



College of Agricultural, Consumer & Environmental Sciences

Fact Sheet for Student Exchange Program Partners
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I. General Information	
Name of University	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
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Institution dealing with exchange program	College of ACES (Agricultural, Consumer & Environmental Sciences)
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Website for exchange-related information	http://studyabroad.illinois.edu/incoming-students/study-at-illinois/
Covid-19 Related Information	https://covid19.illinois.edu/
Online academic calendar	http://senate.illinois.edu/a_calendar.asp

II. Application

<p>Application procedure</p>	<p>Students must first be nominated by their home university. Illinois will then email the following information to nominated students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • link to the online application system for the next application term • an access code to the online application • student application instructions <p>Application Instructions & Components: https://studyabroad.illinois.edu/incoming-students/incoming-application-process/instructions-components/index.html</p>	
<p>Online application form</p>	<p>An online application link specific to the partner institution will be provided to each nominated student.</p>	
<p>Required documents for application</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of passport • Certification of financial support • Academic transcripts • English language proficiency verification (Completed English Verification Form and documentation from representative, on letterhead from home institution, confirming sufficient proficiency in English.) • Tentative plan of study • Letters of recommendation (optional) 	
<p>Deadline for application</p>	<p>Fall/Academic Year</p>	<p>Spring Semester</p>
	<p>April 1</p>	<p>September 15</p>
<p>Suggested length of study for exchange</p>	<p>Semester or Academic Year (Both are ok)</p>	
<p>Number of exchange students allowed (Semester and Yearly)</p>	<p>To be determined based on each exchange agreement.</p>	
<p>Types of student you could accept</p>	<p>Undergraduate <i>*MA/MS students may be nominated, but they will be considered undergraduates if coming as part of this exchange program. They may be able to take advanced undergraduate and graduate-level course work at Illinois. Instructor approval will be required for upper-level courses.</i></p>	

Estimated time to deliver acceptance letter	Approximately 4-8 weeks
Procedure of applying for student visa	Once accepted, students will receive detailed instructions from Illinois International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) Office: http://www.iss.illinois.edu/ Exchange students will receive a DS-2019 and apply for a J-1 Visa.

III. Course Information

Course list	Students may choose courses from many fields of study. Visit https://courses.illinois.edu to view the course schedule.
Registering for Classes	The tentative class list students complete as part of their UIUC application does not automatically register the student. Students should visit https://registrar.illinois.edu/registration/registration-process/how-to-register-using-enhanced-registration/ for how to register for courses once they have been accepted.

Language of Instruction in courses	English (unless foreign language class)
Do you offer English-Taught Courses? List available?	All courses are taught in English (except foreign language courses).
Course limitations and selection	Please remind your students that UIUC cannot guarantee enrollment in any specific course, so it is important for exchange students to be as flexible as possible in their course selection. It is not possible to take courses offered by the College of Business and College of Law. Exchange students may take some courses in the College of Engineering if approved, but courses in certain departments such as Computer Science are usually closed to exchange students. A list of restricted courses can be found here: https://studyabroad.illinois.edu/incoming-students/incoming-application-process/restricted-courses/index.html

Preliminary language training classes provided?	No
Necessary pay to preliminary language training class?	Not applicable
IV. Scholarship	
Scholarships provided to exchange students?	No

V. Accommodation	
Type of accommodation offered	<p>Upon acceptance, students may apply for a room in a university residence hall www.housing.illinois.edu</p> <p>Some residence halls require students to purchase a meal plan, or they may choose to rent a private apartment.</p> <p>University housing is guaranteed for exchange students, but you may not get your first choice.</p> <p>Students may also elect to find off-campus apartments.</p>

Fees of on-campus / off-campus housing	<p>On-Campus: https://www.housing.illinois.edu/Cost</p> <p>Off-Campus: Numerous private rental management companies are available. Prices will vary based on location, size, amenities, etc.</p>
Off-campus housing assistance is provided?	<p>Designated staff will provide assistance and suggestions.</p> <p>https://occl.illinois.edu/</p>
Maximum beds offered to every partner school?	Not applicable
Any limitation or suggestion on accommodation?	<p>Students who choose to apply for university housing should be aware that there is no guarantee that they will get the residence hall of their choice.</p>

VI. Expense (in local currency)

Tuition & Fees	<p>Exchange students do not pay University of Illinois tuition.</p> <p>Student fees (which exchange students do pay) include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Heath Service Fee• Transportation Fee (local bus)• International Student Fee• Health Insurance Fee (All students, including incoming exchange students, are automatically enrolled in and charged for the university's Student Health Insurance.) <p>For specific fee amounts: https://registrar.illinois.edu/tuition-fees/tuition-fee-rates/tf-rates-term/ (select Campus Fees under the enrollment term)</p> <p>For more info on student health insurance: http://mckinley.illinois.edu/fees/service-fees</p>
Food	<p>Meals at local restaurants in campus area are \$10-15 for lunch and \$15-20 USD for dinner. There are many local grocery stores where students can purchase food to cook for themselves.</p>
Public Transport & Bikes	<p>Public buses are free when using university student ID card. Taxis around town are \$5-20 USD. Uber and Lyft are also options. Multiple daily trains and buses to Chicago about \$35 USD each way.</p> <p>Students can also rent or purchase used bikes to use on campus and around town.</p>

VII. Final Transcripts

UIUC Sending Transcripts (Exchange students studying at UIUC)

UIUC will automatically request a transcript to be sent to each student's home university upon successful completion of their exchange semester.

UIUC will send the transcript via secure electronic service to your email address - **electronic transcripts will come from Parchment and may go to your spam folder.**

UIUC will not provide automatic copies to the students directly. Students can request official transcripts at any time here: <https://registrar.illinois.edu/transcripts/>

UIUC Receiving Transcripts (UIUC students studying at your university)

For UIUC students participating on an exchange at your institution, we can accept official transcripts in one of the following ways:

- 1) Via secure electronic service to orstudyabroad@illinois.edu or aces-studyabroad@illinois.edu
- 2) Via mail to the following campus address:
Office of the Registrar
ATTN: Stewart Schrof, Academic Records Coordinator
Study Abroad, Graduation and Graduate Support
University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
901 W. Illinois St., Suite 140
Urbana, IL 61801-3446
USA
- 3) Via Box folder upload (*please email aces-studyabroad@illinois.edu for this option)

Note: UIUC cannot accept transcripts via email or from students, per FERPA regulations.