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Academic Calendar 2020

1st Semester
Academic Period: Early March – Mid July.
Exams: July, 2020
Winter Break: Two weeks in July 2020
Nomination by Partner Universities: until September 12th, 2019
Application Period for students: August 15th until September 30th, 2019

2nd Semester
Academic Period: Late July – early December.
Exams: December, 2020
Summer Vacations: From late December 2020 until late February 2021.
Nomination by partner Universities: Until April 20th, 2018
Application period for students: April 20th to May 15th, 2020
## Application Procedure to the University of Chile

### Language Requirement

The equivalent of 6 semesters of Spanish courses or DELE B1. A certificate issued by the home university endorsing the applicant’s Spanish proficiency is also accepted.

### Application Requirements

1. Up-to-date Transcript of Records, including completed courses and grades. The Student Mobility Program requires students to have achieved a grade average equal or superior to 5.0 thus far. (Please refer to the Chilean equivalencies of grades)

2. Certificate proving command of Spanish language to at least B1 level, or 6 semester of Spanish language studies. A certificate issued by the home university endorsing the applicant’s Spanish proficiency is also accepted.

3. Copy of Passport (Identification page).

### Course Catalogue

The following site show the academic offer for international students: http://uchile.cl/u126314

### Orientation week for exchange students

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### Useful Information

#### Housing

The University of Chile does not provide accommodation or housing. For further information concerning private lodging, please contact pme@u.uchile.cl

#### Arrival dates for exchange students

For the first and second semester 2020, we suggest to be in Chile one week prior to orientation.

#### Living expenses

Average cost for housing and meals per month is approximately US$700 - US$1000

#### Spanish course

For those students interested in improving their Spanish proficiency, information about courses is available at http://uchile.cl/u6694. Please get in contact with Claudia Flores for further assistance cflores@u.uchile.cl

#### Course Restriction

Medicine and Dentistry Faculties are restricted to International Students. Placement is subject to academic assessment by both faculties according to courses availability. It is suggested to nominate students corresponding to these areas, with six months in advance.
Studies

Academic workload for International Students

Students must complete from 3 to 4 courses per semester (according to exchange agreements). International students will require to be enrolled on no more than 5 courses. 12 to 20 in-class hours per week are considered as full workload for one semester.

Transcript of Records

Records will be sent to the International Office of each partner university, four weeks after the end of each semester. For the first semester, they are submitted during August and during January for the second.

Grades System

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Note: Students are required to have achieved an average grade of 5.0 thus far according to the level of exigency at the University of Chile.

Credit System

The Student Mobility Program conducts the International Students admission into the University of Chile in order to allow them pursuing courses within different faculties and institutes.

All courses undertaken by International Students through the Student Mobility Program are expressed in credits, according to the table below, which considers the actual attendance or teaching hours solely and associates them to a number of credits for each class/course.
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