



UNIVERSITY OF IOWA | FACT SHEET EXCHANGE PROGRAM

GENERAL INFORMATION

UNIVERSITY OF IOWA

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall (undergraduates)

2017 July 14 - Earliest date you may enter the U.S. in F-1 or J-1 status

August 12 - Date by which you should arrive in Iowa City; residence halls will open at 12:00 p.m. for new international students with residence hall contracts

August 13 - Check-in with ISSS

August 13-19 - International Student Orientation and OnIowa!

August 21 - Classes begin

2018 July 13 - Earliest date you may enter the U.S. in F-1 or J-1 status

August 11 - Date by which you should arrive in Iowa City; residence halls will open at 12:00 p.m. for new international students with residence hall contracts

August 12 - Check-in with ISSS

August 12-18 - International Student Orientation and OnIowa!

August 20 - Classes begin

2019 July 18 - Earliest date you may enter the U.S. in F-1 or J-1 status

August 17 - Date by which you should arrive in Iowa City; residence halls will open at 12:00 p.m. for new international students with residence hall contracts

August 18 - Check-in with ISSS

August 18-24 - International Student Orientation and OnIowa!

August 26 - Classes begin

Spring (undergraduates and graduates)

December 10 - Earliest date you may enter the U.S. in F-1 or J-1 status

January 8 - Date by which you should arrive in Iowa City

January 9 - Check-in with ISSS

January 9-13 - International Student Orientation

January 17 - Classes begin

December 9 - Earliest date you may enter the U.S. in F-1 or J-1 status

January 7 - Date by which you should arrive in Iowa City

January 8 - Check-in with ISSS

January 8-12 - International Student Orientation

January 16 - Classes begin

December 7 - Earliest date you may enter the U.S. in F-1 or J-1 status

January 5 - Date by which you should arrive in Iowa City

January 6 - Check-in with ISSS

January 6-10 - International Student Orientation

January 14 - Classes begin

ADMISSION

Students can choose either one semester or academic year for duration of study. Students are accepted each semester.

Application Deadline Fall and full year - May 1
 Spring - October 1

GPA Requirement 2.5 minimum

English Proficiency Requirements English Proficiency Evaluation—Admitted students will also need to take an on-campus English Proficiency Evaluation unless they have a TOEFL score of 100 or higher on the iBT or 600 or higher on the PBT.

- Internet-based test (iBT): 80 with no subscore lower than 17
- Paper-based test (PBT): 530

Language requirements are not flexible.

For more information visit: admissions.uiowa.edu/academics/english-proficiency-requirements

Supporting Documents

Required (all forms and information are collected digitally)

- Digital Application Form (Sent after nomination)
- Current Academic Transcript (in English)
- Financial Documents
- Course Selection Sheet
- Copy of Passport
- On-Campus Housing Application (see Accommodations section)
- Medical Certificate

STUDY AREA & COURSE REGISTRATION

Course Registration will happen during orientation.

Restricted Subjects

Business classes are very selective and may be hard or impossible to get in to some classes. Graduate level classes are not available.

Courses Website

isis.uiowa.edu/isis2/courses/search.page
catalog.registrar.uiowa.edu/registrar/catalog/

Credit Hour Requirements

Minimum - 12 semester hours
Maximum - 18 semester hours

ACCOMMODATIONS

Accommodations are the responsibility of the exchange student. Students may live on or off campus.

Cost

On-Campus accommodations will cost around **\$6000** USD per semester for housing and dining.

Timeline

Application is available during general application period.
Plan to apply as soon as admitted as housing is first-come first served.

Application and more information

housing.uiowa.edu
offcampushousing.uiowa.edu

MISC.

Airport pick-up

Bus is available at certain times, otherwise student must arrange.

Insurance Requirement

We prefer students have our insurance as it covers more than many other plans. Students may receive a waiver by providing proof of policy.

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