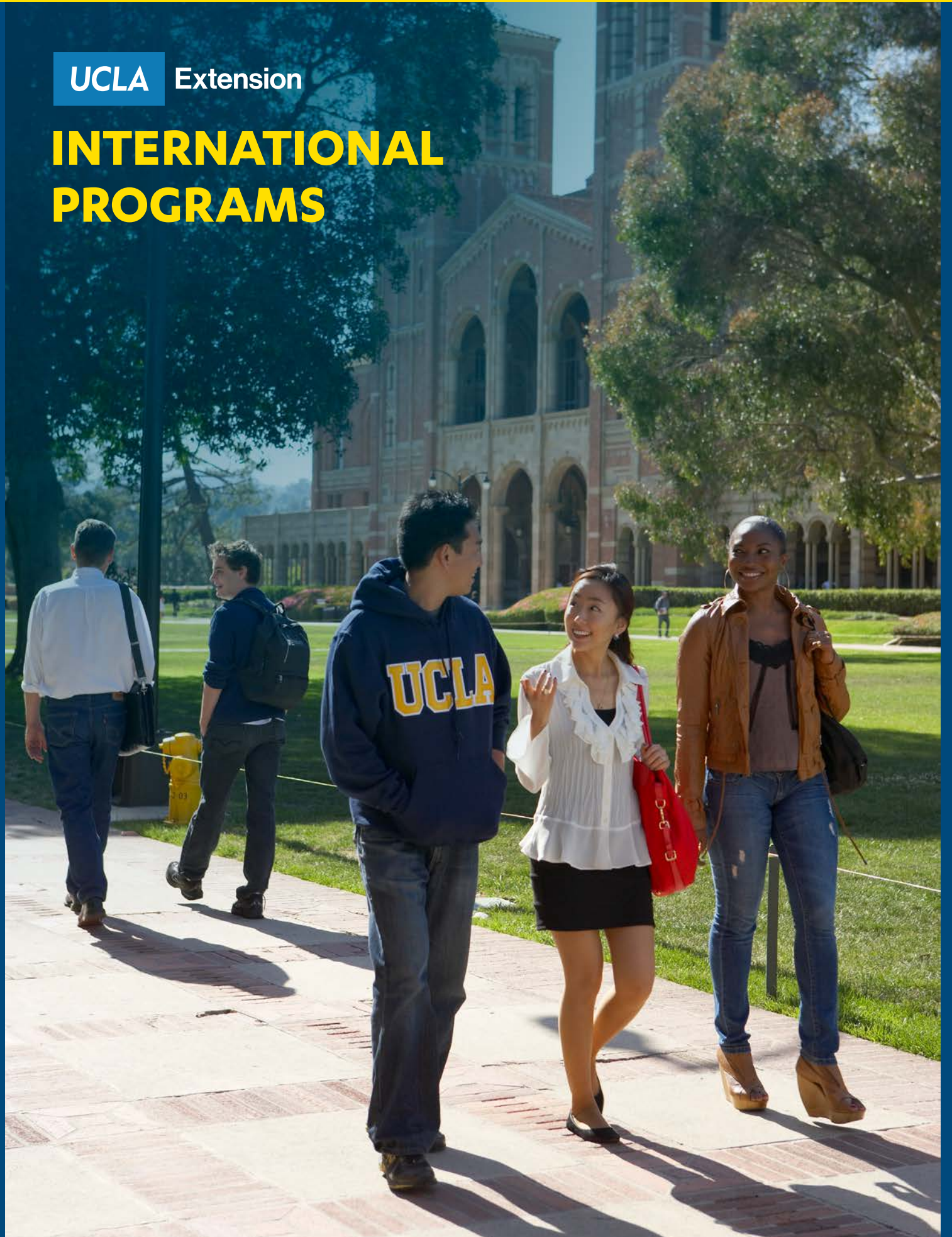
