

Information for Students

A. University	Emory University http://www.emory.edu Webpage for Incoming Exchange Students
B. Location	Atlanta, Georgia, USA
C. Academics	
i) Module Mapping & Credits Transfer	<p>Please ensure your Study Plan is approved by the academics at your home School or Faculty before the exchange.</p> <p>Modules approved in the past may not be offered by the host university or approved by your Faculty when it is time for your SEP. Please check the latest course offerings at the host university while you develop your Study Plan.</p>
ii) Academic Calendar	<p>Semester 1 (Fall): August to December Semester 2 (Spring): January to May</p> <p>http://registrar.emory.edu/academic-calendar/index.html</p>
iii) Exchange Duration	One semester
iv) Examination	Students should check the exam timetable at their host university, and ensure they can stay at their host university until after the end of the official exam period.
v) Curriculum Structure	Students may enrol for twelve to nineteen hours in any one semester.
vi) Entry Requirements	CAP of 3.75 out of 5.0 (equivalent to 3.0 out of 4.0 GPA), with no grade below C
vii) Language Proficiency Requirements	<p>English</p> <p>Regarding English Language Proficiency, Emory have a set form that needs to be filled out by staff at NUS on each NUS SEP student's behalf.</p>
viii) Modules Compatibility	<p>While Emory University comprises nine undergraduate and graduate schools, students participating in the NUS-Emory exchange programme will be enrolled in Emory College of Arts and Sciences only. This makes Emory most suitable for FASS and FoS students. There could be some SoC modules as well under Emory's Department of Mathematics and Computer Science.</p> <p>Website for course information (for exchange students) http://atlas.college.emory.edu/index.html</p>

<p>ix) Module restrictions and pre-requisites</p>	<p>NUS students cannot read courses in the Business School, Law School and courses at School of Medicine.</p> <p>Students on exchange may register only for courses that are not filled by degree candidates. Students should have alternate course selection possibilities in case degree candidates fill a specific class.</p> <p>Students are to note that there may be prerequisites for select courses. Please check course prerequisites before applying.</p> <p>Emory require NUS applicants to have completed at least three semesters at their home university upon application for the Exchange Programme to Emory; and at least two years of study at NUS upon admission to Emory.</p>
<p>D. Application</p>	
<p>i) Procedures</p>	<p>All NUS students have to be nominated by NUS before they can apply for a fee-waiver exchange at the host university. The application procedures and list of supporting documents needed by the host university can be found in the SharePoint. Please look for the SEP coordinator at your Dean’s Office for the link to the SharePoint.</p> <p>Steps as advised by Emory:</p> <p>STEP ONE: BE NOMINATED BY YOUR HOME UNIVERSITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAM</p> <p>In order to apply for Emory’s Office of International & Summer Program (OISP) International Exchange Program through Emory, your home university must nominate you for the international exchange program. If you have not been nominated by your university, please contact the respective office at your home university in order to discuss the application procedures to be nominated.</p> <p>STEP TWO: CREATE ONLINE APPLICATION THROUGH EMORY</p> <p>WEBSITE: http://abroad.emory.edu/?go=OISPExchange</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Click: “Apply Now” at the top of this page 2. Select "I am not currently an existing Emory user, and I need to create a login with my email address." 3. Enter your email address: All students/scholars must have a valid email address that will be used throughout the application process and prior to arrival to Emory University. All communications will be sent to the valid email address that you provide. Please make sure that you check this email address on a regular basis for important information.

4. Once you enter your email address, the password to access the OISP application portal will be sent to you via email.
5. Login to the application portal using your email address and password on from the following website: www.studyabroad.emory.edu. Select "OTHER LOGIN" at the top of the page. When prompted, select "I have used my email address to create a login for this site (use OTHER LOGIN to access site)."
6. After you enter your login credentials (email address and password), you will be taken to your Applicant Home Page.
7. You may save and return to this application portal at any time by returning to <http://studyabroad.emory.edu> and selecting "OTHER LOGIN".

STEP THREE: COMPLETE STEPS FOR EMORY-PROVIDED VISA APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

Upon formal acceptance into the program, OISP will send you instructions to complete the required steps to request your DS-2019 form. During this step, Emory will provide you with a DS-2019 form and Letter of Admission in order for you to apply for your visa.

