

UNIVERSITÉ DE MONTRÉAL

Exchange places

10

Duration

One semester (either the 1st or the 2nd semester)

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Exchange students are allowed to attend several study programmes, both Bachelor/Baccalauréat/Undergraduate programmes (1st - 3rd year) and Master/Maîtrise/Graduate programmes (4th and 5th year).

Classes are held in French. For some courses, especially in the fields of Science, books may be in English.

Restrictions

Exchange students must select one single "programme d'études". Students can take one course per semester from another programme.

To be admitted in a graduate programme at UdeM students must have completed at least the first semester of the master's before starting their exchange at UdeM. Therefore, students who during the exchange will be in their 1st year of a Laurea Magistrale or in their 4th year of a Laurea Magistrale a Ciclo Unico (LMCU) can only enroll in a study programme at graduate level if they start their exchange in the 2nd semester; if they start their exchange in the 1st semester their choice will be limited to undergraduate programmes only.

Some study programmes are closed to exchange students and all the courses taught in the Laval Campus, nor courses in Management and Engineering at the Ecole Polytechnique Montréal and at HEC Montréal.

Please, read the following web page carefully

<https://international.umontreal.ca/english/international-students/student-exchange-program/programs-of-study-with-particular-requirements>.

UdeM cannot assure exchange students a place in the selected courses: only a limited number of students is allowed to attend classes and mandatory attendance is required. This implies that timetable overlaps might occur, or that the number of requests for certain courses might exceed the number of students allowed to attend them. Therefore, applicants are recommended to be flexible and to select a wide range of suitable courses.

Prerequisites

Exchange students may be required to have completed certain courses as prerequisite; see the document "Guidelines for Overseas study project" at the following page: www.unibo.it/en/overseas.

Language requirements

A French language proficiency level of **B2** 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/qualification (see www.unibo.it/overseas for eligible certifications and test dates).

ATTENTION: For some courses, the Université de Montréal requires a higher level of proficiency in French, e.g. the Département de Littératures de Langue Française requires candidates to have a **C2** knowledge of the French language and the Department of Kinesiology and the School of Industrial Relations require a **C1** level.

Web page

<http://www.umontreal.ca>

<https://international.umontreal.ca/english/international-students/student-exchange-program/>

https://international.umontreal.ca/fileadmin/international/documents/Mobilite/Factsheet_UdeM.pdf

https://international.umontreal.ca/fileadmin/international/documents/Mobilite/Fiche_information_UdeM.pdf

Course catalogue

<https://international.umontreal.ca/english/international-students/student-exchange-program/#choose-program-of-study>

At undergraduate level, a standard course load consists of 12-15 credits, which is equivalent to 4 or 5 three-credits courses per semester. At graduate level the standard course load is 6-9 credits, which is equivalent to 2 or 3 three credits courses per semester.

Please check the link: <https://international.umontreal.ca/etudiants-internationaux/programme-echanges-etudiants/#credits>

Calendar

<https://registraire.umontreal.ca/dates-importantes/calendriers-universitaires/#c183153>

Session d'Automne: early September- end of December

Session d'Hiver: early January- end of April

As a rule, the Session d'Été (from early May to the end of August) is closed to exchange students.

Accommodation

On-campus accommodation is available, but the number of rooms is very limited for exchange students as priority is given to regular fulltime students. Here are some other housing options:

<https://vieetudiante.umontreal.ca/a-propos/service/logement-hors-campus>

http://bei.umontreal.ca/english/mtl_logement.htm

CANADA - Montréal

McGILL UNIVERSITY

Exchange places

21: 15 places for all the other Faculties (except for the Desautels Faculty of Management)

+ 6 places at the Desautels Faculty of Management

- **McGILL UNIVERSITY-WIDE (for all Faculties, except for the Desautels Faculty of Management)**

Exchange places

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Duration

One semester (either the 1st or the 2nd semester).

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Classes are held in English. Exchange students are allowed to attend all Faculties, except of Medicine, Dentistry, Continuing Studies, Law, and Architecture. Exchange students are allowed to take undergraduate courses only (course codes 101-499). Students may take up to 1 course in the School of Continuing Studies with permission from their admitted Faculty.

Restrictions

Some Faculties have restrictions, for details, see page 2 of the Fact Sheet:

https://www.mcgill.ca/mcgillabroad/files/mcgillabroad/mcgill_exchange_fact_sheet_2025-2026_updated.pdf

An average grade of not less than 27 is also required. It is not compulsory to have this average requirement when applying for the Overseas program: however, the selected students will have to meet the average when their nomination will be sent to the partner University by UNIBO.

Prerequisites

Exchange students may be required to have completed certain courses as prerequisite; see the document “Guidelines for Overseas study project” at the following page: www.unibo.it/en/overseas.

Language requirements

IELTS (Academics) with a minimum total score of 6.5 and a minimum of 6.0 in each section.

Alternatively, a TOEFL iBT or TOEFL Home Edition with a minimum total score of 90 and a minimum of 21 in each section; only the Faculty of Education (TESL) requires a total score of at least 100 with a minimum component score of 21 in each of reading, writing, listening, and speaking.

Alternatively, a Cambridge Advanced certificate with Grade B or better or a Cambridge Proficiency with Grade C or better. See: <https://www.mcgill.ca/undergraduate-admissions/apply/english-proficiency>

The Faculty of Education (TESL) requires a TOEFL iBT total score of 100.

