

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME (SEP)

Information for Students on Exchange

University	University of Victoria
Country	Canada
Academic Calendar	Winter session - first term: September to December Winter session - second term: January to April https://www.uvic.ca/calendar/dates/
Exchange Duration	One semester
Language Proficiency Requirement	English
Course Information	<p>Undergraduate Minimum course load: 1.5 unit Maximum course load: 7.5 units (5 courses)</p> <p>The regular semester workload for full- time undergraduate students as determined by the Office of the Provost is 7.5 units. Credits earned at the host university may not be directly equivalent to NUS credits and you can refer to the SEP Credit Transfer Calculator for information on units exchange ratio at the host university. Please note that the actual number of credits earned is subject to the units exchange ratio at the point of credit transfer.</p> <p>ICS: The ICS exchange program typically supports students taking courses in UVic's Faculties of Fine Arts, Science, Social Sciences and Humanities. Inbound ICS exchange students are restricted from enrolling in any courses in the following departments: Civil Engineering (CIVE), Law (LAW). Limited courses are available to inbound ICS exchange students in the following departments: Business, Education, Human and Social Development, Fine Arts, Engineering (Software, Mechanical, Computer, Biomedical, Electrical)</p> <p>Business: Nominate students ideally should have completed a minimum of 1 year of business courses. Students who have taken Microeconomics, Statistics & Finite Math will have a larger course selection at Gustavson School of Business. Students who are nominated to Business exchange do have the option to take courses outside of Business but are subject to other faculty pre-requisites, criteria and restrictions</p>
Accommodation	<p>There are very limited spaces for on-campus housing, students should apply as soon as possible. Housing is not guaranteed.</p> <p>The dormitory rooms include a mandatory meal plan. The Cluster units include private bedroom with shared kitchen and living room. You can begin</p>

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	<p>your application after you have been accepted by UVic and received your UVic Student number.</p> <p>On-campus housing options: https://www.uvic.ca/residence/index.php</p> <p>While waiting to secure on-campus housing, students should also source for off-campus housing options: https://www.uvic.ca/international-experiences/living-in-victoria/housing-transportation/off-campus-housing/index.php</p> <p>Please refer to the information provided by UVic for latest updates regarding housing availability.</p>
Visa	<p>Exchange students who study for one semester only (less than 6 months) are not required to apply for a study permit. However, depending on your country of citizenship, you may have to apply for an eTA OR a visitor visa.</p> <p>For more information on visa applications, please refer to https://www.cic.gc.ca/english/visit/visas.asp.</p>
Insurance	<p>All full-time NUS students are covered under the university's Student Group Personal Accident & Medical Insurance and the Student Travel Insurance. For more information on the university medical insurance, please refer to https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/student-insurance/all/.</p> <p>Exchange students are required to purchase the Mandatory Temporary Medical Insurance (MTMI). For more details : https://www.uvic.ca/international-experiences/living-in-victoria/health-insurance/guard-me-uvic-plan/index.php.</p> <p>It is recommended that you purchase a comprehensive travel insurance for the full duration of your stay abroad, including your personal travel within/outside Canada. Please review your insurance coverages to ensure that they meet your needs.</p> <p>Students are strongly encouraged to assess the risk of their intended activities and purchase supplemental insurance plans to ensure they are adequately covered during their time abroad.</p>
Useful Links	<p>Student Exchange Information: https://www.uvic.ca/international-experiences/info-for/visiting-uvic/exchange-program-apply/index.php</p> <p>Course Information: https://www.uvic.ca/calendar/future/undergrad/index.php#/courses https://www.uvic.ca/BAN1P/bwckschd.p_disp_dyn_sched https://www.uvic.ca/calendar/archives/</p>

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	<p><i>Note: Details about available courses are made available to accepted students each year.</i></p> <p>Course Restrictions: https://www.uvic.ca/international/inbound-students/exchange/apply/index.php</p> <p>Cost of Living: https://www.uvic.ca/international-experiences/living-in-victoria/financial-planning/index.php</p>
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Note: Please refer to the host university's website for the latest updates and information.