STEP FOUR: COMPLETE PRE-ARRIVAL PREPARATIONS

While your formal acceptance and visa documentation is pending, students may begin to prepare for their arrival to Emory University:

- Locate the nearest [U.S. Embassy or Consulate](#) and review the website on procedures to apply for your visa. Determine if you are required to schedule an appointment for the visa. Collect relevant documentation (such as bank statements and health certificates) to include with your application. Review the visa application information located on the [Emory ISSS website](#). See more in the visa section below.
- Make sure your passport is valid for at least 6 months AFTER your expected return from the U.S. to your home country.
- Research airline flight options and prices. Do NOT book your flight before you have received your visa or before you have received confirmation of the arrival and orientation dates/times from Emory.
- Meet with your academic/faculty advisor at your home institution regarding academic plans and coursework at Emory.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Begin researching more details about Emory University and its surrounding environs of Atlanta, Georgia, USA.
ii) Deadlines	<p>All NUS students must abide by the internal application deadline set by their home Faculty for exchange participation in the following academic year. After clearing the internal application and selection process, students have to take note of the application deadline set by the host university.</p> <p>Failure to submit a formal application to the host university by the stipulated deadline, may result in your exchange being forfeited even if you have been selected by NUS for the exchange.</p>
E. Accommodation	
i) University Accommodation	<p>Exchange students are required to live on campus at Emory University. For more information on Emory housing, please refer to the following link: https://housing.emory.edu/</p>
F. Visa	
Consular/Visa Regulation	<p>Once you have been approved to study in the United States and officially admitted to Emory University, you will receive your Certificate of Eligibility (DS-2019). Your Certificate of Eligibility is valid for 30 days before and 30 days after your academic program. This means that if you so desire, you can arrive in the United States one month before Emory's semester begins and depart for your home country one month after the semester ends.</p> <p>After paying the SEVIS fee, take the SEVIS receipt, the Form DS-2019, valid passport, and evidence of financial support to the nearest U.S. Embassy or U.S. Consulate to obtain your J-1 exchange visitor visa. When you depart for the U.S. be sure to carry these documents with you. You should also carry original financial documents as proof to support the funding listed on your Form DS-2019. A United States immigration officer will review these items at your U.S. city of arrival.</p> <p>For very important information about entering the United States as an F-1 or J-1 student. Please locate the nearest U.S. Embassy or Consulate to review and complete the procedures necessary to apply for your visa..</p>
G. Safety, Health & Medical Insurance	
i) Health/Medical Insurance	<p>All registered NUS students are covered under the university health insurance and the blanket travel insurance. For more information on the blanket travel insurance, please refer to the following link: https://myportal.nus.edu.sg/studentportal/student-insurance/all/</p> <p>Students are strongly encouraged to purchase a supplemental travel insurance to ensure they are adequately covered during their exchange semester.</p>

	<p>In addition, students will be required to enrol in the compulsory health insurance policy or scheme at their SEP host university.</p> <p><i>The cost of quality medical care in the United States is very expensive. Without medical insurance the cost of treatment for an illness or an injury resulting from an accident can be devastating. Indeed, receiving treatment is difficult if you do not have health insurance.</i></p> <p><i>Medical insurance is mandatory for ALL students at Emory University. Students must either purchase the Emory University Student Health Insurance Plan (offered by Aetna Student Health) or provide documentation of enrolment in a comparable United States-domiciled health insurance plan (a plan through a US company).</i></p> <p><i>Please visit the Student Health Services website for more details regarding the student health insurance requirements.</i></p>
<p>ii) Emergency Number at host university</p>	<p>For emergency contact information, please refer to the following link: http://www.campserv.emory.edu/public-safety/police/index.html</p>
<p>H. Cost of Living</p>	
<p>i) Estimated Monthly Living Expenses</p>	<p>Information on the cost of living and attendance at Emory University can be found via the following link. Please note tuition fees are waived for exchange students.</p> <p>http://apply.emory.edu/apply/tuition.php</p>

Information correct as of July 2021. Please refer to the Emory links for the most up-to-date information.