

# NTU Exchange Fact Sheet 2015/2016

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## Number of exchange students to be accepted per academic year

Basically according to the agreement between NTU and the partner university, but can be flexible if



both sides agree.

## Term structure of the academic year

First Semester: from mid-September to mid-January next year

Second Semester: from late-February to late-June

## **Application**

## Online student application period and deadlines

First Semester Entry: March 01 to 31

Second Semester Entry: September 01 to 30

## Online coordinator confirmation period

First Semester Entry: April 01 to 10

Second Semester Entry: October 01 to 10

#### Qualification

Both undergraduate and graduate students can apply.

Students with only Taiwanese nationality are not eligible.

## Length of the exchange period

One academic year or one semester

#### The relevant websites

About NTU Exchange Student Programs:

www.oia.ntu.edu.tw/study-at-ntu/incoming-exchange-student/exchange-student-program

Online application:(only open during the application period)

http://oiasystem.ntu.edu.tw/IncomingExchange/www/app/framework.php

Application information:

www.oia.ntu.edu.tw/study-at-ntu/incoming-exchange-student/application

Login to check Application Status:

http://oiasystem.ntu.edu.tw/IncomingExchange/www/app/framework.php?act=app-login

\*Students must complete the online application and upload required documents by the deadline.

DO NOT send the hard copies to the OIA; application procedure is online only.

## Course

#### Course information (including courses taught in English)

www.oia.ntu.edu.tw/study-at-ntu/why-study-at-ntu/courses

#### Course enrollment

The course list for the First/Second Semester is available only from the beginning of August/January and the online course selection begins 2 to 3 weeks prior to the start of semester. We suggest students to make a preliminary plan based on previous course offered and adjust the plan when the latest course list is available. For questions regarding to a specific field/course, please contact the relevant department or the instructor directly.

## **Workload Requirements**

NTU requires at least  $\underline{2}$  courses or  $\underline{4}$  credits per semester for exchange students. Besides, students should follow the requirements of their home universities.

#### **Restricted Courses**

- 1. Practice and Internship courses in the College of Medicine
- 2. The Department of Anthropology (only if students with Chinese language proficiency)

## **Accommodations**

## **Guaranteed housing application**

Housing application is included in the Exchange Student Application and should be submitted online before the application deadline (March 31 for First Semester, September 30 for Second Semester).

#### Accommodation fee

Please refer to our website: www.oia.ntu.edu.tw/study-at-ntu/why-study-at-ntu/accommodation

## Language and Visa Requirements

## Language requirements

□ No ☑ Yes

In order to follow NTU courses taught in **English** or **Chinese**, students should have <u>B1 level</u> for <u>English</u> or <u>Chinese</u> Language Proficiency according to the CEFR (<u>Common European Framework of Reference</u>). We trust our partner's selection, so it is not required to provide a language certificate.

#### Chinese language courses

All incoming exchange students are eligible to take the NTU General Chinese Course, which is a regular course with credits. For more details, please refer to the website of "General Chinese Courses" at <a href="https://www.oia.ntu.edu.tw/study-at-ntu/why-study-at-ntu/learning-chinese">www.oia.ntu.edu.tw/study-at-ntu/why-study-at-ntu/learning-chinese</a>

#### Visa requirements

Students are responsible for the visa application before entering Taiwan. More details please refer to our website at www.oia.ntu.edu.tw/study-at-ntu/incoming-exchange-student/info-incoming-exchange

## **Others**

## **Insurance**

A health and accident insurance plan worth a minimum TWD 1,000,000 (approx. USD 34,000) is required. We advise exchange students to purchase insurance in their home country in advance.

## Are incoming exchange students eligible to work in Taiwan?

☑ No □ Yes

## **Estimated Living Expenses**

Items	TWD/Semester(5 months)
On-campus Accommodation	44,000 (*maximum)
Textbooks / Stationery	6,500
Campus Internet Access Fee	600
Food	35,000
Public Transportation	5,000
Entertainment / Miscellaneous	15,000
<b>Total Estimated Costs</b>	Around 110,000

1 TWD = 0.032 USD = 0.028 EUR, Jun 2015	