Web pages

<https://www.mcgill.ca/>

https://www.mcgill.ca/mcgillabroad/files/mcgillabroad/mcgill_exchange_fact_sheet_2025-2026_updated.pdf

<https://www.mcgill.ca/mcgillabroad/come-mcgill/request-exchange>

www.mcgill.ca/students/directory

Course catalogue

<https://coursecatalogue.mcgill.ca/en/>

A standard undergraduate workload is 15 credits, which is equivalent to 5 three-credit courses per semester.

Calendar

www.mcgill.ca/importantdates/key-dates

Fall Term: from the beginning of September to the end of December (exam session included)

Winter Term: from the beginning of January to the end of April (exam session included)

Exchange students are not allowed to take classes in the Summer Term.

Accommodation

On-campus accommodation facilities are available, but the number of available places is limited. The following link leads to further information for finding accommodation both, inside and outside the campus:

www.mcgill.ca/students/housing/

- MCGILL DESAUTELS FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT

Exchange places

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Duration

One semester (either the 1st or the 2nd semester).

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Only students attending a Bachelor or a Master Degree Programme at the School of Economics and Management can apply for this exchange opportunity.

Applicants are allowed to select courses of Bachelor degree programmes only at the Desautels Faculty of Management (course codes 101-499). Students may take up to 1 course in the School of Continuing Studies with permission from their admitted Faculty.

Restrictions

An average grade of not less than 27 is also required. It is not compulsory to have this average requirement when applying for the Overseas program: however, the selected students will have to meet the average when their nomination will be sent to the partner University by UNIBO.

Prerequisites

Exchange students may be required to have completed certain courses as prerequisite; see the document "Guidelines for Overseas study project" at the following page: www.unibo.it/en/overseas.

Language requirements

Exchange students are required an IELTS (Academic) certificate with a total score of at least 6.5 and a minimum of 6.0 in all sections. Alternatively, exchange students can provide a TOEFL iBT or TOEFL Home Edition with a total score of at least 100 with a minimum component score of 21 in each of reading, writing, listening, and speaking or a Cambridge Advanced certificate with Grade B or better or a Cambridge Proficiency with Grade C or better. See: <https://www.mcgill.ca/undergraduate-admissions/apply/english-proficiency>.

Web pages

<https://www.mcgill.ca/desautels/>

https://www.mcgill.ca/mcgillabroad/files/mcgillabroad/mcgill_exchange_fact_sheet_2025-2026_updated.pdf

<https://www.mcgill.ca/mcgillabroad/come-mcgill/request-exchange>

www.mcgill.ca/students/directory

Course catalogue

<https://www.mcgill.ca/desautels/programs>

<https://coursecatalogue.mcgill.ca/en/> (section Management)

A standard undergraduate workload is 15 credits, which is equivalent to 5 three-credit courses per semester.

Calendar

www.mcgill.ca/importantdates/key-dates

Fall Term: from the beginning of September to the end of December (exam session included)

Winter Term: from the beginning of January to the end of April (exam session included)

Exchange students are not allowed to take classes in the Summer Term

Accommodation

On-campus accommodation facilities are available, but the amount of available places is limited. The following link leads to a service for finding accommodation outside the campus: www.mcgill.ca/students/housing/

CANADA - Montréal

CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY

Exchange places

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Duration

One semester (either the 1st or the 2nd semester)

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Exchange students can attend all programmes, undergraduate or graduate, except for restricted courses, see under 'Limitations'. All courses have to be of the same level, either undergraduate or undergraduate, students are not allowed to mix courses from different course levels. 50% of the selected courses MUST fall within the same Concordia Program.

Limitations

Restricted courses, not available to exchange students, are listed here:

https://www.concordia.ca/content/dam/concordia/offices/ci/docs/Restricted_Course_List_2025_26.pdf

To be admitted to a graduate programme at UdeM students must have completed at least the first semester of the master's before starting their exchange at UdeM. Therefore, students who during the exchange will be in their 1st year of a Laurea Magistrale or in their 4th year of a Laurea Magistrale a Ciclo Unico (LMCU) can only enroll in a study programme at graduate level if they start their exchange in the 2nd semester; if they start their exchange in the 1st semester their choice will be limited to undergraduate programmes only.

Graduate programs are very small and selective. They are also very strict about the pre-requisites. Students are advised to carefully verify the program admission requirements as they can be stricter than the general admission requirements. Some very specific graduate programmes like 'Drama Therapy' may not accept exchange students.

An average grade of not less than 27 is also required. It is not compulsory to have this average requirement when applying for the Overseas program: however, the selected students will have to meet the average when their nomination will be sent to the partner University by UNIBO.

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT or TOEFL Home Edition language certificate with an overall score of 90 is required, with a minimum combined score of 34 for speaking and writing. Alternatively, students can provide an IELTS (Academic) language certificate with an overall score of 7.0 and at least 5.5 in each section, or Cambridge: Advanced or Proficiency with overall minimum score of 190 and no section below 165.

Web page

<https://www.concordia.ca/international/students-from-abroad/inbound-exchange.html>

Course catalogue

<https://www.concordia.ca/academics/undergraduate/calendar.html>

<https://www.concordia.ca/academics/graduate/calendar.html>

<http://www.concordia.ca/academics/units.html>

50% of the selected courses MUST fall within the same Concordia Program.

At undergraduate level, a standard course load consists of 12-15 credits, which is equivalent to 4 or 5 three-credits courses per semester. At graduate level the standard course load is 9-12 credits, which is equivalent to 3 or 4 three credits courses per semester.

Calendar

Semesters:

Fall Semester: early September-mid December

Winter Semester: early January-late April.