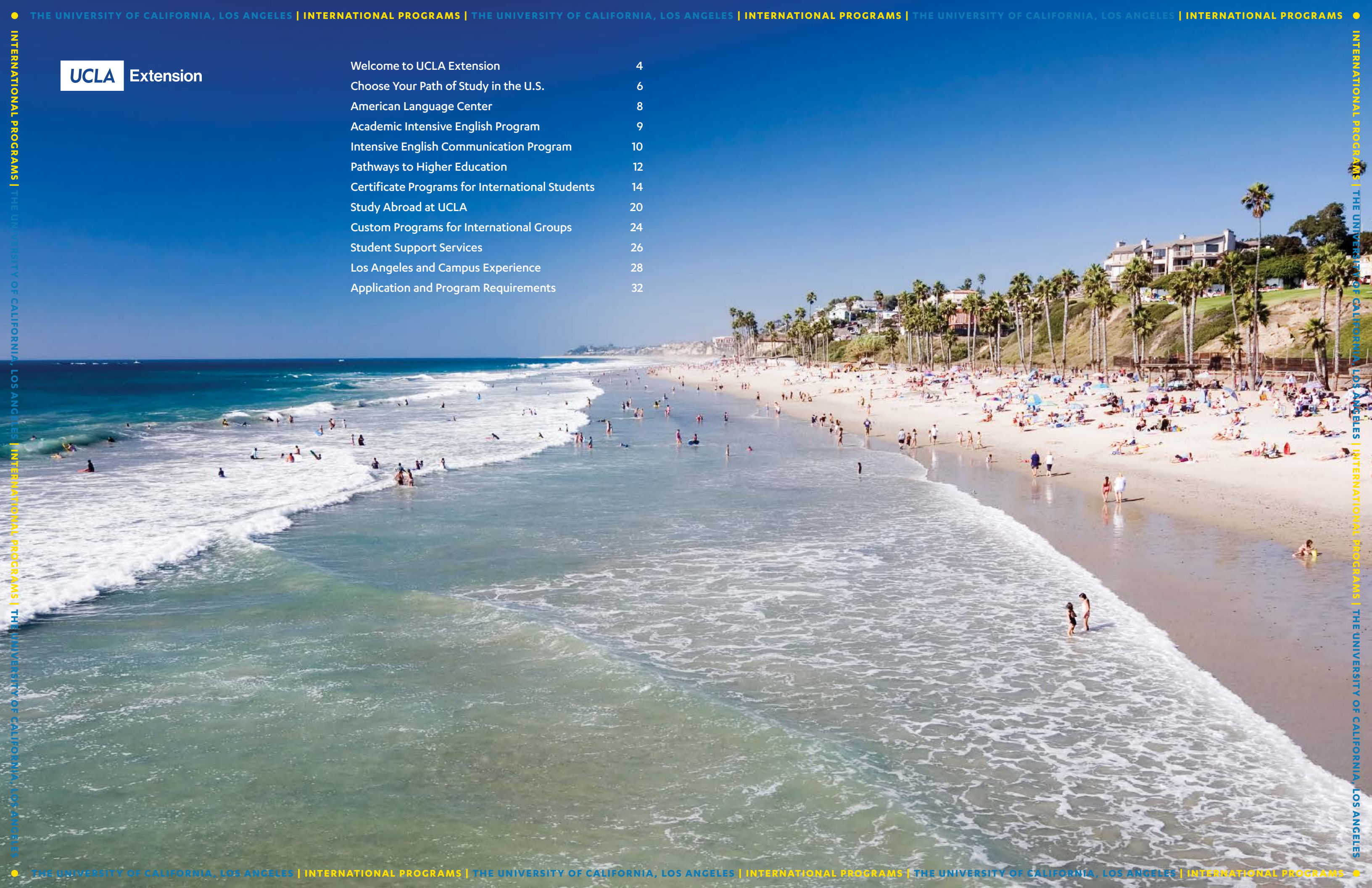


