

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME (SEP)
Information for Students on Exchange

University	University of California
Country	United States
Location	<p>University of California comprises a system of 10 campuses throughout the State of California – nine of which offer undergraduate coursework including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. UC Berkeley 2. UC Davis 3. UC Irvine 4. UCLA 5. UC Merced 6. UC Riverside 7. UC San Diego 8. UC San Francisco (graduate modules only, not included for SEP) 9. UC Santa Barbara 10. UC Santa Cruz <p>Research <u>three</u> UC campuses for your exchange studies and rank them from one to three, in order of your preference. When selecting your preferred UC campuses, consult the UC Undergraduate Majors.</p> <p>You will be placed at only one UC campus to complete your exchange studies. Placement is done by UCEAP and not NUS.</p> <p>You cannot move or transfer to another UC campus after your first term or at any time during your exchange.</p>
Academic Calendar	<p>The majority of UC campuses operate on the quarter system, while UC Berkeley and UC Merced operate on a semester system.</p> <p>For more information on academic calendars, please refer to the following link: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/uc-calendar</p> <p>A quarter is 10 weeks of instruction:</p> <p>Fall quarter: (mid-September to mid-December) Winter quarter: (January to mid-March) Spring quarter: (April to mid-June)</p> <p>A semester is 15 weeks of instruction (UCB and UCM only):</p> <p>Fall semester: (mid-August to mid-December) Spring semester: (mid-January to mid-May)</p>

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Exchange Duration	One semester/One Quarter
Language Proficiency Requirement	https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/examinations
Course Information	<p>Full-time enrollment (12-13 units each term) is required of both US and non-US citizens. If English is your second language, consider limiting your first-term enrollment to the minimum number of units required.</p> <p>Details on course list and restrictions: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/uc-courses/major-preparation</p>
Accommodation	<p>Apply for housing as soon as you receive instructions from UCEAP.</p> <p>For specific housing options at each UC campus and application instructions, please refer to the following link: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/before-you-arrive/campus-specific-instructions</p>
Visa	<p>Note: All students are advised to apply for the necessary visa immediately after they receive the official offer letter/email and instructions from their host university. Some visa applications can take up to 2 months to process. Your exchange at the host university depends on the clearance by the immigration of the host country.</p> <p>For more information on visa: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/after-you-apply/visa-resources</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>In addition, students will be required to enrol in the compulsory health insurance policy or scheme at their SEP host university. For details: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/before-you-arrive/insurance</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 United States. 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>

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Useful Links	<p>Discover UC: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/discover-uc</p> <p>Explore UC Courses: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/uc-courses</p> <p>Academic Training/Internships: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/while-at-uc/academic-training</p> <p>UC Campus-Specific Instructions: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/before-you-arrive/campus-specific-instructions</p> <p>https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/plan-your-studies/budget</p> <p>UC Student Life: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/while-at-uc/student-life</p> <p>UC Health Services: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/while-at-uc/health-services</p> <p>UC Safety and Security: https://reciprocity.uceap.universityofcalifornia.edu/while-at-uc/safety-and-security</p>
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Note: Please refer to the host university's website for the latest updates and information.