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Outbound Exchange Program		



Student Exchange Program

Exchange students are those who have applied and are nominated by an overseas university under a formal exchange agreement. Exchange student candidates can apply through the international office of their home university. Tuition is paid to the home university, and in most cases, the application and documentation fee is waived. Students from UOS partner universities can apply for the UOS student exchange program. Applications should proceed with the approval of the international office of the students' home university.

2-1. Semester Dates

Academic Year 2023	Spring Semester, 2023	Fall Semester, 2023	
*Orientation	February 28, 2023	August 31, 2023	
Classes begin	March 2, 2023	September 1, 2023	
Classes end	June 21, 2023	December 21, 2023	
Examination Period	Mid-term in April, Final in June	Mid-term in October, Final in December	
Vacation (Winter/ Summer)	June 22, 2023 - August 31, 2023	December 22, 2023 - February 28, 2024	
Nomination Deadline	October 15, 2022	April 15, 2023	
Application Deadline	October 31, 2022	April 30, 2023	
Admission Issue	Early December	Early June	

⁻ Above Information is subject to change and all the changes will be informed accordingly.

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2-2. Nomination & Application Process

Nomination Process	-The international offices of UOS partner universities are required to nominate candidate(s) via the following site: http://global.uos.ac.kr/iice/nomination/write.do - Reference: IICE website (http://global.uos.ac.kr) → For International Students → Studying in UOS → Nomination - Nomination system will be opened in March and September
Application Process	 Nominated students are required to complete UOS online application via the following site: https://global.uos.ac.kr/iiceEng/studentExchange/application.do?w=4&x=2&y=1 Reference: IICE website (http://global.uos.ac.kr) → For International Students → Studying in UOS → Student Exchange Program → Application What to submit on arrival (1) One official photo (3.5cm x 4.5cm, full color with white background) for alien registration (2) Certificate of Health, TB test result (or Chest X-ray) (it is a mandatory document only fo on-campus housing residents and required to submit to housing office at check-in)

2-3. Language

Courses given in which language(s)	Mostly Korean, but some of classes lectured in English * List of the courses offered in English: refer to the IICE website → http://global.uos.ac.kr/iice/study/prEnglish.do * The final course list can be found a month before each semester starts. We cannot guarantee the courses your students would like to take.
Language requirements (i.e.TOEFL scores)	N/A Applicants should have good commend of either Korean or English.
Korean language courses	Various levels of Korean Language courses offered for exchange students - Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced and Practical Korean Language * 3 credits (45 hours) per class

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2-4. Academics

Admission Requirements for Undergraduate	Undergraduate students should have completed at least two terms of university studies.		
Admission Requirements for Graduate students	UOS accepts international graduate students to graduate school as non-degree short-term exchange students. However, all the courses offered at graduate level are taught in Korean. For the graduate students who are not fluent in Korean is strongly advised to be enrolled to undergraduate program. In this case, the student should ask his/her study abroad coordinator at the home university if this option would be accepted according to the university's policy.		
Conditions for choosing academic programs	Most of the departments or schools of UOS welcome exchange students. However, it is strongly recommended for exchange students to apply to their field of studies.		
Recommended credit points per semester	15 credits * Most courses are equivalent to 3 credits. * 1 credit = 15 class hours * A student should take at least 6 credits and can take up to 20 credits.		
	Letter Grade	Grade Point Average(out of 4.5)	Percentage
	A+	4.5	95-100
	A0	4.0	90-94
	B+	3.5	85-89
Crading System	B0	3.0	80-84
Grading System	C+	2.5	75-79
	C0	2.0	70-74
	D+	1.5	65-69
	D0	1.0	60-64
	F (fail)	0.0	below 59
Course Registration	UOS Course Registration System (UOSCRS) for international exchange student - http://wise.uos.ac.kr/uosdoc/ucr.UcrIntchTIsnLogin.serv Students are required to do online course registration via UOSCRS and detailed information will be announced early February and early August. * Course List is available only a month before each semester starts (early February/early August). UOS regional coordinators contact to each student as soon as course list completed.		





2-5. Insurance & Certificate of Health

■ Yes □ No * According to the policy of the Ministry of Health and Welfare, D-2 visa holders are automatically included in the mandatory National Health Insurance program in the purpose of protection international students from unexpected accidents and medical expenses. All international students are required to pay the 'Health Insurance Fee for Int'l Students' every month from alien registration date. Any insurance packages ex) Monthly contributions for international students for 2022: 56,030KRW that students are required to purchase **Insurance Benefits** after arrival? (The same benefits as the Korean citizens) Various benefits are available, including dental and oriental medical treatment, health checkups, and pregnancy and childbirthrelated medical expenses. **Enrollment Procedure** No action is required from students, as they are automatically subscribed to health insurance by thy NHIS (National Health Insurance Service). Does Certificate of ■ Yes (conditional) □ No Health need to be *The Certificate of Health is required to be submitted to on-campus housing office for prepared before coming those who stay on-campus housing. to Korea?