UCLA Extension

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS





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Welcome to UCLA Extension

We are part of the University of California, Los Angeles Division of Continuing Education. This brochure introduces you to the programs we have available for international students:

- Intensive English Programs
- Certificate Programs
- Study Abroad at UCLA
- Custom Programs for International Groups

All of our programs share the UCLA commitment to high academic standards and quality instruction. We are confident that your experience at UCLA Extension will be both memorable and rewarding. We look forward to welcoming you in person!

Overview

Founded in 1919, **UCLA** is one of the most prestigious and top-ranked universities in the U.S. More than 40,000 students study at UCLA's beautiful, park-like campus in 11 professional schools, including Engineering, Medicine, Law, and Theater, Film and Television. The University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) is one of the largest of the 10 campuses in the University of California system. UCLA is a top-ranked research university and offers bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees in a variety of fields.

Facts and Rankings

- #1 Public University in the U.S.*
- 15 Nobel laureates
- 3 Pulitzer Prize Winners, Faculty
- #1 school in the U.S. for transfer students**
- #1 most applied-to university

UCLA Extension is a part of the UCLA Division of Continuing Education. With more than 30,000 participants per year, UCLA Extension is one of the largest continuing education programs in the world. UCLA Extension offers a wide variety of university-level, credit-bearing courses as well as many other courses and programs for students and professionals. Many professionals who have university degrees enroll in UCLA Extension courses and programs to update their knowledge in such fields as business and management, entertainment, engineering, computer science, health sciences, and teacher education.

* U.S. News & World Report, 2021
** Prepor, 2021



Choose Your Path of Study in the U.S.
uclaextension.edu/international

UCLA Extension programs give you the education and experience you need to meet your academic and career goals. No matter what you aim to accomplish—a university degree in the U.S., career advancement or a new career, or simply improving your language skills—UCLA Extension offers a path to help you get there. We welcome you to explore the many options available to international students.



F-1 VISA REQUIRED FOR FULL-TIME STUDY

My Goals	Programs	English Proficiency Test Required?	Page
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Improve my English• Earn academic credits• Prepare for a professional certificate program, bachelor’s or master’s degree, or a PhD in the U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• American Language Center	No	8
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advance my career• Gain work experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Certificate Programs• OPT (Optional Practical Training)	Yes	14
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Transfer my UCLA academic credits to my home university	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Study Abroad at UCLA Program	Yes	20



American Language Center (ALC)
English Language Programs
uclaextension.edu/alc

- Full-time intensive English programs (F-1 visa eligible)
- Part-time programs and individual courses (B-1 visa eligible)
- Highly trained and experienced instructors
- Communicative, project-based teaching methods
- Courses offered year round
- Comprehensive student services
- Diverse student population
- Modern, fully equipped, and networked classrooms
- Custom-designed programs for high-school, university groups, and corporate clients

Academic Intensive English Program
uclaextension.edu/aiep

For Students Who Want To

- Prepare for study and apply to American colleges or universities.
- Study English for personal or professional reasons, using a rigorous, academic approach.

Course Length

- AIEP is a nine-level, full-time program
- 10 weeks in winter, spring, and fall
- 6 or 12 weeks in the summer
- 23 class sessions per week

Curriculum

- Core classes: grammar, reading, writing, listening, and presentation skills. Advanced levels earn 11 transferable university credits in 10- and 12-week sessions.
- Advanced students are eligible to enroll in additional credit-bearing UCLA daytime and UCLA Extension evening classes.
- Elective classes at high-intermediate and advanced levels, including: TOEFL, IELTS, GRE, Business English, Pronunciation, Public Speaking, Current Events, and others.

“Being a student at ALC helped me dramatically improve my writing, reading, and speaking skills. My goal of starting a master’s degree in the U.S. was fulfilled.”

JUAN SEBASTIÁN HURTADO JAMARILLO
AIEP, COLOMBIA



AIEP Level	iBT Score
108 (Advanced IV)	95 -119
107 (Advanced III)	90 -105
106 (Advanced II)	76 -90
105 (Advanced I)	61 -76
104 (High Intermediate)	37 -61
103 (Intermediate)	19 -37
102 (High Beginning)	14 -24
101 (Low-Beginning)	N/A
100 (Basic)	N/A

Sample Schedule: High Intermediate Level

Time	Monday–Friday
9–11am	Grammar and Writing
11am–12pm	Reading and Discussion
12–1pm	Lunch
1–3pm	Elective
3–4:30pm	Computer Lab (optional)

Intensive English
Communication Program
uclaextension.edu/iecp

For Students Who Want To

- Improve their English pronunciation, spoken grammar, and listening comprehension.
- Gain confidence in the ability to communicate with native speakers.

Course Length

- IECP is a three-level full-time program
- Four-week programs year-around, 11-week summer session
- 20 class sessions per week
- Three-week session at the end of the summer
- Students can enroll for four, eight, or 12 weeks per quarter, for up to nine consecutive quarters, with new study material in each four-week session.

Description of Levels

- Three levels: intermediate prep, intermediate, and advanced
- Students at the basic level may be reassigned to the Academic Intensive English Program.