<https://www.concordia.ca/students/undergraduate/undergraduate-academic-dates.html>

Class schedule: http://fcms.concordia.ca/fcms/asc002_stud_all.aspx

Accommodation

Places in university residences is limited, but Concordia provides a service to find accommodation off-campus.

<https://www.concordia.ca/students/housing.html>

<https://www.concordia.ca/campus-life/life-in-montreal/renting-in-montreal.html>

CANADA - Montréal

UNIVERSITÉ DE QUÉBEC A MONTRÉAL - UQAM

Exchange places

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Duration

One semester (either the 1st or the 2nd semester)

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Exchange students are allowed to attend many study programmes, both Bachelor/Baccalauréat/Undergraduate programmes (1st - 3rd year) and Master/Maîtrise/Graduate programmes (4th and 5th year). All classes are held in French. Maîtrise-level study programmes are open only for students already holding a graduate degree. Exchange student guide:

https://etudier.uqam.ca/sites/default/files/site/all/default/upload/brochure_etudiantsetrangers_francais_2020.pdf

Restrictions

Some faculties are closed for exchange students, as the School of Management (ESG - UQAM).

Exchange students must select courses from one single 'programme d'études'. Exchange students are requested to carefully check and meet the requirements listed as 'Conditions d'admission' on every 'programme d'études' web page.

Language requirements

A French language proficiency level of **B2** 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/qualification. When sending the application, the partner university requires that the selected students present language certificates obtained no more than 24 months ago. The dates in which the test will take place, as well as the list with the admitted language certifications, will be published in due time on the web site www.unibo.it/en/overseas.

Web page

<https://etudier.uqam.ca/etudiants-etranagers>

Course catalogue

<https://etudier.uqam.ca/programmes>

<https://etudier.uqam.ca/cours-par-discipline>

At undergraduate level, a standard course load consists of 12-15 credits, which is equivalent to 4 or 5 three-credits courses per semester. At graduate level the standard course load is 6-9 credits, which is equivalent to 2 or 3 three credits courses per semester.

Calendar

<https://etudier.uqam.ca/calendriers>

Exchange students are allowed to choose among: Trimestre d'Automne (August/September-December), Trimestre d'Hiver (January-April), or Trimestre d'Hiver + Trimestre d'Été (January-July).

Accommodation

It is possible to apply for a dormitory on campus: <https://sea.uqam.ca/>

CANADA - Vancouver

UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Exchange places

4

Duration

One semester (either the 1st or the 2nd semester)

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Classes are held in English. Exchange students are allowed to select courses designed for both undergraduate students and for graduate students. Students applying for this university should have broad course options, because UBC requires students to provide alternative course options for the courses they choose. Students can choose to study in the Vancouver campus or at the campus in Okanagan.

Restrictions

In Vancouver campus the following faculties are not open to exchange students: School of Audiology and Speech Sciences, School of Journalism, Faculty of Medicine, School of Nursing, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Faculty of Dentistry, School of Rehabilitation Sciences, UBC Vantage College, School of Law.

Other restriction can be found within the following Schools and Departments: Applied Sciences, Arts, Education, Sauder School of Business, Science, among others. Please, check carefully the following web page to find out about all the restrictions before including this university in your Overseas application: <https://global.ubc.ca/go-global/coming-ubc-study-abroad/coming-ubc-exchange/register-courses-ubc-exchange>.

The 'discipline-specific exchanges' listed on the following page <https://global.ubc.ca/go-global/coming-ubc-study-abroad/coming-ubc-exchange> do not apply because the University of Bologna only has a general exchange agreement with UBC.

For the restrictions in Okanagan campus please see the link: <https://students.ok.ubc.ca/career-experience/go-global/study-abroad-at-ubc-okanagan-2/>

An average grade of not less than 27 is also required. It is not compulsory to have this average requirement when applying for the Overseas program: however, the selected students will have to meet the average when their nomination will be sent to the partner University by UNIBO.

Exchange students may be required to have completed certain courses as prerequisite; see the document "Guidelines for Overseas study project" at the following page: www.unibo.it/en/overseas.

Language requirements

UBC requires students to show proof of their level of language proficiency either through a TOEFL iBT or TOEFL Home Edition certificate with an overall score of **90** and at least **21** in the writing and speaking sections and **22** in the reading and listening sections, or through an IELTS (Academic) certificate with an overall score of **6.5** and at least **6.0** in each section or a Cambridge certificate (First, Advanced or Proficiency) with minimum overall score of **180**.

Some graduate programs at UBC require higher scores. Check the following web page for details:

<https://goglobal.ubc.ca/go-global/coming-ubc/coming-ubc-exchange/english-language-requirements-coming-ubc-exchange>

Web page

<https://goglobal.ubc.ca/go-global/coming-ubc/coming-ubc-exchange>

Course catalogue

<https://you.ubc.ca/programs/#mode=by-topic&viewMode=list>

<https://courses.students.ubc.ca/>

At undergraduate level, a standard course load consists of 12-15 credits, which is equivalent to 4 or 5 three-credits courses per semester. At graduate level the standard course load is 9-12 credits, which is equivalent to 3 or 4 three credits courses per semester.

Courses' codes:

100: first-year courses

200: second-year courses

300: third-year courses

400: fourth-year courses (final year of undergraduate degree)

500+: Graduate-level courses.

