

# **University of Calgary, Canada**

## **Exchange Program Information 2023-2024**

| University Website:        | www.ucalgary.ca  |  |
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| Incoming Exchange Website: | www.ucalgary.ca/international/study-abroad/incoming-exchange |  |
| Mailing / Courier Address: | Global Learning, University of Calgary International         |  |
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### **Important Dates**

|  | Nomination   | Application  |
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| 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.

### 2022-23 Key Dates (tentative):

| Academic Schedule | Fall 2023                  | Winter 2024 |
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| Residence Move-in | TBA                        | TBA         |
| Orientation       | August 31 -<br>September 1 | ТВА         |
| Classes Begin     | September 5                | January 8   |
| Classes End       | December 5                 | April 9     |
| Final Exams       | December 8-19              | April 12-23 |

#### **Application Information**

| Nomination Form      | Please complete and return our updated nomination spreadsheet, which will be sent to you via email.   |  |
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| 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 <a href="mailto:iexch@ucalgary.ca">iexch@ucalgary.ca</a></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: <a href="http://ucalgary.ca/admissions/requirements/elp">http://ucalgary.ca/admissions/requirements/elp</a>

GR: <a href="https://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/grad/current/gs-a-1.html">https://www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/grad/current/gs-a-1.html</a>

Note: Faculty of Law requires TOEFL 100 iBT or IELTS 7.0

## **Academic Information**

| Language of Instruction                                | English   |
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| 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 <a href="https://arts.ucalgary.ca">https://arts.ucalgary.ca</a>         (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 <a href="https://haskayne.ucalgary.ca">https://haskayne.ucalgary.ca</a>         (limited courses &amp; restrictions for exchange students)</li> <li>Kinesiology / Human Movement <a href="https://ucalgary.ca/knes">https://ucalgary.ca/knes</a>         (Outdoor Pursuits courses not available, limited courses &amp; restrictions for exchange students)</li> <li>Law <a href="https://law.ucalgary.ca/k400-level courses not available, additional entry requirements">https://law.ucalgary.ca/k400-level courses not available, additional entry requirements</a> </li> <li>Schulich School of Engineering </li></ul> |

| Drogram and Course            | Closed Programs:   |
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| Program and Course            |  |
| Restrictions                  | Education  |
| For specific details and      | Medicine   |
| additional information, click | Nursing  |
| <u>here</u> .                 | Veterinary Medicine  |
|                               | Neuroscience   |
|                               | <ul> <li>Haskayne School of Business MBA Program</li> </ul>  |
|                               | DATA Science (Graduate)                                      |
|                               | <ul> <li>School of Public Policy (Graduate)</li> </ul>       |
|                               | Sustainable Energy Development (Graduate)                    |
|                               | Extremely Limited Courses Available to Exchange Students:    |
|                               | Haskayne School of Business                                  |
|                               | Kinesiology  |
|                               | Schulich School of Engineering                               |
|                               | Computer Science   |
|                               | Political Science (Graduate)                                 |
|                               | <ul> <li>Psychology</li> </ul>                               |
|                               | Additional Entry and Course Requirements Needed:             |
|                               | • Law  |
|                               | Social Work  |
|                               | Environmental Design (Architecture) is a graduate            |
|                               | program and only available if we have a specific             |
|                               | architecture-to-architecture exchange agreement              |
| 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:                  |
|                               | www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/student-centre/transcripts         |
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### **Health Insurance**

| Requirements for<br>Exchange Students | Exchange students at the University of Calgary must bring their own comprehensive travel medical insurance with them from their home country. |
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|                                       | 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> .                                       |
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|   | 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: https://www.ucalgary.ca/student-services/iss/resources/housing  |
| Approximate Cost                            | \$800 – \$1,200 CAD per month  |

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

| Accommodation          | \$3000 – \$4000 per semester                  |
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| Books & Supplies       | \$100 – \$175 per course                      |
| Food                   | \$275 – \$375 per month                       |
| Phone                  | \$30 – \$70 per month                         |
| Student Transit Pass   | \$160 per semester (mandatory fee)            |
| Campus Recreation Pass | \$42.91 per semester (mandatory fee)          |
| Personal Expenses      | \$350 per month, depending on spending habits |

## **Additional Information**

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