American Culture & Communication Course (ACC)

- This course is for part-time IECP study only and does not qualify for F-1 student visas.
- Designed for individuals and groups who are in Los Angeles for tourism, business, or family visits.

“ALC’s Intensive Communication program offered me many chances to use English. The excellent teachers listen to students with patience and kindness.”

DOKYUNG KIM
IECP, SOUTH KOREA



Sample Schedule: High Intermediate Level	
Time	Monday–Thursday
9–12am	Academic Topics: Survival English, Vocabulary Culture Topics: American TV Idioms & Slang
12–1pm	Lunch
1–3pm	Pronunciation/Grammar/Conversation
3–4:30pm	Computer Lab/Campus & LA Visits

Intensive English Program Comparison

Program	Academic Intensive English Program (AIEP)	Intensive English Communication Program (IECP)
Focus	Academic approach with equal emphasis on reading, writing, listening, and speaking	Practical approach to listening and speaking with conversational grammar and some writing
Program Offered	Year round	Year round
Length	10 weeks: winter, spring, fall 12 and 6 weeks: summer	12 weeks: winter, spring, fall; 11 weeks: summer 4 weeks: winter, spring, summer, fall 3 weeks: summer session C only (early Sept.)
Levels	Basic to Advanced	Intermediate Prep to Advanced
Class Sessions per Week	23 class sessions (50 minutes each)	20 class sessions (50 minutes each)
Schedule	Monday – Thursday, 9am–3pm, Friday, 9am–12pm	Monday – Thursday, 9am–3pm
Electives	TOEFL iBT, IELTS, GRE, American culture through movies, business communication, American slang, pronunciation, etc. <i>Not all electives are offered every session. Students can change electives midway through the program.</i>	American culture through television, idioms, advertising, vocabulary, survival English, discover L.A., business English, movies, etc. <i>Not all electives are offered every session.</i>
Books	\$150–\$250 (cost varies by level and class)	\$50–\$80 (cost varies by level and class)
Minimum Age	18	18
On-Campus Housing	Summer Quarter only	Summer Quarter only
Off-Campus Housing	Yes	Yes
Injury and Sickness Insurance	For international students only. Permanent residents of the U.S. will not be eligible for this insurance.	For international students only. Permanent residents of the U.S. and tourists will not be eligible for this insurance.
Academic Advising	Yes	Yes
UCLA Recreation Pass	Yes	Yes
After-School Language and Computer Labs	Yes	Yes
Grading	Letter grades	Pass/no pass
University Credit	Yes, for advanced core classes	No
Award of Completion	Yes, with active participation and grades of C or better	Yes, with good attendance, active participation, and passing grades

FEATURED INSTRUCTORS



Julie Norminton

American Language Center

Julie holds a master’s degree in TESOL and a bachelor’s degree in French and Italian. She has trained teachers for Departments of Education in Mexico, Spain, Italy, Bahrain, and the UAE. Julie has been full-time faculty at ALC since 2013.



Scott Gist

American Language Center

Scott has a master’s degree in Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages and a BA in Theater. He has traveled to over 25 countries and has taught English in Korea and Japan. Scott has been full-time faculty at ALC since 2006.

American Language Center The ALC Advantage

A Path to Higher Education

- Undergraduate programs
- Graduate programs
- Professional certificate programs

Individual Academic Advising

- Advising on U.S. college and university application process
- Group orientation sessions
- Deciding on study options after Intensive English programs

University Fair

Various college and university representatives come to the American Language Center to help students learn about different study options after completing the Intensive English or certificate programs.

University Partnerships

- Apply to 35+ partner colleges and universities without TOEFL or IELTS scores.

Transferable Credits

- Receive 9-11 units of transferable university credit
- Take UCLA or UCLA Extension credit classes
- Be released from one or more elective classes to pursue independent studies

ALC Acceptances 2018-2019

- Harvard University
- Stanford University
- Columbia University
- New York University
- UC Berkeley
- UCLA
- Cornell
- University of Illinois
- Washington University, St. Louis
- George Washington University
- University of Arizona
- Brown University
- California State University, Los Angeles
- California State University, Northridge
- Claremont Graduate School
- Loyola Marymount University



Alumni Success Stories



ALC → MBA

Olga Marina
Kazakhstan

“After a year of taking intensive English classes at the American Language Center, I felt confident in my ability to handle graduate-level academic work. Thanks to ALC’s professional teachers and a carefully designed curriculum, I got the essential language skills that helped me graduate from Pepperdine University with a master’s degree in Global Business.”