Calendar

Winter Session: September - December

Summer Session: January - April

<https://vancouver.calendar.ubc.ca/dates-and-deadlines>

<https://okanagan.calendar.ubc.ca/dates-and-deadlines>

Accommodation

On-campus accommodation is available, but the number of rooms is very limited:

<https://goglobal.ubc.ca/go-global/coming-ubc/coming-ubc-exchange/step-3-housing>

USA - Carlisle

DICKINSON COLLEGE

Exchange places

2 places as Teaching Assistant and course attendance combined

7 places course attendance only

Exchange profile: Language Teaching Assistant and course attendance

Besides attending classes, the Teaching Assistant collaborates with the Italian Department and provides assistance with lectures of Italian at Dickinson College. Board and lodging and student health insurance will be covered by the College and the student will be-compensated for the teaching activities.

Duration

Full academic year

Mandatory interview

Students applying for the Teaching Assistant position will have to take a compulsory selective interview with the Dickinson College Center in Bologna. The dates in which these interviews will take place will be published in due time on the web site www.unibo.it/en/overseas. The purpose of this interview is to evaluate the candidate's genuine interest in teaching, willingness to collaborate with faculty on campus, and creativity in proposing/managing activities that support Dickinson College's Italian program. Knowledge of Italian at the C2 level or higher is required.

Exchange profile: Course attendance

This exchange profile is specifically aimed at exchange students who will attend courses at Dickinson College during either the first or second semester. All expenses, except 'tuition' are to be paid by the student (room, board, student health insurance);

see https://www.dickinson.edu/info/20082/financial_operations/1436/annual_fees_tuition_room_board.

Duration

First or second Semester

Both profiles

Departments open to exchange students

Undergraduate courses of all Departments.

Restrictions

Students of *Medicina e Chirurgia*, *Medicina Veterinaria*, *Farmacia* and *Ingegneria* are not eligible for the programme. Please check the Dickinson College course listings.

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT or TOEFL Home Edition language certificate with an overall score of at least **89** is required. Alternatively, students can provide an IELTS (Academic) language certificate with an overall score of **6.5**.

Homepage

<http://www.dickinson.edu/>

Course catalogue

<https://bannerprod.dickinson.edu/StudentRegistrationSsb/ssb/term/termSelection?mode=search>

Accommodation

Dickinson is a 'residential college'. Therefore, students are supposed to live on campus with a meal plan. Check the following page:

https://www.dickinson.edu/info/20238/office_of_residence_life_and_housing/1282/residential_facilities

Before submitting your Overseas application for Dickinson, students can contact prof. Bruno Grazioli for more information on course options.

DICKINSON COLLEGE, Bologna

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

Exchange places

50 places, divided as follow:

- **40 exchange places** available for students enrolled in an bachelor's degree program at UNIBO, excluding those enrolled in programs delivered by the Department of Management or the Department of Economics. Selected students will have to submit a study plan referring to all available majors except for Business/Management and Economics when applying at UC;
- **10 exchange places** available for students enrolled in an bachelor's degree program at UNIBO delivered by the Department of Management or the Department of Economics. Selected students will have to submit a study plan referring to the majors Business/Management and Economics when applying at UC. Selected students will have to get academic preparation in microeconomics, macroeconomics, statistics and calculus in order to meet the pre-requisites required by UC to submit a study plan referring to the majors Business/Management and Economics. Those teaching activities must be successfully completed before the start of the mobility period.

Information concerning both exchange offers

Campuses: Berkeley, Davis, Irvine, Los Angeles, Merced, Riverside, Santa Barbara, Santa Cruz, San Diego.

In the application the student must specify three Campuses in order of preference with a list of possible courses for each Campus. (The application for UC counts as one single application, i.e. one of the three universities you can apply for within the Overseas programme).

Duration

Full year or one semester at the Berkeley and at the Merced Campuses. One academic year or one or two "quarters" at all the other Campuses.

Most campuses use a *quarter* system: Fall quarter (September - December), Winter quarter (January - March), and Spring quarter (April - June), except for Berkeley and Merced, which use a semester system (Fall semester: August - December. Spring semester: January - May). For campuses using *quarters*, students can choose one, two or three quarters; one or two quarters equal one semester, while *three quarters* correspond to a full academic year. Students applying for one quarter only should choose either the Fall or the Winter quarter; Exchange students are allowed to attend the third quarter only if they also attend the second quarter (Winter quarter).

Limitations

Students who want to apply at this University have to be enrolled in the second or third year of a "Corso di Laurea" or "Corso di Laurea Magistrale a Ciclo Unico" in the academic year 2025/2026. Students who are enrolled or will enroll in a "Corso di Laurea Magistrale" or in the fourth year of a "Corso di Laurea Magistrale a Ciclo Unico" in the academic year 2025/2026 will not be allowed to apply for this University since the University of California does not accept students enrolled in an academic year subsequent to their fourth year during their mobility period (corresponding to the a.y. 2026/2027).

Applicants are required to have an average grade higher than or equal to 26/30. Applicants to the Overseas Call for Applications are not required to have already satisfied this requisite at the moment of their application, but selected students will have to fulfill this requisite when sending their application to the University of California (i.e. in mid-January, for students who want to leave at the beginning of the academic year; mid-July, for students who want to leave in the second half of the academic year).

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

The following website represents a reference for those who want to apply to UC, but will also be very useful for preparing the Overseas Application, since it provides explanations about the organization of the didactic offering and recommendations concerning prerequisites and restrictions:

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/apply-exchange/apply-undergraduate-programs>.

Exchange students are allowed to take courses at various Departments of each Campus, listed on the basis of each "major" at the following page: <https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/uc-courses>.

