

# University of Calgary, Canada

Exchange Program Information 2024-2025

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Incoming Exchange Website:	www.ucalgary.ca/international/study-abroad/incoming-exchange
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#### **Important Dates**

	Nomination	Application
Fall/Full Year/Winter Priority Deadlines	March 1	March 15
Fall/Full Year Regular Deadlines	March 30	April 15
Winter Regular Deadlines	September 15	September 30

#### Please note:

- Permission to submit a late nomination or application must be sought **in advance of the nomination deadline**. Otherwise, late nominations and applications will not be considered.
- Nominations and applications received by the March priority deadline provide students the best access to courses. **Course Registration for the Academic Year begins in April.**
- A link to the online application will be emailed to students upon receipt of their nomination.

#### 2024-25 Key Dates (tentative):

Academic Schedule	Fall 2024	Winter 2025
Residence Move-in	August 27	January 01
Orientation	August 29 - August 30	Open House January 10 & 13
Classes Begin	September 3	January 13
Classes End	December 6	April 11
Final Exams	December 9-19	April 14-28

#### **Application Information**

Nomination Form	Please complete and return our updated nomination spreadsheet, which will be sent to you via email.
Online Application	Students will be emailed an individual link to the online application upon receipt of the completed nomination form.
Graduate Students	<ul> <li>Must be nominated by the priority deadline</li> <li>Graduate student acceptance is done by the relevant academic department and is not guaranteed</li> <li>Grad students have limited access to undergrad courses</li> </ul>

Supporting Documents	<ul> <li>Official Transcripts – a scanned copy of the student's official transcript must be uploaded to the system</li> <li>Proof of English Language Proficiency (if required) – must be emailed to <u>iexch@ucalgary.ca</u></li> <li>Note: applications to the Faculty of Law must also include a letter of intent and two academic references</li> </ul>
Language Requirements	TOEFL 560 paper or 86 internet, IELTS minimum 6.5
	UG: <u>https://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/a-12.html</u>
	GR: <u>https://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/grad/current/gs-a-1.html</u>
	Note: Faculty of Law requires TOEFL ibT 100 with reading, listening & writing of 75, or IELTS 7.0 with reading & writing of 7.0

### **Academic Information**

Language of Instruction	English
Course Load	Minimum 3 courses, maximum 5 courses per term (Undergraduate) Courses average 3-4 in-class hours per week, although science courses may average 5 in-class/lab hours per week
Course Descriptions	www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/course-main.html Note: more detailed course descriptions can usually be found on Departmental websites
Course List & Timetable	https://csprd.my.ucalgary.ca/psp/csprd/?cmd=login&public=class-search&
Course Levels	200-level = for students in 1 <sup>st</sup> and/or 2 <sup>nd</sup> year 300-level = for students in 2 <sup>nd</sup> and/or 3 <sup>rd</sup> year 400-level = for students in 3 <sup>rd</sup> and/or 4 <sup>th</sup> year 500-level = for students in 4 <sup>th</sup> and/or 5 <sup>th</sup> year 600 & 700-level courses are graduate courses and are not open to undergraduate students
Faculties / Departments Available to Exchange Students	<ul> <li>Arts <u>https://arts.ucalgary.ca</u> (Anthropology, Archaeology, Art, Art History, Canadian Studies, Communications, Dance, Development Studies, Drama, Economics, Film Studies, Foreign Languages, Geography, Greek &amp; Roman Studies, History, International Indigenous Studies, International Relations, Latin American Studies, Law &amp; Society, Linguistics, Literature, Museum &amp; Heritage Studies, Philosophy, Political Science (may be limited), Urban Studies, Women's Studies, etc.)</li> <li>Haskayne School of Business <u>https://haskayne.ucalgary.ca</u> (<i>limited courses &amp; restrictions for exchange students</i>)</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Kinesiology / Human Movement <u>https://ucalgary.ca/knes</u> (Outdoor Pursuits courses not available, limited courses &amp; restrictions for exchange students)</li> <li>Law <u>https://law.ucalgary.ca/</u> (400-level courses not available, additional entry requirements)</li> <li>Schulich School of Engineering <u>https://schulich.ucalgary.ca</u> (limited courses &amp; restrictions for exchange students)</li> <li>Science <u>https://science.ucalgary.ca</u> (Actuarial Science, Astronomy, Astrophysics, Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science (limited), Ecology, Environmental Science, Geology, Geophysics, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics, Zoology, etc.)</li> <li>Social Work <u>https://fsw.ucalgary.ca</u> (additional entry requirements for exchange students)</li> </ul>

Program and Course Restrictions For specific details and additional information, click <u>here</u> .	Closed Programs: Education Medicine Nursing Veterinary Medicine Neuroscience Haskayne School of Business MBA Program DATA Science (Graduate) School of Public Policy (Graduate) Sustainable Energy Development (Graduate)
	<ul> <li>Extremely Limited Courses Available to Exchange Students:</li> <li>Haskayne School of Business</li> <li>Kinesiology</li> <li>Schulich School of Engineering</li> <li>Computer Science</li> <li>Political Science (Graduate)</li> <li>Psychology</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Additional Entry and Course Requirements Needed:</li> <li>Law</li> <li>Social Work</li> <li>Environmental Design (Architecture) is a graduate program and only available if we have a specific architecture-to-architecture exchange agreement</li> </ul>
Grading Information	www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/f-2.html
Exchange Transcripts	Students are responsible for ordering transcripts at the end of their exchange. This can be done online: <u>www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/student-centre/transcripts</u>

### Health Insurance

Requirements for Exchange Students	Exchange students at the University of Calgary must bring their own comprehensive travel medical insurance with them from their home country.
	https://www.ucalgary.ca/student-services/iss/resources/medical- insurance

### Accommodation Information

On-Campus Housing www.ucalgary.ca/residence	On-campus housing <b>is not guaranteed</b> for exchange students. Because it is in high demand and fills quickly, we encourage students to apply <b>as early as possible</b> .
	The online housing application for students starting in September opens in December. The online application for students starting in January opens in May.
	Students are advised to apply for housing as soon as their exchange application is submitted, and they receive their UCalgary ID number. They do not need an acceptance letter from our office to apply for housing.
Approximate Cost	\$3000 – \$4000 CAD per semester (4 months)
Off-Campus Housing	See: <u>https://www.ucalgary.ca/student-services/iss/resources/housing</u>
Approximate Cost	\$800 – \$1,200 CAD per month

## Cost of Living (all costs in Canadian dollars)

Accommodation	\$3000 – \$4000 per semester
Books & Supplies	\$100 – \$175 per course
Food	\$550 – \$750 per month
Phone	\$50 – \$110 per month
Student Transit Pass	\$165 per semester (mandatory fee)
Campus Recreation Pass	\$46 per semester (mandatory fee)
Personal Expenses	\$350 per month, depending on spending habits

### **Additional Information**

Helpful Websites:	UCalgary Campus Resources: <u>https://www.ucalgary.ca/current-</u>
	<u>students/student-life</u>
	Living in Calgary: <u>https://ucalgary.ca/student-</u>
	services/iss/resources
	Tourism Calgary: <u>www.visitcalgary.com</u>
	Travel Alberta: www.travelalberta.com