ALC → Law School

Abdulrahman Nabil Alsaleh
Saudi Arabia

“After completing my academic English studies at the American Language Center, I was accepted at USC, one of the top law schools in the U.S. I completed my LLM degree and currently am a second-year PhD student in Corporate Law and Governance at Indiana University and a visiting research scholar at Harvard University.”



ALC → Certificate

Thais Melani
Brazil

“I chose UCLA Extension because of its high teaching quality and because UCLA is a globally recognized educational institution. The IECF program in particular supported me to improve my English communication skills and my intercultural skills. It also prepared me for the TOEFL exam, which is one of the requirements for certificate programs at UCLA Extension. As a result, after just one quarter at the American Language Center, I was able to enroll as a full-time student in the Project Management Certificate Program.”

Certificate Programs for International Students
uclaextension.edu/intc

A certificate is a sequence of courses related to a specialized field or topic such as General Business Studies, Marketing, Entertainment Studies, Project Management, Digital Technology, Sustainability, and Journalism.

Certificate programs are not degree programs; however, many Americans who have bachelor's and master's degrees enroll in certificate programs to advance or change their careers.

UCLA Extension certificate programs are usually taught by working professionals who are experts in their fields; programs offer a practical, real-world approach to each field of study.

Program Overview

We offer over 40 F-1 visa-approved certificate programs that allow international students to study full-time in the U.S.

Exceptional Quality

UCLA Extension certificate programs meet UCLA standards of excellence and are approved by the UCLA Academic Senate.

Program Duration (mostly 6–12 months)

Longer programs offer a deeper understanding of each field.

Reasonable Fees

UCLA Extension programs are a great value; course fees for American and international students are the same.

Studying with Americans

International students study side by side with American students and receive the same high level of instruction.

Cross-Cultural Understanding / Language Proficiency

Living in Los Angeles, studying at UCLA Extension, and experiencing American life increases students' proficiency in English and their cross-cultural awareness.

Outstanding Instructors

Industry experts provide practical perspectives on the day-to-day realities of each field of study.



Curricular Practical Training (CPT)

This internship directly relates to your certificate program. Offered as a course, the internship allows you to gain work experience in your field. To qualify for CPT, you must be enrolled in a program that offers the internship course, and you must complete nine months of full-time study in your program.

Optional Practical Training (OPT)

Get up to one year of paid work experience in the U.S. after you have successfully completed a certificate program lasting at least nine months.

FEATURED INSTRUCTORS



Marc Villarreal

Marketing

Marc is the Executive VP of Integrity Media, a marketing communications firm, responsible for many campaigns for the agency's clients, including retail, B2B, consumer goods, and world-wide distribution companies.



Robert Stone

Project Management

Robert Stone has over 30 years experience in civil engineering and project management, and is the Executive Director of the Larston Group, a project management consulting firm. He has taught workshops globally and is a certified Project Management Professional (PMP) and Six Sigma Green Belt.

Certificate Programs Fields of Study
uclaextension.edu/certlist

UCLA Extension certificates offer in-depth study of a professional field. Our coursework, developed by industry experts and approved by UCLA, balances theory and real-world practice.

Fields of Study

- Accounting & Finance
- Art & Design
- Business Studies
- Digital Technology
- Engineering
- Entertainment
- Humanities & Sciences
- International Trade & Commerce
- Legal Programs
- Marketing



Certificate Program vs. Master's Degree
Program Comparison

Requirements	UCLA Extension Certificate	Most Master's Degrees
Enrollment Entry	Four enrollment entry dates per year for most programs —one every three months	Typically one enrollment entry date per year
Application Deadline	Typically two months before program starts	Typically one year before program starts
Academic Requirements	Varies: prerequisite courses, and/or college transcripts; some require a degree	Undergraduate degree and transcripts; examinations: GRE, GMAT, etc.
English Proficiency	Minimum: TOEFL 83; IELTS 6.5; or iTEP Academic Plus 4.5 <i>For specific English language proficiency requirements, see uclaextension.edu/language requirements.</i>	Varies
Duration	Most are 6–12 Months	Most are two years
Course Schedule	Mostly evenings	Daytime
Program Cost *	\$10,000 USD	\$50,000 USD

*Program costs are estimated and will vary by certificate or master's program.