The University of California considers all Exchange students as undergraduate students, i.e. as students in their first four academic years.

Undergraduate courses are divided into two categories: "lower division" and "upper division". Exchange students are free to choose courses from both categories, regardless of the year in which they are enrolled at the University of Bologna. The courses belonging to the "lower division" (codes 1 - 99) are introductory courses and local students attend them in their first two years, whereas the courses belonging to "upper division" (codes 100 - 199) are generally attended by local students in their third or fourth year.

Prerequisites

For courses of the most popular majors, UC applies specific prerequisites that are listed at the following link:

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/uc-courses/major-preparation>.

Students enrolled in an bachelor degree program delivered either by the UNIBO Department of Management or the Department of Economics, if selected, will be required to prove their academic preparation in microeconomics, macroeconomics, statistics and calculus in order to meet the pre-requisites set by UC to submit a study plan referring to the majors Business/Management and Economics. Those teaching activities must be taken and passed by the start of the mobility period.

Moreover, it is recommended to check in the webpages of each UC campus the specific prerequisites set for each course.

For more general information on prerequisites set by the Overseas call for application see the document “Guidelines for Overseas study project” at the page: www.unibo.it/en/overseas.

Restrictions

Courses in Medicine, Nursing and Veterinary Medicine are not open to exchange students. Some major, i.e. Business, Management, Economics and/or Business Economics, Engineering, Film Studies are accessible only to students who are enrolled in a Degree Programme of this specific field of study, while students who wish to study Law courses need to be aware that the courses available are limited to introductory courses from the major in Legal Studies, because the courses offered by the Professional School of Law are not open to exchange students. Courses at graduate level (codes 200 and above) are in general not open to undergraduate students, except in some cases and always with a prior approval of UC. For this reason, graduate courses must not be included in the Overseas application.

Restrictions applied to courses of the most popular majors are listed at the following link:

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/uc-courses/major-preparation>.

Moreover, it is recommended to check in the webpages of each UC campus the restrictions set for each course.

Reference Web Pages

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/discover-uc>

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/apply-exchange/apply-undergraduate-programs>

Course catalogue

To look for courses available in each UC campus check the following web page and filter your research by campus:

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/uc-courses>.

Students should also take into account the prerequisites and restrictions listed for every ‘major’ on the following web page: <https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/uc-courses/major-preparation>.

Campus allocation

The University of California will allocate the selected students in the UC campuses according to availability and to the requisites for the different majors. Students will have to express three preferences anyway. These preferences need to be expressed in the application procedure phase: it is necessary to choose three campuses and to present a study plan for each of them. The selected students will be asked to indicate the three campuses -as well as their relative study projects- again during the following phase, in the application for the University of California. Nevertheless, please note that UC may assign some students to a fourth campus that was not selected during the application phase, based on the availability of spots at the various campuses

Language requirements

TOEFL iBT, IELTS (Academic) or Cambridge certificate (First, Advanced or Proficiency): the minimum scores are indicated in the following table; scores may vary. Official scores can be found at the following page:

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/examinations>.

UC Campus	TOEFL iBT	IELTS (Academic)	Cambridge
BERKELEY	80	6.5	176
DAVIS	80	6.5	176
IRVINE	80	6.5	176
MERCED	80	6.5	176
RIVERSIDE	80	6.5	176
SANTA BARBARA	80	6.5	176
SANTA CRUZ	80	6.5	176
SAN DIEGO	83	7.0	185
LOS ANGELES	83	7.0	185

Please note: in order to apply to the Overseas call for application, the language certificates TOEFL iBT, IELTS and Cambridge will be accepted only if the test has been taken within two years before the date of the application’ submission. Please check art. 7 of the Overseas call for application.

Calendar

UCB and UCM: Fall Semester: mid-August – mid-December; Spring Semester: mid-January – mid-May.

UCD, UCI, UCLA, UCR, UCSB, UCSC, and UCSD: Fall Quarter: mid-September – mid-December; Winter Quarter: January – mid-March; Spring Quarter: April – mid-June.

See: <https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/after-you-apply/timeline>.

Travel Expense Coverage

Students selected for an exchange placement at the University of California will receive a lump-sum contribution of 300 EUR to cover travel expenses to and from the host institution. This contribution will be paid in a single installment at the end of the exchange, regardless of the actual cost of the airline tickets.

Students will be required to submit the corresponding travel documents, which must be consistent with the official start and end dates of the mobility period as stated in the certificate of attendance.

Further information will be provided in the 2026-27 Overseas Students Guide.

Further useful information

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/budget>

<https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/before-you-arrive/housing>

Disclaimer

All information here provided has been updated to the day of publication of this Call and may be subject to change.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA - UCEAP Bologna Study Center

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Tel: 051 231405

Email: bolognastudycenter@uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu

Hopening hours: Monday - Friday h.10:00 am-5:00 pm

The UCEAP Bologna Study Center is not able to answer questions regarding the application for the Overseas call. Until the exchange placement has been assigned, students must contact the Office for Non-EU Mobility - Agreements and Non-EU Mobility Unit

USA

INDIANA UNIVERSITY - B.C.S.P

Exchange places

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BCSP is a consortium of 6 US Universities

Exchange profile

Undergraduate course attendance.

Restrictions

Students of *Medicina e Chirurgia* and *Medicina Veterinaria* are not eligible for the programme.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY, Bloomington, Indiana

Exchange places: 2

Duration: one semester

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT or TOEFL iBT Home Edition language certificate with an overall score of **79** is required. Alternatively, students can provide an IELTS (Academic) certificate with an overall score of **6.5**.

