

Student Exchange Fact Sheet 2018/19

UCL is London's leading multidisciplinary university, with more than 11,000 staff and 38,000 students from 150 different countries. Founded in 1826 in the heart of London, UCL was the first university in England to welcome students of any religion and the first to welcome women on equal terms with men. As a Study Abroad student at UCL you have access to an extensive and flexible range of subject options. Whether you are looking to focus solely on your major area of academic study, explore a more interdisciplinary route or experience something completely new, UCL can support you.

GENERAL INFORMATION

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| UCL Website | https://www.ucl.ac.uk/ |
| Affiliate Information | http://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/international/affiliate |
| Address | University College London, Gower Street, London, WC1E 6BT |

CONTACTS

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| Affiliate Admissions | Email: affiliatestudents@ucl.ac.uk Web: http://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/undergraduate/application/how-to-apply/affiliate |
| UCL Study Abroad | Email: studyabroad@ucl.ac.uk Tel: +44 (0)20 3108 7773 Web: https://www.ucl.ac.uk/studyabroad |
| UCL Faculties & Departments | http://www.ucl.ac.uk/about/how/faculties |

2018/19 Term Dates

Autumn Term 2018: 24 September 2018 - 14 December 2018

Spring Term 2019: 07 January 2019 - 22 March 2019

Summer Term 2019: 22 April 2019 - 07 June 2019

Students registered for the Autumn Term only take 2 CU (16 US credits/30 ECTS) and are usually assessed by coursework and/or departmental examination

Students registered for the Spring/Summer Terms take 2 CU (16 US credits/30 ECTS) and are assessed by coursework and/or departmental examination

Students registered for the entire year take 4 CU (32 US credits/60 ECTS) and are assessed by coursework and/or departmental examination.

Affiliate Applications

Online Application

<http://www.ucl.ac.uk/adminsys/search/>

Application Guidance

https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/application-form-guide_affiliatesv1.pdf

For entry in September, for the Autumn Term only or a full year, the application deadline is 31 March.

For entry in January, for the Spring and Summer Terms only, the application deadline is 30 September the previous year.

Application Requirements and Further Information

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/how-to-apply>

Visa Information

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/how-to-apply>

Academic Information

Credits at UCL are called “course units”, or CU. Most modules are worth either 1 CU (for modules that run over a full year) or 0.5 CU (for those that run over one term). A 1 CU module is equivalent to 8 US credits, or 15 ECTS, and a 0.5 CU module is equivalent to 4 US credits, or 7.5 ECTS. Students must take a minimum of 50% of their courses from their home department.

Subject/Course Information

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/subjects>

Accommodation

If you're coming to study abroad for the full year, you'll be guaranteed a place in UCL accommodation as long as you have firmly accepted your offer to study at UCL and applied for accommodation by the deadline. Students coming to UCL for less than a full year will normally be allocated housing, but this cannot be guaranteed.

Accommodation Information

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/life-at-ucl>
<http://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/accommodation>

Cost of Living

In addition to your tuition fees, your main costs as a student will be living expenses including accommodation, food, travel, entertainment, books, clothes, etc. Estimates for this will obviously vary, as everyone will have different personal tastes and circumstances, but a total of £387 per week is considered to be a reasonable average.

Visa Information

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/how-to-apply>

Additional Links

International Student Orientation Programme (ISOP)

<http://www.ucl.ac.uk/iss/orientation>

Student Support and Wellbeing

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/srs/our-services/student-support-and-wellbeing>

Life at UCL

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/life-at-ucl>

Living in London

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/study-abroad-guide/living-in-london>

UCL Summer School (not included in exchange)

<https://www.ucl.ac.uk/prospective-students/study-abroad-ucl/summer-school>