“Exposure to the unique experiences of program instructors helped me approach problems differently and develop my own point of view.”

MARTIN ULIKHANYAN
FILM SCORING CERTIFICATE, ARMENIA



Sample Certificate Program Schedules

Here are sample schedules that illustrate how some programs are structured. Schedules may vary from year to year and participant to participant.

Sustainability Certificate

1st Quarter Courses	2nd Quarter Courses	3rd Quarter Courses (Optional)
Principles of Sustainability I: Introduction Climate Change, Energy, and the Environment Global Business Practices in Sustainability	Principles of Sustainability II: Current Issues and Case Studies Principles of Sustainability III: Stakeholders and Engaging Communities Sustainability Capstone	Sustainability Internship Principles of Waste Reduction, Recycling, and Solid Waste Management Sustainable Food and Agriculture
12 Units	12 Units	12 Units

General Business Studies Certificate with Concentration in Marketing

1st Quarter Courses	2nd Quarter Courses	3rd Quarter Courses
Introduction to International Business Management Theory, Policy, and Process Marketing Principles and Practices	Dynamics of Interpersonal Communication The Power of Brand: Brand Management Global Marketing and Strategy	Social Media Marketing Developing a Business Plan Doing Business in the U.S. Business Ethics (1 day)
12 Units	12 Units	12 Units

Entertainment Studies Certificate

1st Quarter Courses	2nd Quarter Courses	3rd Quarter Courses	4th Quarter Courses
Pre-Production and Production for Film and Television The Craft of the Cinematographer Introduction to Feature Film Development	Post-Production for Film and Television Acting Techniques: The Fundamentals Understanding Genre: How to Develop a Hollywood Classic	The Business of Entertainment The Craft of the Director Low-Budget Filmmaking	The Language of Filmmaking The Art of Line Producing Entertainment Financing
12 Units	12 Units	12 Units	12 Units

Estimated Cost



Students From Around the World Study at UCLA Extension

The 2019 Certificate Program Graduates are from at least 122 Countries

Albania	Finland	Niger	Taiwan
Andorra	France	Nigeria	Tanzania
Angola	Gabon	Norway	Thailand
Argentina	Gaza Strip	Oman	Trinidad & Tobago
Armenia	Georgia	Pakistan	Tunisia
Australia	Germany	Panama	Turkey
Austria	Greece	Paraguay	UAE
Azerbaijan	Guatemala	Peru	Ukraine
Bangladesh	Honduras	Philippines	United Kingdom
Belarus	Hong Kong	Poland	United States
Belize	Howland Island	Portugal	Uruguay
Belgium	Hungary	Romania	Uzbekistan
Benin	India	Russia	Venezuela
Bolivia	Indonesia	Rwanda	Vietnam
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Iran	Saudi Arabia	West Bank
Brazil	Iraq	Singapore	Yemen
Brunei	Ireland	Slovakia	Zambia
Bulgaria	Israel	South Africa	Zimbabwe
Burma	Italy	South Korea	
Cambodia	Jamaica	Spain	
Canada	Japan	Sri Lanka	
Cameroon	Jordan	Sweden	
Chad	Kazakhstan	Switzerland	
Chile	Kenya	Syria	
China	Kuwait		
Colombia	Kyrgyzstan		
Congo	Lebanon		
Costa Rica	Luxembourg		
Cote d'Ivoire	Macao		
Croatia	Macedonia		
Cyprus	Malaysia		
Czech Republic	Mexico		
Denmark	Monaco		
Dominican Republic	Mongolia		
Ecuador	Morocco		
Egypt	Mozambique		
El Salvador	Nepal		
Estonia	Netherlands		
Ethiopia	New Zealand		
Fiji	Nicaragua		



Study Abroad at UCLA
uclaextension.edu/studyabroad



Program Overview
The Study Abroad at UCLA Program is designed for international students who are currently enrolled in a bachelor’s degree program in their home country and want to earn transferable academic credits.

- For Students Who Want To**
- Earn academic credit you can transfer to your university.
 - Enroll in UCLA undergraduate daytime and UCLA Extension evening courses.
 - Study side by side with American students, working professionals, and other international students.

