - T.Bus Via Fazello, take the SAIS Bus to Viale Boccetta/Stazione Messina Centrale.

For further information click on this link
TIP 1

HOW TO GET TO MESSINA

FROM REGGIO CALABRIA

Arrival at Aeroporto dello Stretto. Take the train from Reggio Calabria Centrale to Villa San Giovanni.

Two options:

- From Reggio Calabria you can take the hydrofoil.
- From Villa San Giovanni, you can go by ferry.

For further information click on this link.
TIP 2

PICK UP SERVICE

We provide a pick-up service from Messina Centrale or from the Ferry and the Hydrofoil port to your houses.

PLEASE
Request this service in advance by filling out this form.
Finding accommodation can be difficult, especially if you are looking for it in a foreign country.

BUT DON'T PANIC! ESN is here for you!!!

You can write to this email:

accomodation.esnme@gmail.com

and one of our members will show you the houses that have an agreement with us and will help you choose it according to your needs.
TIP 3

HOW TO FIND ACCOMODATION

If we do not reply to your e-mail immediately, it is because we have many requests for housing.

This is why we recommend you also to take a look at these sites:

Idealista.it
Immobiliare.it
Subito.it

In addition, the University of Messina offers accommodation in a student residence hall.

For more information, click on this link.
TIP 4
LEARNING AGREEMENT

HOW DOES IT WORK?

You have received full information on how to apply and fill in the L.A. from erasmus@unime.it.

Keep reading our Survival Guide to find more info about it.
UPON ARRIVAL

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TIP 1
HOW TO GET THE CONFIRMATION OF ARRIVAL

Upon arrival in Messina send and e-mail to

uop.welcomeoffice@unime.it

Attaching:
- Copy of your Passport or ID
- Boarding pass
- Confirmation of arrival of your institution (if available)

You will receive the Confirmation of Arrival to be sent to your institution.

You will also receive further info on how to finalise the registration at UniMe (ESSE3).
The Learning Agreement can be changed just **ONE** time within **30 days** upon arrival.

You are allowed to attend classes (and take exams) of **ONLY** the subjects reported in the L.A. approved.

If you need to modify the L.A. write **ONLY** to uop.welcomeoffice@unime.it.
TIP 3
HOW TO REGISTER TO THE EXAMS

Your "Libretto" will be updated only with the subjects reported in the approved L.A. To register to the exams please follow the instructions reported on-line.
TIP 4
HOW TO SEARCH YOUR TIMETABLE

- Click on UNIME website
- Click on "Didattica", then click on "Offerta Didattica" and scroll until you find your department.
- Click on "Attività didattica", then click on "Orario Lezioni".

EASY PEASY!
In order to benefit of the services of the UNIME gym you have to:

- Be enrolled at the University of Messina
- Subscribe at the gym following this [LINK](#)

You will be asked to enter with your university account (i.e. `name.surname@studenti.unime.it`).

Password: the one you use for the esse3 system)

- Fill the form
- Go to the Gym (Once there, you will be asked to have a medical certificate, ask them where to get it)
**ITANL COURS** UNIME provides 40 hour-long courses of Italian language for students on international mobility (incoming students) and foreign nationals.

**CANTEN** International students and guests have access to four main University canteens located in different areas, all close to the Departments.

**TRANSPORT** University students have the opportunity to use public transportation at a reduced price.

**LIBRARY** UNIME has a well-stocked library including the best scientific and academic publications.

You can find many other useful information accessing the official UNIME page by clicking this [LINK](#).
USEFUL CONTACTS

OUR EMAIL: messina@esn.it

OUR ADDRESS: Via Consolato del Mare 41, 98122, Messina, Italy

INSTAGRAM: esn_messina

FACEBOOK: ESN Messina - Erasmus Student Network

TIKTOK: @esn_messina

WHATSAPP GROUP: ErasmusME Official - 22/23

OUR WEBSITE: messina.esn.it

EMERGENCY NUMBERS:
118 for AMBULANCE
112 for POLICE
115 for FIREFIGHTERS
WHAT IS THE ESN CARD?

IT’S A PASS FOR YOUR ENJOYMENT!!

With the ESN Card you can participate in official events organized by ESN and take advantage of local and international discounts in shops, transport and much more ...!
HOW TO GET YOUR ESN CARD

1. Fill out this FORM.
2. Go to our office in Via Consolato del Mare, n.41. Once inside the building, follow the ESN signs till the third floor.
3. Every week we publish the Office Hours on our Whatsapp groups.
4. The price for the ESN card is 15 euros if new, and 10 euros if it is a renewal (don't forget to bring the old one with you).
5. Register your ESN card at this LINK and discover all the benefits!

Our office's volunteers will welcome you with a smile and answer any questions.
The ESN team wishes you a good Erasmus with the hope that you’ll have wonderful time full of great experiences that you’ll keep for a lifetime.

To conclude, we invite you to our WELCOME WEEK which will be held around the first week of October. (more information will be given in our whatsapp group)

See you soon!