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### 2. APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS & PROCESS:

1. **1. Online OIE Exchange Program Application**
   - Undergraduate, Graduate, and Intensive English Language Exchange Options

2. **2. Undergraduate Application for Admission to UGA (no application fee)**
   - Student must be in good standing and recommended by home university

3. **3. Official transcript or grade report in English from home university**
   - Submit upon request after acceptance

4. **4. TOEFL or IELTS score report**
   - TOEFL 550 (paper)
   - 80 (iBT)
   - 214 (CBT)
   - 6.5 IELTS

5. **5. Medical History and Immunization Forms**

6. **6. Course Request Form**

7. **7. Campus Housing Application (online after acceptance)**

8. **8. Copy of Passport**
   - (Submit with online DS-2019 Request Form after acceptance)

   - Submit upon request after acceptance

**Nomination & Application Deadlines**

- **Fall Semester**
  - **February 15 Nomination**
  - **March 15 Application**

- **Spring Semester**
  - **September 15 Nomination**
  - **October 15 Application**

### 3. ACADEMIC INFORMATION:

#### Level of Study
- Undergraduate or graduate, depending on exchange agreement and/or OIE approval.

#### Areas of Study Available

- [http://uga.edu/a-z/schools/](http://uga.edu/a-z/schools/)

#### Course Limitations
- Courses in Terry, SPIA, and Grady colleges have some restrictions. Students are not permitted to take courses in Law, Pharmacy, and Veterinary Medicine.

#### UGA Schedule of Classes Offered (classes offered in upcoming semester)
- [http://www.reg.uga.edu/schedule-of-classes](http://www.reg.uga.edu/schedule-of-classes)

#### UGA Bulletin (description of courses, pre-requisites and syllabi)
- [http://www.bulletin.uga.edu/CoursesHome.aspx](http://www.bulletin.uga.edu/CoursesHome.aspx)

#### Semester Course Load
- Undergraduate 12 - 17 credit hours
- Graduate 9 - 15 credit hours

#### Please Note
- Students should confirm approval of UGA classes with home university. Students are not guaranteed requested courses due to university restrictions, including class size, timetable, and previous study requirements.

#### Transcript Issue Date
- Fall Semester - February
- Spring Semester - June
4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Student Visa & UGA Immigration Services
After acceptance, students will request the DS-2019 form which is needed to apply for a J-1 Student Exchange Visa. Plan to demonstrate funding for $8690/semester for personal expenses.
http://international.uga.edu/assis/

Campus Housing
Students usually assigned to a private room in 4 bedroom, 2 bathroom suites in the UGA East Campus Village (ECV)
https://housing.uga.edu/site/housing_community_ecv

Insurance
UGA Insurance Policy for International Students is required. Approximate Cost is $947 for Fall and $1,311 for Spring (based on Fall 2017 and Spring
http://hr.uga.edu/students/student-health-insurance/mandatory-plan/

Estimated Semester Budget
*21 meals/week plan
**Fall 2017 insurance=$947
Spring 2018=$1,311

| OIE Exchange Orientation | $ 425 |
| Housing                  | $ 3,626 |
| Meals*                   | $ 1,978 |
| Books/Supplies           | $ 500  |
| Personal Expenses        | $ 1,150 |
| Insurance**              | $ 947  |
| International Student Compliance Fee | $ 64 |
| **Total (USD)**          | $ 8,690 |

2018-2019 rates (prices marked in yellow are Fall 2017 rates, Fall 2018 rates are TBD)

About UGA Multimedia:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_pROMGm40HA
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1TYlrjSoOl0
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qDbK5gMgImw

Transportation to Athens
Air travel to Atlanta Hartsfield Jackson International Airport recommended; Groome Transportation shuttle available from airport to UGA campus; approximate cost: $39 one-way
http://athens.groometransportation.com/
Pick-up Service from Groome Shuttle stop location Georgia Center may be available with the Office of International Education; must request in advance.

Fall 2018: Mandatory One-Week Orientation Program hosted by Office of International Student Life (ISL), and the Office of International Education (OIE). Topics include campus life, immigration, cultural adjustment, safety, and academic issues. Fall Orientation Fees: $425 (includes housing, meals, and excursions).

Spring 2019: Mandatory One-day Orientation & Welcome program hosted by ISL and the OIE. Orientation fee (includes orientation housing): $45.00 (early registration, Spring 2018 rates)

International Student Life
http://isl.uga.edu/students/orientation.html

5. UGA ACADEMIC CALENDAR * subject to change

Fall 2018
July 31  - Late arrival August 7 & 8  | Arrival Date
July 30- August 3                  | Fall International Student Orientation
August 13                         | Classes begin
August 13-17                      | Class Add/Drop Period
September 3rd                     | Labor Day Holiday
October 17                        | Midterm course withdrawal deadline
October 26                        | Fall break
November 19-23                    | Thanksgiving Holiday Break
December 6-12                     | Final Exams

Spring 2019
January 2 (2018 date, 2019 TBD)   | Arrival Date
January 3 (2018 date, 2019 TBD)   | Spring International Student Orientation
January 9                         | Classes begin
January 9-15                      | Class Add/Drop Period
January 21                        | Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday
March 11-15                       | Spring Break
March 21                          | Midterm course withdrawal deadline
May 2-May 8                       | Final Exams

Additional Calendar Info:
http://reg.uga.edu/academicCalendar2018-2019