

What is ESN?

ESN (Erasmus Student Network) is one of the biggest interdisciplinary student associations in Europe. It was born on the 16th October 1989 and legally registered in 1990 for supporting and developing student exchange.

We are present in more than 424 Higher Education Institutions from 36 countries. The network is constantly developing and expanding. We have around 12.000 active members that are in many sections supported by so called buddies mainly taking care of international students. Thus, ESN involves around 29.000 young people offering its services to around 160.000 international students every year.

In synthesis, ESN:

- works in the interest of international students
- works to improve the social and practical integration of international students
- represents the needs and rights of international students on the local, national, and international level
- provides relevant information about mobility programs
- motivates students to study abroad
- works with the reintegration of homecoming students
- contributes to the improvement and accessibility of student mobility
- cares about its members
- values volunteering and active citizenship

ESN Turkey

We share the same aims and ideas that are in best interest of international students. We execute our activities on the basis of the principles of an NGO and we are a non-profit organization. ESN Turkey has 27 sections and you may reach the contact list through the link below;

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Projects

- ESN in Business
 - o The aim of the project is to form a strong bond between ESN Turkey and the business world to promote ESN and help ESN members express the importance of ESN Turkey when applying for a job or an internship.
- ExchangeAbility
 - o There are two aims to this project and the first one is to promote the participation of disabled students in the movement to help international students. The second aim is to increase the number of disabled students who choose to study abroad. Thus, ESN tries to create a comforting environment that these students are provided at their countries.
- MeetingPoint
 - o The aim of the project is to create offices for ESN Sections to meet up with international students and to give the international students a place where they can go to whenever they have a problem or simply want to have fun. At the moment ESN Turkey has 2 MeetingPoints one in Istanbul and another in Ankara.
- SocialErasmus
 - o This project enables international students to work with ESN members to make the world a better place. Sections in Turkey create projects like helping children with no opportunities learn to speak English. Another example could be the Erasmus Forest project where students planted trees. Basically SocialErasmus aims to bring out simple humanistic qualities.

ESN Turkey Calendar

You may keep track of projects and events through our annual calendar and feel free to contact your ESN section for any questions and follow us on social media for updates.

Turkish Nights

Turkish Cuisine Tutorials

Orientation Programs

King's Day

Halloween

New Year's Eve

Happy Birthday ESN

Cultural Activities Month

Turkish Dance Sessions

Ebru Art Sessions

Social Week

Grand Welcome Party

ESN Med'Ness

St. Patrick's Day

Cappadocia Trip

Grand Farewell Party

Note: Your host university in Turkey may not have an ESN Section; in that case you may contact any section in that city or the board.



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