In order to meet international student visa requirements, students must enroll in a minimum of 12 units of UCLA and/or UCLA Extension credit.

UCLA and UCLA Extension operate on the quarter system, with four 11-week sessions per year—fall, winter, spring, and summer. Study Abroad at UCLA offers UCLA Extension courses all four quarters and UCLA courses only in fall, winter, and spring. To enroll in summer UCLA courses, students can enroll in UCLA Summer Sessions by going to summer.ucla.edu. Students often stay for more than one quarter and it is easy to transfer between Study Abroad at UCLA and UCLA Summer Sessions.



Students can enroll in Study Abroad at UCLA only through specific Study Abroad consulting offices or university partners.

Please visit uclaextension.edu/studyabroad to locate a study abroad consulting office.

Sample Study Options

Type	Course 1	Course 2	Course 3
UCLA Courses Communications	Communication Studies 1: Principles of Oral Communication	Anthropology 33: Culture and Communication	Communication Studies 10: Introduction to Communication Studies
UCLA Extension Courses Materials Engineering	Social Media Marketing Management X 460.398A	The Power of the Brand: Brand Management Management X 460.41	Entrepreneurship and New Venture Formation Management X 497.52
UCLA and UCLA Extension Courses Liberal Arts	Computer-Mediated Communication Communication Studies XLC 151	Reporting and Writing I Journalism X 432	Sociology of Mass Communication Communication Studies XL M147



Study Abroad Curriculum

UCLA Courses

If you want to enroll in fall, winter, or spring UCLA courses, you must select undergraduate courses offered by the UCLA College of Letters and Sciences. The College offers a wide variety of courses in the Humanities, Life Sciences Physical Sciences, and Social Sciences.

Fields Of Study

Humanities

Comparative Literature, Foreign Languages, Linguistics, Musicology, and Philosophy

Life Sciences

Biology, Cognitive Science, Ecology, Immunology, and Microbiology

Physical Sciences

Astronomy, Chemistry, Earth, Planetary & Space Sciences, Mathematics, Physics, and Statistics

Social Sciences

Anthropology, Archaeology, Communication Studies, Economics, Management, Political Science, and Sociology

Business

Entrepreneurship and Business Analysis



Restricted UCLA Programs and Courses

Graduate-level courses and courses offered by UCLA professional schools do not participate in the Study Abroad program. Also, since UCLA does not have an undergraduate school of business, the selection of UCLA undergraduate business courses is limited.

UCLA Schools that don't participate in Study Abroad

- The Anderson School of Management
- School of Law
- School of Engineering and Applied Science
- School of Public Affairs
- School of Public Health
- Schools of Medicine, Dentistry, or Nursing
- School of Theatre, Film and Television

UCLA Extension Courses

UCLA Extension courses are open enrollment and focus on practical application. These courses provide professionals and students with the knowledge and skills they need for their careers. Since only your home university can make decisions regarding transfer credit, permission from your university is needed to enroll in some UCLA Extension courses.

UCLA, UCLA Extension, and UCLA Summer Sessions Program Comparison

Time	UCLA Courses	UCLA Extension Courses	UCLA Summer Session Courses
Quarter	Fall, Winter, Spring	Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer	Summer only
Enrollment	By permission and on a space-available basis; UCLA students receive priority.	Open to all who apply until courses are full.	Space-available basis
Length	10 weeks	12 weeks (with some exceptions)	6 weeks (two sessions per summer)
Full-time Study	At least 12 units (often three 4-unit courses)	At least 12 units (often three 4-unit courses)	8 units per 6-week session (often two 4-unit courses)
Hours of Instruction	Mainly daytime 8am–6pm	Mainly evenings 6:30–9:30pm or 7–10pm (Weekend courses are available.)	Mainly daytime 8am–6pm
Courses Available	Undergraduate courses in the College of Letters and Sciences. For more information visit: college.ucla.edu.	Accounting, marketing, international trade and commerce, project management, computer science, interior design, acting, directing, cinematography, and pre-medical and general science.	Business & management, cultural studies, language & literature, mathematics, natural & physical sciences, and social sciences. For more information visit: summer.ucla.edu.
Demographics	UCLA Undergraduates, ages 18–22	American students, working professionals, and international students ages 21–45	UCLA/UC undergraduates, international students, and students from U.S. universities, ages 18–30

“The UCLA courses I took were enriching and were taught by great professors. I’ve learned a lot during this quarter at UCLA, which will help with my future studies.”