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Undergraduate courses-in: College of Arts and Sciences (includes Media School and School of Global and International Studies), Eskenazi School of Art, Architecture + Design, Kelley School of Business, Luddy School of Informatics, Computing and Engineering, O'Neill School of Public and Environmental Affairs, School of Education, School of Public Health.

Calendar

Fall term: end of August - end of December, Spring term: beginning of January - beginning of May. See also: <https://utilities.registrar.indiana.edu/calendars/official-calendar/>

Web page

<http://www.indiana.edu>

Course catalogue

<https://registrar.indiana.edu/calendars/schedule-of-classes.html>

(Please select iGPS Course Search)

Students have to attend courses corresponding to, at least, 12 Credit Hours per term (= semester), whereas the ordinary workload for a term is 15 Credit Hours. 'One IU credit is roughly equivalent to two European Credit Transfer and

Accumulation System (ECTS) credits [=CFU].’ Vedi: <https://international.college.indiana.edu/international-students/exchange-visiting-students/courses-grading-credit-hours/index.html>.

UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, Chicago, Illinois

Exchange places: 1

Duration: one academic year

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT language certificate with an overall score of **104** is required, with a minimum score of **26** in each section. Alternatively, students can provide an IELTS (Academic) certificate with an overall score of **7.0** and a minimum score of **7.0** in each section

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Exchange students are allowed to attend only undergraduate courses in the various areas offered at the College, keeping into account the following restrictions.

Students who wish to attend courses held at the Booth School of Business, the Law School, the School of Social Service Administration, and at the Graduate School of Public Policy Studies have to ask for permission and are allowed to attend only a single course per quarter.

Calendar

A full academic year consists of three quarters: Autumn quarter (from September 30 to December 14 2024), Winter quarter (from January 5 to March 15 2025) and Spring quarter (from March 24 to June 7 2025).

Web page

<http://www.uchicago.edu>

<https://college.uchicago.edu/international-partnerships/isal-about>

Course catalogue

<http://collegecatalog.uchicago.edu/>

Exchange students are allowed to choose between a minimum of 3 and a maximum of 4 undergraduate courses per quarter. Courses are considered as approximatively equal to each other. No Credit system is available. Each course represents more or less one tenth of an annual study load.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, Champaign, Urbana, Illinois

Exchange places: 1

Duration: one semester

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT language certificate with an overall score of **80** is required. The College of Engineering and the College of Media requires an overall score of **100** and the School of Social Work an overall score of **103**.

Alternatively, students can provide an IELTS (Academic) certificate with an overall score of **6.5** and a minimum score of **6.0** in each section. The College of Media and the School of Social Work require an IELTS (Academic) overall score of **7.5**, with a minimum score of **7.0** in each section.

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Students can only take undergraduate level courses. Exchange students cannot enroll in courses offered by the Gies College of Business or the Department of Computer Science. More information about courses, including those that are closed or have limited access for exchange students, is available here: <https://studyabroad.illinois.edu/incoming-students/incoming-application-process/restricted-courses/>

Calendar

Fall semester: end of August - end of December; Spring semester: mid-January - mid-May

http://senate.illinois.edu/a_calendar.asp

Web page

<https://www.studyabroad.illinois.edu/incoming-students/study-at-illinois>

<https://las.illinois.edu/academics/international/incoming>

Course catalogue

<http://catalog.illinois.edu>

<https://courses.illinois.edu/schedule>

Minimum and maximum workload per semester in credits: 12/18. Normal study load: 15. Proportion Illinois credits : Italian CFU credits = 1 : 2 (3 Illinois credits are more or less 6 CFU's).

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Exchange places: 2

Duration: one semester

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT language certificate with a minimum overall score of **100** is required. Alternatively, students may present an IELTS (Academic) with a minimum overall score of **7**.

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Students can only take undergraduate courses from the College of Arts and Sciences.

Calendar

Fall semester: end of August - end of December, Spring semester: beginning of January - mid-May.

<https://almanac.upenn.edu/penn-academic-calendar>

Web page

<http://www.upenn.edu>

<https://global.upenn.edu/pennabroad/exchangeatpenn>

Course catalogue

<https://catalog.upenn.edu/courses/>

Motore di ricerca insegnamenti: <https://catalog.upenn.edu/course-search/>

The standard workload for one semester is 4 courses, the maximum workload is 5.

UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN, Madison, Wisconsin

Exchange places: 2

Duration: one semester

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT or TOEFL IBT Home Edition language certificate with an overall score of **95** is required. Alternatively, students can provide an IELTS (Academic) certificate with an overall score of **6.5**.

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Students can only take undergraduate level courses. Courses held at the professional schools of Law, Medicine, Veterinary Medicine, and Nursing are not available to exchange students. As for courses with prerequisites, the University of Wisconsin is willing to assess courses already completed as the University of Bologna as equivalent prerequisites. Exchange students who have not completed these courses at the University of Bologna by the date of application have to make sure that the marks obtained in the courses considered as equivalent prerequisites are registered before applying at the University of Wisconsin (e.g. end of January for those who wish to leave at the beginning of the academic year, end of July for those who wish to leave in the second half of the academic year). There is limited access to the courses held at the College of Business.

Further details are available at the following links: <https://studyabroad.wisc.edu/exchange/academics/>;
<https://studyabroad.wisc.edu/exchange/course-enrollment/>

Calendar

Fall semester: beginning of September - end of December; Spring semester: mid-January - mid-May.

