



Information sheet, EMECW China

Name of university: Beijing Normal University
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Academic calendar
Start and end dates of the spring semester 2010 : end of Feb, 2010-mid July, 2010
Start and end dates of the autumn semester 2010:early Sep. 2010-mid Jan. 2011
Examination period (s): July 5-16, 2010, around Jan. 11-22, 2011

Websites
Website Undergraduate studies: http://www.bnu.edu.cn/bnueng/Academic/Academics.htm
Website Master studies: http://www.bnu.edu.cn/bnueng/Academic/Academics.htm
Website PhD studies: http://www.bnu.edu.cn/bnueng/Academic/Academics.htm
Website Post Doc fellowships: http://www.bnu.edu.cn/bnueng/Academic/Academics.htm
Website with information for academic staff: http://www.bnu.edu.cn/bnueng/index.html

Credit system
Number of credits earned in one term of undergraduate/master studies: about 20 credits (undergraduate); about 6 credits (postgraduate)
Number of credits earned in one year of undergraduate/master studies: about 40 credits (undergraduate); about 12 (postgraduate)
Number of credits required for completion of an undergraduate degree: about 160 credits
Number of years required for completion of an undergraduate degree: 4 years
Number of credits required for completion of a master's degree: about 36 credits
Number of years required for completion of a master's degree: 3 years
Number of credits required for completion of a PhD degree: about 13 credits
Number of years required for completion of a PhD degree: 3 years (can be extended)

Housing
Housing assistance (yes/no): Yes
Link to housing information/application: http://www.bnulxsh.com/english/index.htm
Housing application deadlines: 2 and a half months before arrival

Language course
Language course available for scholarship holders (yes/no): Yes, with fees charged
Link to information about language course: http://219.142.121.44/

