INTRODUCTION
10 Reasons to study at the University of Granada

A HIGH-RANKING UNIVERSITY
International rankings reflect the UGR’s position among the top universities in Spain and the best in the world.

A TRULY INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE
The UGR is a welcoming cosmopolitan university: 11% of our undergraduate students are international. The UGR is also the most popular study destination among European exchange students (Erasmus+). Moreover, thanks to our 800+ exchange agreements with universities across the globe, we provide excellent international mobility opportunities.

A WIDE RANGE OF PROGRAMMES AND DEGREES
The UGR offers high-quality academic programmes with a clear international vocation, including over 70 undergraduate degrees, 100 master’s degrees (9 of which are international double degrees) and 28 doctoral programmes. We also run short courses, online courses, lifelong learning courses, and summer schools.

LANGUAGE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES
Students can learn Spanish and other languages alongside the local students and the 10,000 international students who enrol each year in courses offered by the UGR’s Modern Languages Centre (CLM), Confucius Institute (Chinese).

TOP FACILITIES AND SERVICES
The UGR provides top-quality services that cover all aspects of university life (accommodation, libraries, canteens, disability services, sports, etc.).

AN IDEAL UNIVERSITY CITY
The UGR merges with the city, its schools and campuses distributed throughout Granada, giving the city a lively student atmosphere (56,000 students among an urban population of 240,000)

WORLD-CLASS RESEARCH
The UGR is internationally renowned for its excellence in diverse research fields, including Library and Information Sciences (world top 50), Computer Science, Health Sciences, and Linguistics, among others. Our 500+ research groups encompass all areas of knowledge, collaborating closely with leading national and international researchers.

AN INTERCONTINENTAL UNIVERSITY
The UGR has campuses in the North African cities of Ceuta and Melilla, making our university a truly intercontinental institution. The city of Granada has an outstanding geographical location just 40 minutes from the Mediterranean Coast with its tropical climate, and 30 minutes from the Sierra Nevada ski resort.

STEEPED IN HISTORY AND CULTURE
Granada is full of monuments, history and culture, making it a great city to explore and a magnificent destination for students from around the world. It boasts an eclectic mix of cultural activities, including festivals of flamenco, jazz, theatre, gastronomy, poetry, music, magic and dance.
COMMITMENT TO SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

The UGR is firmly committed to the UN Sustainable Development Goals. Our students and staff have the chance to take part in local community initiatives and international development cooperation activities.

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First semester: from 11th September to 22nd December 2023.
First semester assessment period: from 10th to 24th January 2024
Extraordinary assessment period (for first semester): from 6th to 17th February 2024
Second semester: from 19th February to 5th June 2024
Second semester assessment period: from 10th to 22nd June 2024
Extraordinary assessment period (for second semester): from 4th to 13th June 2024
Holiday periods: 23.12.2023 a 07.01.2024 (Christmas holidays) 25.03.2024 a 01.04.2024 (Eastern holidays)
https://www.ugr.es/personal/servicios/calendario-academico

List of Faculties
- Faculty of Health Sciences
- Faculty of Health Sciences (Ceuta)
- Faculty of Health Sciences (Melilla)
- Faculty of Labour Relations and Human Resources
- Faculty of Economics and Business
- Faculty of Communication and Documentation
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Social Work
- Faculty of Pharmacy
- Faculty of Arts
- Faculty of Education
- Faculty of Fine Arts
- Faculty of Science
- Faculty of Sport Sciences
- Faculty of Political Sciences and Sociology
- Faculty of Social and Legal Sciences (Melilla)
- Faculty of Education and Sport Sciences (Melilla)
- Faculty of Education, Economics and Tech. (Ceuta)
- Faculty of Medicine
- Faculty of Dentistry
- Faculty of Psychology
- Faculty of Translation and Interpreting
- School of Architecture
- School of Civil Engineering
- School of Building Engineering
- School of Computer and Telecommunication Eng.
- “La Inmaculada” Teacher Training Centre
- International School of Postgraduate Studies

Orientation Days for International Students
- First semester: from 6th to 8th September 2023.
- Second semester: from 14th to 16th February 2023.