See: <https://studyabroad.wisc.edu/exchange/semester-dates-timeline/>

Web page

<http://www.wisc.edu>

www.studyabroad.wisc.edu/exchange

Course catalogue

<https://studyabroad.wisc.edu/exchange/course-enrollment/> (copy and paste this link in your browser to open this page)

The standard workload per semester goes from a minimum of 12 credits to a maximum of 18 credits. One UoW credit is equivalent to 2 CFU/ECTS credits. Most courses involve 3 or 4 credits. Consequently, students are required to take an average of 4 courses per semester (min. 3 -max 5).

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, Chapel Hill, North Carolina

Exchange places: 1

Duration: one semester

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT language certificate with an overall score of **85** is required. Alternatively, applicants may provide an IELTS (Academic) certificate with a minimum overall score of **6.0**.

Schools or Departments open to exchange students

Exchange students can only take courses from the College of Arts and Sciences. Within the College of Arts and Sciences the following areas are closed to exchange students: Business, Medicine, Law, Dentistry, Education, Journalism, Pharmacy, Nursing, Public Health, and Government.

Calendar

Fall semester: mid-August - December; Spring semester: January - mid-May

Web page

<http://www.unc.edu>

Course catalogue

<http://www.catalog.unc.edu/> , <https://catalog.unc.edu/course-search/> The minimum amount of credit hours required per semester is 12 credit hours. 3 credit hours are equivalent to approximately 6.5 CFU/ECTS.

INDIANA UNIVERSITY CENTER - BOLOGNA CONSORTIAL STUDIES PROGRAM

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Walk-in hours: MON-THU 10.00-17.30/FRI 10.00-13.00

USA - Vassar College, Wellesley College, Wesleyan University

EASTERN COLLEGE CONSORTIUM (E.C.CO.)

Consortium of three East Coast universities

Exchange places: 4

Exchange profile: Exchange opportunity to carry out research for the final thesis (Research Fellow) or for Italian Language Teaching Assistant. Candidates for the position of Teaching Assistant have to be Italian native speakers.

Restrictions

Students of *Medicina e Chirurgia*, *Medicina Veterinaria*, *Farmacia* and *Ingegneria* are not eligible for the programme.

Language requirements

A TOEFL iBT language or TOEFL Home Edition certificate is required, with an overall score of 71 with at least 15 in the writing and reading sections. Alternatively, students can provide an IELTS (Academic) certificate with an overall score of 6.0 and at least 6.0 in the 'writing' and 'reading' sections. Wesleyan and Wellesley (not Vassar) accept the Cambridge verification as well, Advanced or Proficiency with a minimum score of 190.

VASSAR COLLEGE, Poughkeepsie, New York

Exchange places: 1

Duration: one academic year

Calendar: Late August - Late May

Exchange profile:

(Italian Language Teaching Assistant): collaborates with Italian language faculty to organize conversation sessions, tutorials and co-curricular activities on Italian language and culture; Vassar College provides the assistant with housing, a meal plan for the campus cafeteria and a small stipend for teaching activities provided by the Department of Italian and a health insurance.

Courses attendance

The TA is required to enroll in at least one course per semester. The TA may take a maximum of two courses per semester. Courses in all departments are open to the Italian language assistant as long as seats are available and the student meets the prerequisites required for admission to the courses.

Web page

<http://www.vassar.edu>

Course catalogue

<http://catalog.vassar.edu/>

VASSAR COLLEGE, Poughkeepsie, New York

Exchange places: 1

Duration: one semester (first semester 2026/2027 only)

Calendar: Mid-August - Late December

Exchange profile: Research Fellow

Research Fellows conduct research for their dissertation; they have access to college libraries and, where appropriate, laboratories. The College will identify a Vassar faculty member to serve as an informal academic mentor for the Research Fellow during the exchange; Vassar College covers round-trip travel expenses, lodging, and a meal plan for the campus dining center for the Research Fellow. Only students enrolled in a Master's degree program or the last two years of a Single-Cycle Master's degree program are eligible to apply. Under penalty of exclusion from selection, the selected candidate must submit the following documents before departure:

- by the end of January 2026: a statement drafted by the supervisor of the UNIBO thesis project stating that the student is authorized to spend a semester abroad as an exchange student
- by March/April 2026: a certification from the host university (via email or letter) that the faculty is willing to accept and supervise the student during the thesis project research activity at Vassar.

Please note that the selected student must submit a Learning Agreement indicating the preparation of the final thesis as an exchange activity.

Courses attendance

The Research Fellow is free to attend courses as auditor and is allowed to have access to most libraries in the State of New York. All Departments are open to the Research Fellow.

Web page

<http://www.vassar.edu>

Course catalogue

<http://catalog.vassar.edu/>

WELLESLEY COLLEGE, Wellesley, Massachusetts (Women's Liberal Arts College)

Exchange places

1

Duration

Full academic year

Calendar

Early-September - Late-May

Exchange profile: Teaching Assistant

The Italian Language Teaching Assistant is involved in activities regarding the Italian language and collaborates with teachers of Italian language and culture, taking care of conversation tutorials, grammar and writing. **Wellesley College** will cover board and lodging expenses, excluding Christmas time. The Teaching Assistant will also receive a salary for the teaching activities provided and a partial reimbursement for the purchase of the health insurance. **This exchange profile is only open to female candidates.**

Courses attendance

The selected student can follow up to 3 courses during the whole academic year and one course as auditor. The student can also attend courses at MIT - Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Babson College, Brandeis University and Olin School of Engineering.

