

Exchange Places

3 places for course attendance (exchange profile 1)

1 place for thesis research (exchange profile 2)

Exchange profile 1: course attendance

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd).

Schools or Colleges open to Exchange Students

All Faculties are available except the Faculté de Médecine, de Pharmacie et d'Ondoto-Stomatologie. In any case, access is bound to the final approval of the relevant Faculty at UCAD.

Limitations

Students enrolled in the single cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery are not eligible.

Language Requirements

A French language proficiency level of B1 (or above) is required, as per the standards of The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. Proof of language proficiency can be provided through sitting the Overseas language test at the Language Centre CLA or through a certificate (see www.unibo.it/overseas for eligible certifications and test dates).

Exchange profile 2: thesis research

Exchange Profile

Students enrolled in a Master Degree or in the last two years of the single cycle Master Degree who are interested in carrying out research for their final thesis, may apply for this exchange profile. The subject of their thesis must consider Senegal or Sub-Saharan Africa as a relevant area for empirical research or collaboration with institutions, businesses or local universities. Under penalty of exclusion from the programme, after being selected for the exchange and before their departure* students must submit the following documents:

- written approval of the exchange signed by their UNIBO thesis supervisor.
- written authorisation from a host University supervisor (via email or letter) who is willing to welcome and supervise the student in his/her thesis research activity during the exchange.

Furthermore, selected student will have to submit a Learning Agreement in which they declare that they will be undertaking thesis research during their exchange.

*the deadline for the submission of the listed documents will be communicated by the Diri Area 3 Office.

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd).

Schools or Colleges open to Exchange Students

All Faculties are available except the Faculté de Médecine, de Pharmacie et d'Ondoto-Stomatologie. In any case, access is bound to the final approval of the relevant School at UCAD.

Limitations

Only students enrolled in a second-cycle degree programme or in the last two years of a Single cycle degree/Combined Bachelor and Master (LMCU) programme may apply. Students enrolled in the single cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery are not eligible.

Language Requirements

A French language proficiency level of B1 (or above) is required, as per the standards of The Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. Proof of language proficiency can be provided through sitting the Overseas language test at the Language Centre CLA or through a certificate (see www.unibo.it/overseas for eligible certifications and test dates).

Information applicable to both profiles

Web page

<https://www.ucad.sn/>

Course Catalogue and relevant Departments for thesis research

The list of the six Faculties and the list of the study programmes they offer, Licence (first cycle) and Master (second cycle) are available here: https://www.ucad.sn/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=252&Itemid=277.

The course catalogue is not published online, students must ask for it by sending an e-mail to diri.area3@unibo.it specifying the UNIBO study programme within which the Overseas exchange will be realized and the UCAD Faculty/ies of interest.

Activities for thesis research can be developed at the UCAD departments that are open to the exchange. The following are the useful webpages to identify the department of interest:

https://www.ucad.sn/index.php?option=com_content&view=category&layout=blog&id=160&Itemid=278 and

<https://recherche.ucad.sn/>. It is student's responsibility to identify the department of interest and the host University supervisor within the deadline specified at the section "Exchange Profile".

Academic Calendar

Each Faculty establishes its own specific calendar in the framework of an academic year that starts in October and ends in August. At some Faculties (for example the Faculté de Sciences juridiques et politiques and the Faculté de Lettres et Sciences Humaines) the first semester may start between mid-November and beginning of December and ends in the month of April; the second semester starts in the month of April and may end between July and end of August. At others, the first semester may start already in October and ends in the month of February; the second semester may start in the month of February and ends in the month of June. **Important Notice:** the pandemic has negatively affected the academic calendar of UCAD through the last academic years delaying the beginning of activities. As an example, some faculties will not start their classes of the AY 2021/2022 before the end of February 2022. When planning their Overseas exchange students are invited to consider this element of uncertainty.

Accommodation

University can assist exchange students in finding accommodation. Exchange students may find a place in the university residences (according to availability) or in the private accommodations in the nearby assisted by the university.

SOUTH AFRICA - Stellenbosch

STELLENBOSCH UNIVERSITY

Exchange Places

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Exchange profile 1: course attendance

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd).

Schools or Colleges open to Exchange Students

As a general rule all Faculties are available except the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, the Department of Accounting and the Faculty of Military Science. In any case, the access is bound to the final approval of the relevant Faculty at Stellenbosch University. Students can include in their Learning Agreement up to a maximum of 60 South African credits (1 CFU = 2 South African credits; this equivalence is suggested by Stellenbosch University).

Limitations

Students enrolled in the single cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery are not eligible.

Language Requirements

A minimum score of **80** on the TOEFL IBT or TOEFL Home Edition test is required. Alternatively, a total score of **6.5** or more on the IELTS (Academic) test.

Exchange profile 2: thesis research

Exchange Profile

Students enrolled in a Master Degree or in the last two years of the single cycle Master Degree who are interested in carrying out research for their final thesis, may apply for this exchange profile. The subject of their thesis must consider South Africa or Sub-Saharan Africa as a relevant area for empirical research or collaboration with institutions, businesses or local universities. Under penalty of exclusion from the programme, after being selected for the exchange and before their departure* students must submit the following documents:

- written approval of the exchange signed by their UNIBO thesis supervisor.
- written authorisation from a Host university supervisor (via email or letter) who is willing to welcome and supervise the student in his/her thesis research activity during the exchange.

Furthermore, selected student will have to submit a Learning Agreement in which they declare that they will be undertaking thesis research during their exchange.

*the deadline for the submission of the listed documents will be communicated by the Diri Area 3 Office.

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd).

