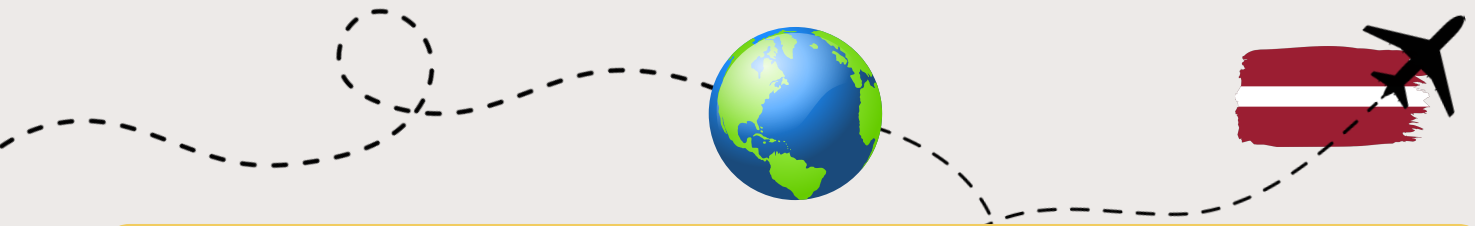


September 28th till October 2nd, Jelgava

## LBTU 1st INTERNATIONAL WEEK 2026



**Knowledge beyond borders: education, science and innovation for the future**

The modern world is undergoing rapid changes – digitalization, artificial intelligence, sustainability challenges, global competition, and various societal shifts place new demands on higher education. Universities must not only ensure high-quality studies and research but also prepare graduates who can adapt to change, collaborate in an international environment, and create innovative solutions for societal development.

The 1st International Week of the Latvia University of Life Sciences and Technologies (LBTU) will bring together academic staff, employees, and international relations specialists from partner universities across Europe. During the week, foreign guest lecturers will conduct lectures and seminars for LBTU students, share their academic and research experience, and participate in an international opportunities fair. As part of the event, students will be able to explore study, internship, and exchange opportunities at partner universities, receive information about Erasmus+ mobility, and network with representatives of foreign universities. The International Week will serve as a platform for knowledge exchange, strengthening academic cooperation, and promoting students' international experience.

The core question of how to achieve this will be based on several objectives:

- to get acquainted with the LBTU;
- to promote the exchange of experience between higher education institutions in Latvia and abroad;
- to develop new collaborative projects in the fields of education, research, and innovation;
- to encourage international mobility of students, academic staff, and administrative personnel;
- to promote Erasmus+ and other international cooperation opportunities;
- to establish new contacts and strengthen existing cooperation networks.

## Application

Deadline: August 15th, 2026  
Confirmation: by August 28th, 2026  
Apply online via LBTU system:  
<https://exchange.lbtu.lv/courses/course/2>  
2-international-week (add CV and abstract,  
in the system you will need to choose the  
activities which you would like to attend)

## Funding

Participants are responsible for covering  
their own accommodation, meals (some  
are included) and other expenses. We  
suggest seeking for Erasmus Staff funding  
at your Home Institution.

## Accommodation

- Hotel Jelgava (5 min walk)  
[Lielā iela 6](#)
- Hotel Zemgale (20 min walk)  
[Skautu iela 2](#)
- Kārklū Muiža Hotel (35 min by bus)  
[Kārklū iela 67](#)
- Agate Hotel (25 min by bus)  
[Skolas iela 16, Ozolnieki](#)

## International Lecture and Staff Program

The programme will take place from Monday  
to Thursday. Each lecturer is expected to  
deliver two 2-hour sessions based on the  
approved topics and schedule. All sessions  
will be conducted in English.

In addition, partners are invited to participate  
in the Study Abroad Fair, as well as  
networking and social activities throughout  
the week.



## Meals

- Pilsētas Elpa  
[Pasta sala 1](#)
- Grill bar & restaurant PARKS  
[Krišjāņa Barona iela 3](#)
- Shiki Sushi  
[Lielā iela 14](#)
- Chocolate & Pepper  
[Krišjāņa Barona iela 6](#)
- Silva  
[Driksas iela 9](#)