The student will also have access to all New England's university libraries.

Web page

<http://www.wellesley.edu>

Course catalogue

<https://courses.wellesley.edu/>

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, Middletown, Connecticut

Exchange places

1

Duration

Full academic year

Calendar

Late-August - Late-May

Exchange profile: Teaching Assistant

The Italian Language Teaching Assistant is involved in activities regarding the Italian language and collaborates with teachers of Italian language and culture, taking care of conversation tutorials, grammar and writing. The Teaching Assistant will receive a salary for the teaching activities provided as well as funds to cover housing and meals. The host university will also provide a partial reimbursement for the purchase of the health insurance.

Courses attendance

The student can attend up to 2 courses per semester.

Web page

<http://www.wesleyan.edu>

Course catalogue

https://owaprod-pub.wesleyan.edu/reg/lwesmaps_page.html

CENTRO STUDI E.C.CO., Eastern College Consortium

All students who have applied for the Language Assistant and/or Research Fellow profile will have to take a compulsory selective interview with representatives of the E.C. Consortium in Bologna in the dates that have been published on the UNIBO website. E.C.C.O. will contact candidates to make an appointment. The E.C.C.O. staff will provide students with further information about the exchange.

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Office hours only on appointment.

USA - Norman

UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

Exchange places

3

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd semester).

School/Colleges open to exchange students

Generally, all programs are open to exchange students except for those listed as 'Unacceptable classes' on the following web page: <https://www.ou.edu/cis/iss/students/exchange/enrollment-academics>.

Restrictions

Students of Medicina e Chirurgia and Medicina Veterinaria are not eligible for the exchange.

Language requirements

TOEFL iBT or iBT Home Edition with a minimum score of **79**. The College of Law requires a minimum score of **90**. IELTS (Academic) with a minimum score of **6.5**. The Faculty of Law requires a minimum score of **7.0**.

Web page

www.ou.edu

<https://www.ou.edu/cis/iss/students/exchange>

Course catalogue

<https://www.ou.edu/cis/iss/students/exchange/enrollment-academics> The minimum expected workload per semester amounts to 12 'credit hours'; the maximum workload per semester is 15 credit hours. Students typically take 4-5 courses per semester: most UoO courses are worth 3 credit hours. 1 credit from the University of Oklahoma corresponds to 2 CFU credits.

Calendar

Late August - Mid December (I sem) and Mid January - Mid May (II sem).

<https://www.ou.edu/registrar/academic-calendars>

Accommodation

Students are advised to live on-campus. <https://www.ou.edu/housingandfood>.

USA - Newark

NEW JERSEY INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Exchange places

2

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd semester).

School/Colleges open to exchange students

Generally, all undergraduate and graduate programs are open to exchange students except for the Ying Wu College of Computing.

Restrictions

Students of Medicina e Chirurgia and Medicina Veterinaria are not eligible for the exchange.

Language requirements

TOEFL iBT with a minimum score of **79**. IELTS (Academic) with a minimum score of **6.0**

Homepage

[New Jersey Institute of Technology | \(njit.edu\)](http://www.njit.edu)

Course catalogue

Undergraduate courses: <https://catalog.njit.edu/undergraduate/>

Graduate courses: <https://catalog.njit.edu/graduate/>

The minimum expected workload per semester for undergraduate students is 12 credits; The minimum number per semester for graduate students is 9 credits. For more information on NJIT's credit system:

<https://www.njit.edu/sites/njit.edu.oie/files/NJIT%20Credit%20Hours%20Policy.pdf>

Calendar

Semesters: early September to late December (Fall sem) and mid-January to mid-May (Spring sem)

<https://www.njit.edu/registrar/calendars>

Accommodation

On campus accommodation may be available.

USA - Laramie

UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

Exchange places

2

Duration

One semester (either 1st or 2nd semester)

School/Colleges open to exchange students

All programs except Law, Master of Business Administration, Nursing, Pharmacy, Education are available to exchange students.

Restrictions

Students of Medicina e Chirurgia and Medicina Veterinaria are not eligible for the exchange.

Language requirements

TOEFL iBT with a minimum score of **71**. IELTS (Academic) with a minimum score of **6.0**

Higher scores are required for access to Engineering courses: TOEFL iBT with a minimum score of **80** or IELTS Academic with a minimum score of **6.5**.

Homepage

<https://uwyoexchange.com/>

[Incoming Exchange and Study Abroad Students](#)

Catalogo dei corsi

https://wyosb.uwyo.edu/StudentRegistrationSsb/ssb/term/termSelection?mode=search&_gl=1*10j464l*_gcl_au*MjEzMDIwMzg0Mi4xNzU3MzQxOTg0*_ga*NDcyMDA2MjcwLjE3NTczNDE5ODQ.*_ga_DCJG3HESYS*czE3NTc0NDIxNzMkbzckZzEkdDE3NTc0NDI3NzQkajM0JGwwJGgw

Undergraduate students must attend a minimum of 12 credits per semester; the maximum number of credits that undergraduate students can attend is 18 credits per semester.

Graduate students must attend a minimum of 9 credits per semester; the maximum number of credits that graduate students can attend is 12 credits per semester.

Calendar

Semesters: from mid-August to early December (first semester) and from mid-January to early May (second semester).

https://www.uwyo.edu/acadaffairs/_files/docs/academic-calendar.pdf

Accommodation

Students are advised to live on campus: <https://uwyoexchange.com/accommodations>