This dual degree program between the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, Iowa State University (ISU) and the Faculty of Agriculture, Life and Environment, Zhejiang University (ZU) is intended to provide opportunities for ZU students to study at both institutions and at the completion of the program, receive a bachelor’s degree from both institutions. This program will provide ZU students with an excellent academic program from two strong universities, will allow them the opportunity to immerse themselves in an American cultural and English language experience, and will provide them access to professional development opportunities that will be valuable to them for graduate or professional work after graduation.

**Professional and Academic Development Opportunities**

While taking classes at ISU, ZU students will also have the chance to participate in the following professional and academic development opportunities organized by ISU to help them maximize their learning experiences at ISU and prepare them for their future academic and/or professional pursuits. These opportunities are: Graduate School Workshop and Tips, Career Skills Workshop, English Conversation Partners, Overview of Campus Resources, Cultural Field Trips.

**Scholarship Information**

#### The ISU College of Agriculture and Life Sciences will provide a $ 2,000 scholarship per semester for up to three full semesters for ten (10) qualified ZU students who enter the ZU-ISU Dual Degree program. The maximum total commitment per student would be $6,000 if ZU students enrolled in a full time course load for three full semesters. There are two full semesters per calendar year: fall and spring semester. Summer session does not count as a full semester and is not eligible for this scholarship. For more information as well as the scholarship application form, please contact Difei Shen at Agriculture Study Abroad office.

#### Program Details

The intent of this program is to allow ZU students to spend three years studying at ZU, then transfer to ISU and spend 1.5 years finishing their degrees (1.5 years = three regular academic semesters). At the completion of this program, they will have a degree from both institutions. This program is not a guaranteed 3 + 1.5 program. ISU allows all students to determine their own progress and success based on their individual efforts. Students’ choices in the classes they take both at ZU and at ISU, their ability to pass the TOEFL and their choices of academic majors can all influence how quickly they complete this program.

Students can check the link to see what departments and Majors are there in our college, and find the one that fit them the best：http://www.ag.iastate.edu/about/departments/

**Application Information**

1. Application requirements and Application Form

Test of English as a Foreign Language: a score of 71 on the Internet-Based Test or 530 on the Paper-Based Test is required. Official scores should be reported directly to Iowa State University by the testing agency. Iowa State's reporting code is 6306. (Photocopies are not accepted.) In addition, students must meet the proper prerequisites to enter into the degree program and take classes in that program.

Application form: <http://www.admissions.iastate.edu/apply/pdf/intl_ug_app.pdf> ; Instructions for application form: <http://www.admissions.iastate.edu/apply/pdf/intl_ug_instr.pdf>

1. Application deadlines

January 1 for Fall/Summer Semester; August 1 for Spring Semester

**Websites of Interest**

* Departments: <http://www.iastate.edu/depts/offices.html>
* Tuition and fees: [http://www.public.iastate.edu/~registrar/fees/](http://www.public.iastate.edu/%7Eregistrar/fees/)
* Office of Admissions: <http://www.admissions.iastate.edu/>

**美国爱荷华州立大学与浙江大学双学士学位项目介绍及招生通知**

美国爱荷华州立大学所属农业与生命科学学院 (<http://www.ag.iastate.edu/>)，美国最好的农业与生命科学学院之一，与浙江大学所属农业生命环境学部签订的双学士学位项目为浙大学生提供了一个能在两所知名学府拿到学士学位的机会。美国爱荷华州立大学的学士学位对有意将来在美国申请研究生学习的学生会有很大的帮助。如果你是浙大农业生命环境学部下所属学院的学生及管理学院下的农业经济管理系的学生，你都可以报名到美国 爱荷华州立大学农业与生命科学学院学习并取得学士学位。

**申请条件**

英语要求：

托福： 71（internet-based test）， 530 （paper-based test）或

雅思： An overall band score of 6.0 with no sub score below 5.5

爱荷华州立大学的reporting code 是 6306。

其他要求：

* 成绩单，证明你现在是浙大学生的文件，申请信（personal statement） -
* 申请表 (online at <http://www.admissions.iastate.edu/apply/index.php）-> 会要求提供资金证明

**申请截止日期：**

春学期申请截止日期：8月1日

秋学期申请截止日期：1月1日

**爱荷华州立大学农业与生命科学学院奖学金**

在你完成在浙大的3年学习后，你在爱荷华州立大学农业与生命科学学院会继续学习**至少**1.5年，即3个常规学期。 常规学期包括春学期（1月- 5月）与秋学期（8月- 12 月），不包括夏学期 （5 月 – 8 月）。爱荷华州立大学农业与生命科学学院会提供约**10个**参加该项目的优秀学生提供奖学金。每人每个常规学期$2,000, 最多提供3个常规学期，即最多$6,000.

任何有关申请，奖学金，及与该项目有关的问题，请与沈迪非联系：

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