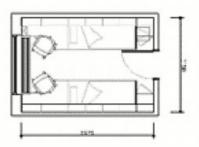




Accommodation

3-1. On Campus Housing: Residence Hall & International House

- UOS only secure/guarantee on-campus housing only for those exchange students whose universities secure/guarantee on-campus housing for UOS students. - ISEP students are assigned to stay on-campus housing (only in Residence Hall) - UOS do not secure on-campus housing to all partner universities for dormitory room shortage. Please confirm with your home university coordinator your housing option before complete UOS online application.



Room Type of Residence Hall

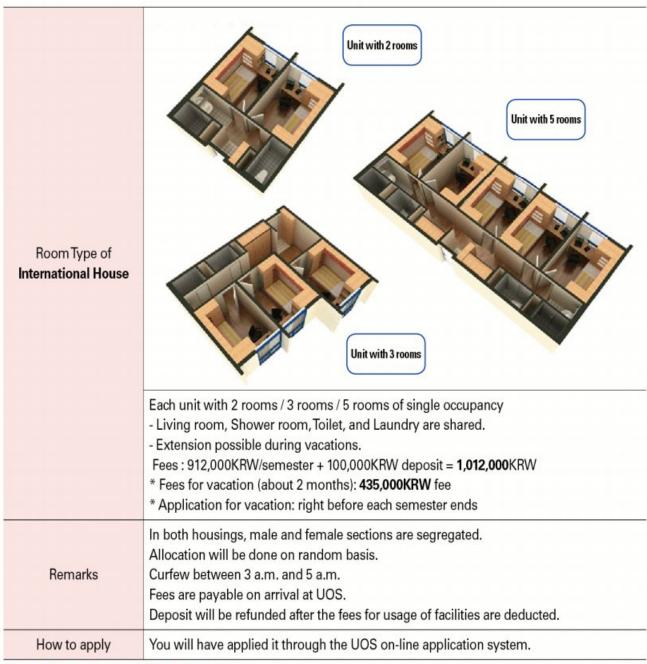


Each room of double occupancy, 15 rooms on each of the 7 floors

- Shower room, Toilet, and Laundry are shared.
- Extension possible during vacations.

- * Fees: 636,000KRW/semester + 100,000KRW deposit = 736,000KRW
- * Fees for vacation (about 2 months): 435,000 KRW
- * Application for vacation: right before each semester ends





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3-2. Off-campus Housing

Several Options Recommended	UOS introduce several off-campus accommodations near UOS campus or in downtown. The list of available housing can be different every semester. NOTE: Off-campus housing is a contractual matter between students and accommodation, and the UOS IICE is not involved at all. Please review the terms and conditions of the accommodation contract carefully before you sign the contract.
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Scholarship

Scholarships offered by UOS for exchange students?	 ■ Yes (conditional) □ No If yes, how much is it? (200,000 KRW to 400,000 KRW per month) * Scholarship can be offered on condition that your home university provides similar benefits for UOS students in return. * The recipients should stay in Korea more than 15 days per month to receive this scholarship. * UOS scholarship is not provided during vacations (July&August / January&February). * The recipients should keep their good score at the UOS. If they fail to have at least over 2.5 overall 4.5, we are unable to provide the scholarship.
Scholarship for ISEP students	ISEP students' benefit from UOS - Free on-campus housing (only Residence Hall available) * ISEP students are asked to pay refundable deposit (100,000 KRW) on arrival by oneself - Monthly Stipend (400,000 KRW) will be provided as of meal plan * The recipients should stay in Korea more than 15 days per month to receive this scholarship. * Monthly Stipend is not provided during vacations (July&August / January&February) except one-year student.
Others	GKS (Global Korea Scholarship) for exchange students National Institute for International Education (NIIED) is offering GKS for exchange students studying at UOS. The GKS provides one-time settlement fee of 200,000 KRW, a monthly stipend of 500,000 KRW, and roundtrip airfare. Please refer to the following website. http://www.studyinkorea.go.kr/en/sub/gks/allnew_exchange.do





Others

Average cost of living per semester	Estimated costs: 800,000 KRW - 1,000,000 KRW per month * Including food, local transportation, books, entertainment, etc.
UOS buddy Program: "SeoulMate"	The SeoulMate, UOS Korean buddy students, will voluntarily join and help international students to adjust their life in UOS. Exchange students will hear from SeoulMate by email about a month before each semester starts.
Transportation from/to Airport	Please refer to the following website. https://www.airport.kr/ap_cnt/en/tpt/direction/direction.do
Websites for further local information about the city/town and university area	http://www.uos.ac.kr or http://global.uos.ac.kr
UOS's location in Seoul	10km away from City Hall (North East Seoul)

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