More information: http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/movilidad/estudiantes/entrantes/
# ACADEMIC INFORMATION

## ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

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| UGR-specific Degrees | http://escuelaposgrado.ugr.es/pages/titulos_propios  
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| Language courses | Modern Languages Centre (CLM) info@clm.ugr.es - http://www.clm-granada.com/  
Confucius Institute infoconfucio@ugr.es - http://institutoconfucio.ugr.es  
Centre of Slavic Cultures centroruso@ugr.es - http://centroruso.ugr.es/ |

## LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION

Mostly Spanish. The list of courses taught in English is available at:

## RECOMMENDED CREDIT LOAD PER UNDERGRADUATE SEMESTER

21-30 ECTS Credits

## TEACHING METHODOLOGIES

Lectures, group work, tutorials, lab sessions, seminars, etc.

## ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPTS

**Our outgoing students:** EU Erasmus+ Partners should send the UGR student’s academic transcripts, once the exchange period is over, to the corresponding Faculty or School that signed the Erasmus bilateral agreement. Other Partner Universities (non-EU Erasmus+ Partners and other programmes) should send the UGR student’s academic transcript to the central International Relations Office. http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/contacto?lang=en

**Our incoming students:** The Faculty or School where the student is enrolled at the UGR will send the student’s academic transcript once all grades are recorded. Transcripts are signed digitally and sent through our virtual platform. Students can personally check their grades by using our Virtual Office https://oficinavirtual.ugr.es (a personal password is given to each student during the enrolment period at the UGR).

## GRADING SCALE

5 grade levels, based on a scale from 0 (lowest) to 10 (highest), awarded per exam. An overall grade will be awarded at the end of the degree course.

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<td>Very Good</td>
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<td>Excellent. A distinction of “With Honors (A+)” may be awarded, at the lecturer’s discretion, for outstanding achievements to a maximum of 5% of students.</td>
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## FEES

Students participating in mobility programmes within the framework of exchange agreements are exempt from paying academic fees. Free mobility students must pay the corresponding academic fees. Language courses that are not covered by specific agreements must be paid.

## INTERNATIONAL MOBILITY REGULATIONS

http://sl.ugr.es/reglamento1

## INSURANCE (MANDATORY)

In accordance with the new UGR International Mobility Regulations, incoming students are obliged to have health and travel insurance for the duration of their study period (art. 29). More information: http://sl.ugr.es/08r0

## ERASMUS+ CHARTER

https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/erasmuscharter

## BILATERAL AGREEMENTS

- In order to sign a bilateral agreement in the framework of the Erasmus+: Erasmus Programme, you must directly contact your counterparts at the UGR’s corresponding Faculty or School.
- If your institution is interested in establishing bilateral agreements with the UGR in the framework of the Erasmus+: International Dimension Programme, please: icmagreements@ugr.es
- If your institution is interested in establishing collaborative bilateral agreements with the UGR out of Erasmus+ Programme, contact: intlagreements@ugr.es
## APPLICATION PROCESS FOR MOBILITY STUDENTS

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### ONLINE APPLICATION DEADLINE

| ERASMUS+: INTERNATIONAL DIMENSION STUDENTS (PARTNER COUNTRIES), Exchange students (bilateral agreements out of Erasmus Programme), Email: [intldimension@ugr.es](mailto:intldimension@ugr.es) | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | [http://sl.ugr.es/Incoming](http://sl.ugr.es/Incoming) [https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/applicationinfreemobility](https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/applicationinfreemobility) |
| FREE MOBILITY STUDENTS. Email: [intlmobility@ugr.es](mailto:intlmobility@ugr.es) | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | ☐ 1st semester and full year: 1 April - 15 May ☐ 2nd semester: 1 October – 31 October | [http://sl.ugr.es/Incoming](http://sl.ugr.es/Incoming) [https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/applicationinfreemobility](https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/applicationinfreemobility) |