Schools or Colleges open to Exchange Students

As a general rule, all Faculties are available except the Faculty of Medicine and Health Sciences, the Department of Accounting and the Faculty of Military Science. In any case, the access is bound to the final approval of the relevant Faculty at Stellenbosch University.

Limitations

This profile is open only to students enrolled in a second-cycle degree programme or in the last two year of a Single cycle degree/Combined Bachelor and Master (LMCU) programme. Students enrolled in the single cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery are not eligible.

Language Requirements

A minimum score of **80** on the TOEFL IBT or TOEFL Home Edition test is required. Alternatively, a total score of **6.5** or more on the IELTS (Academic) test.

Information applicable to both profiles

Web page

<http://www.sun.ac.za>

Course Catalogue and relevant Departments for thesis research

At Stellenbosch University, faculties/departments have several access restrictions to courses. In particular, Honours courses may be restricted. Therefore, students are invited to carefully check out the *Finding Courses* section at the following link: <https://www.sun.ac.za/english/SUInternational/Pages/Semester-Mobility.aspx>. Activities for thesis research can be developed at Stellenbosch University departments that are open to the exchange. The following are the useful webpages to identify the department of interest: <http://www.sun.ac.za/english/faculty/> and <http://www.sun.ac.za/english/research-innovation/Pages/default.aspx>. It is student's responsibility to identify the department of interest and the host University supervisor within the deadline specified at the section "Exchange Profile".

Academic Calendar

Semesters: from January to June (1st sem.) and from mid-July to mid-December (2nd sem.). It is possible to leave starting from mid-July 2022. <http://www.sun.ac.za/english/dates>

Accommodation

University residences' places are limited; University can assist exchange students in finding accommodation outside the campus.

Important Notice

Administrative fee (EAF) of the amount of around 8600 Rand (the amount may change every year) will be requested to exchange students of both exchange profiles.

SOUTH AFRICA - Pretoria

UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA

Exchange Places

3 places for course attendance

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd).

Schools or Colleges open to Exchange Students

As a general rule all Faculties are available except the Faculty of Health Sciences. In any case, the access is bound to the final approval of the relevant Faculty at University of Pretoria. Some Faculties admit every year a limited number of international exchange students, as the Faculty of Veterinary Sciences does.

University of Pretoria recommends a minimum workload of 3 modules per semester.

Limitations

Students enrolled in the single cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery are not eligible.

Language Requirements

A minimum score of 93 on the TOEFL IBT or TOEFL Home Edition test is required (Writing 22; Speaking 23; Reading 21; Listening 27). Alternatively, a total score of 7 or more on the IELTS (Academic) test.

Web page

www.up.ac.za

Course Catalogue

<https://www.up.ac.za/programmes>

<https://www.up.ac.za/yearbooks/home>

Academic Calendar

Semesters: from January to June (1st sem.) and from July to December (2nd sem.). It is possible to leave starting from July 2022.

<https://linus.up.ac.za/calendars/>

Accommodation

University residences' places are limited; University can assist exchange students in finding accommodations.

Important Notice

At Pretoria University, Departments might charge students with Administrative Fees. Fees might be applied also in case of extra-curricular activities.

SOUTH AFRICA - Johannesburg

UNIVERSITY OF WITWATERSRAND - Wits

Exchange Places

2 places for course attendance (exchange profile 1)

1 place for thesis research (exchange profile 2)

Exchange profile 1: course attendance

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd).

Schools or Colleges open to Exchange Students

All Faculties are available. In any case, the access is bound to the final approval of the relevant Faculty at Wits University. International exchange students must register for a maximum of 4 courses per semester.

Limitations

Students enrolled in the single cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery are not eligible.

Language Requirements

A minimum score of **100** on the TOEFL IBT or TOEFL Home Edition test is required. Alternatively, a total score of **7** or more on the IELTS (Academic) test.

Exchange profile 2: thesis research

Exchange Profile

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Furthermore, selected student will have to submit a Learning Agreement in which they declare that they will be undertaking thesis research during their exchange.

*the deadline for the submission of the listed documents will be communicated by the Diri Area 3 Office.

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd).

Schools or Colleges open to Exchange Students

All Faculties are available. In any case, the access is bound to the final approval of the relevant Faculty at Wits University.

Limitations

This profile is open only to students enrolled in a second-cycle degree programme or in the last two year of a Single cycle degree/Combined Bachelor and Master (LMCU) programme. Students enrolled in the single cycle degree course in Medicine and Surgery are not eligible.

Language Requirements

A minimum score of **100** on the TOEFL IBT or TOEFL Home Edition test is required. Alternatively, a total score of **7** or more on the IELTS (Academic) test.

Information applicable to both profiles

Homepage

<https://www.wits.ac.za/>

Course Catalogue and relevant Departments for thesis research

Students can find the course catalogue at the section “What can I study” available here:

<https://www.wits.ac.za/internationalstudents/study-abroad/incoming-study-abroad/>

Activities for thesis research can be developed at Wits University departments that are open to the exchange. The following are the useful webpages to identify the department of interest: <https://www.wits.ac.za/faculties-and-schools/> and <https://www.wits.ac.za/research/> . It is student’s responsibility to identify the department of interest and the host University supervisor within the deadline specified at the section “Exchange Profile”.

Academic Calendar

Semesters: from January to June (1st sem.) and from July to December (2nd sem.). It is possible to leave starting from July 2022. <https://www.wits.ac.za/students/academic-matters/term-dates/2022/>

Accommodation

The host university assists exchange students in finding accommodation. According to availability, exchange students might be accommodated in university managed structures. Students will also be assisted in finding accommodation out of campus.

Important Notice

At Wits University, Departments might charge students with Administrative Fees. Fees might be applied also in case of extra-curricular activities.