### NOMINATION

- **Erasmus+ programme countries (KA103):** The official nomination of students on this programme must be completed by contacting via email the international relations office of the faculty or school with which your institution has signed an agreement. Contact details: [http://sl.ugr.es/00pF](http://sl.ugr.es/00pF)
- **Erasmus+ International Dimension (KA107):** The official nomination of students on this programme must be completed by following the instructions provided by the University of Granada via the following email [intldimension@ugr.es](mailto:intldimension@ugr.es)
- **Exchange programmes (non-Erasmus bilateral agreements):** The official nomination of students, in the framework of these bilateral exchange agreements, must be completed by following the instructions provided by the University of Granada via the following email [intlmobility@ugr.es](mailto:intlmobility@ugr.es)

### LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

We strongly advise that students have at least a B1 level of Spanish if they wish to participate in Exchange, Erasmus+ (Programme Countries) or Free Mobility Programmes at the UGR and undertake undergraduate studies (or a B2 level to undertake Master’s studies). For master programmes in general a B1 level of Spanish is mandatory (or the language of instruction of the lessons). If you have a certificate proving your Spanish language level, you must upload a PDF copy of the certificate as part of the online application. In order to be accepted onto Erasmus+ International Dimension Programme (Partner Countries), students must present a B1 language certificate (in accordance with CEFR). If you are going to do mobility at master level you need to present a B1 level of the language of instruction of the master programme. For more information about language requirements at the UGR please visit: [http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/politica-linguistica/tablasdecertificadosaceptadosporlaugr](http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/politica-linguistica/tablasdecertificadosaceptadosporlaugr)


### BUDDY PROGRAMME

The main purpose of this programme is to assist international students with their integration into Spanish life and to enable them to undertake their academic responsibilities successfully. In order to apply for a buddy, you have to click on the option when you fill in your online application to study at the UGR as a mobility student. [http://sl.ugr.es/07CM](http://sl.ugr.es/07CM)

### STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS

The University of Granada offers a variety of services to students with disabilities and/or specific educational support needs. The UGR provides these services in order to ensure that these students are fully and effectively included as members of the University community. Whether in terms of access to education and training or research and services, we strive to guarantee the right of all students to inclusive education in accordance with the principles of non-discrimination, equal opportunities and universal accessibility. **Support services:** [http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/discapacidad](http://internacional.ugr.es/pages/perfiles/estudiantes/discapacidad)

### INDUCTION

In this website you can find all useful information for the arrival of students: [https://induction.ugr.es/](https://induction.ugr.es/)

### FACILITIES, RESOURCES AND SERVICES

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COST OF LIVING / HEALTH INSURANCE

COST OF LIVING IN GRANADA

The city of Granada is considered one of the cheapest places in Spain and Europe to live as a student. Obviously, the cost of living for each student depends on their lifestyle, but it tends to vary between €550-€600 per month. For guidance purposes, we have calculated the average cost of living in Granada in the most basic aspects:

- Accommodation in a shared flat (water and energy expenses included) varies roughly between €200-€250 per month.
- The daily set menu in the university canteens costs €3.50. The takeaway menu costs €4.
- A single city-bus ticket costs €1.40. If you obtain a bus card, the price is €0.87 per trip and with the University bus pass the cost is €0.61 per trip. A monthly pass costs about €41.

At this website you can watch a couple of videos about Granada campuses and districts and different options of accommodation: https://induction.ugr.es/en/accommodation-and-canteens/

HEALTH INSURANCE AND ASSISTANCE: What if I fall sick?


Non-urgent medical care
To receive healthcare students must first register with the public health centre (centro de salud) nearest to their home address in Granada. Medical appointments can be made online or by calling and are generally given within 1-2 days.

You can find a directory with a list of all health centres in Granada on the website of the Ministry of Health, Social Services and Equality: http://www.msc.es/ciudadanos/centros.do

Public Healthcare System. You will be treated free of charge:
- If you come from an EU country, Switzerland, Norway, Iceland or Liechtenstein and upon showing the European Health Insurance Card.
- If you come from a non-EU country upon showing documentation to prove you have a healthcare plan.
- If you come from a country with a current bilateral agreement with Spain. In this case you will have to ask for a family doctor at the nearest public health centre to your home address in Granada, during the first few days after your arrival in Spain and prove that you have the right to medical care in your home country.
- More information on the Spanish Social Security website:
  http://www.seg-social.es/Internet_6/Masinformacion/Internacional/index.htm
  Important: In every case, you must present your ID card or passport.

Private Health System
If you come from a non-EU country and there is no bilateral agreement between your country and the Spanish Social Security System you must take out your own private health insurance or you can purchase insurance cover offered by the University of Granada (https://internacional.ugr.es/pages/movilidad/estudiantes/entrantes/insurance/index). In this case, if you need medical attention during your stay in Granada, you must provide the official documents from your health insurance policy.

Before visiting your doctor, call the number that appears on your insurance policy. During the call you will be asked for your identification number and your policy details. The insurance company should inform you about the medical clinics where you can receive medical care in Granada.

In general there are two hospitals or clinics in Granada that have an agreement with private insurance companies:

- **Hospital Vithas La Salud**: Avda. Santa María de la Alhambra, 6. 18008 Granada. Tel.: 34 958 80 88 80
- **Clínica de la Inmaculada**: C/ Doctor Alejandro Otero, 8 18004 Granada. Tel.: 34 958 25 05 23

**Urgent medical care**

In line with the regulations of the National Health System, urgent medical attention is guaranteed 24/7, 365 days a year to everyone in any hospital. In the event that you should require an ambulance, you must call the **Emergency Phone Number in Spain (and all EU countries): 112.**

**RESIDENCE IN SPAIN: PROCEDURES**

Most incoming students at the UGR do not have Spanish citizenship, so normally they must complete a problem to legally reside in Spain during their studies:

**Citizens from the EU, Switzerland and the European Economic Area**

A valid passport or national ID card is required for entry into Spain. If the stay is for longer than three months, you must apply to be included in the Central Registry of Foreigners in person at the Office for Foreign Residents in Granada. You must submit a valid passport or national ID card, a copy of your health insurance card (or the insurance you have) and official UGR Erasmus student credential in order to apply. You are obliged by law to complete this registration process within the first three months following your arrival. [http://sl.ugr.es/0ddL](http://sl.ugr.es/0ddL).

**Citizens from other countries**

- In order to enter and stay in Spain, an application must be made for a visa at the Diplomatic Mission or Spanish General Consulate in your country of residence. Via the following link you can consult the information provided by the Spanish Government regarding all possible university-related cases: [http://sl.ugr.es/0ddS](http://sl.ugr.es/0ddS)
- General information about Spanish visa and citizen services is available via the following link: [http://sl.ugr.es/0ddS](http://sl.ugr.es/0ddS)
- The visa applicant must request, in the Spanish Diplomatic Mission or Spanish Consulate in the country of residence, the documents required for obtaining the visa.
- Information about the procedures that the applicant must follow once in Spain is available via the following link: [http://sl.ugr.es/0ddS](http://sl.ugr.es/0ddS)

**Office for Foreign Residents in Granada:**

C/ San Agapito nº 2, 18071 Granada (Spain)
Tel.: (+34) 958 909 311 / 958 909 314 / 958 909 315. Opening hours: from Monday to Thursday from 9:00 to 17:30 and Fridays from 9:00 to 14:00.

Apply for an appointment: [http://sl.ugr.es/0ded](http://sl.ugr.es/0ded)
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