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STUDY ABROAD AT UCLA, GERMANY



Custom Programs for International Groups
uclaextension.edu/customprogramsintl



Program Overview
The Custom Programs and Corporate Education department brings resources of over 4,000 courses, 100 certificate programs, and countless expert instructors to create customized learning experiences that meet the specific needs of a group of participants.

Programs can be designed for diverse groups: high school and college students, teachers and faculty, professionals and executives, as well as government officials. We will help identify the organization's training needs and design a program based upon the organization's requirements, format, and location.

The length of the program varies from one day to several months, and can take place at UCLA in Los Angeles, at your location abroad, online, or it can be a hybrid.

Support is available for programs held in Los Angeles

- Relevant and related site visits to reinforce classroom lectures
- Experienced interpreters providing consecutive or simultaneous translation
- Assistance with visas, housing, and health insurance
- Recommendations for exploring Los Angeles

CEU vs. Academic Units

Our custom programs can be designed to offer either Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for professional development, seminars and workshops, or Academic Units (AUs) for academic credit.

Some of our popular program areas include

- Entrepreneurship & Innovation
- Management & Leadership
- Project Management
- Entertainment Studies
- Intensive English



Partnerships with International Universities and Organizations

- Anyang University
- CIS Australia
- EDHEC Business School
- Filmakademie Baden-Württemberg
- Jiangsu Education Services for International Exchange (JESIE)
- Kansai University
- Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore
- CEU San Pablo University
- University of Sydney

Student Support Services
uclaextension.edu/intlstudentsupport



International Student Services
UCLA Extension staff will be available to assist you in getting settled in Los Angeles and enrolling in UCLA and UCLA Extension courses.

International Student Office (ISO)
uclaextension.edu/saiso

- The ISO provides assistance with visa and immigration
- Document preparation for the F-1 student visa
 - Transfers from one school to another
 - Temporary travel outside the U.S.
 - Advice on visa status changes

- Academic Counseling**
Academic advisors assist students with:
- Group Orientation Sessions
 - Deciding on their course selection and scheduling
 - Guidance for study in UCLA Extension certificate programs

- Housing**
uclaextension.edu/housing
- Students are responsible for arranging their own accommodations directly with the housing provider. A list of housing providers is available on our website.
 - International UCLA Extension students live off campus in apartments. Off-campus, non-UCLA housing is available year round.
 - UCLA on-campus housing is available only in the summer, for those enrolled in full-time American Language Center programs (AIEP, IECP) or Study Abroad.

- Health Insurance**
uclaextension.edu/samedinsur
- American Language Center students: UCLA health insurance is required and is included in the program fees.
 - Study Abroad at UCLA students: UCLA health insurance is required and is included in the program fees.
 - Certificate programs for international students: health insurance can be purchased through an insurance provider.



- Employment**
- International students are permitted to work only on the UCLA campus and for no more than 20 hours per week.
 - Employment opportunities on the UCLA campus are limited.

- UCLA Recreation Facilities**
recreation.ucla.edu
- Access to UCLA Recreation facilities include: two stadiums, gym & fitness center, eight lighted tennis courts, and 25- and 50-meter pools with picnic and barbeque areas.
- Certificate & Study Abroad students: To access UCLA recreational resources, students will need to apply for a BruinCard and then join as a Student Affiliate for a fee of \$50 per quarter (*fees may change*).
 - American Language Center students: To access UCLA recreational resources, students are provided a UCLA Recreation ID card.

L.A. Lifestyle

UCLA is a vital part of one of the world’s most dynamic cities, Los Angeles. Bordered by iconic neighborhoods, Bel Air, Brentwood, Beverly Hills, UCLA is a crossroads of ideas, cultures, and limitless experiences and opportunities.



Los Angeles and Campus Experience

Los Angeles

L.A. is a city of contrasts, with beautiful beaches, mountains, desert landscapes, the hustle and bustle of business districts, and the small-town feel of peaceful neighborhoods and quiet streets. Angelenos comprise a diverse, multiethnic population, representing people from 240 countries, speaking 224 distinct languages.

Westwood Village

The “hometown” of UCLA and UCLA Extension, Westwood, features movie theaters, cafes, restaurants, supermarkets, and a farmer’s market. Westwood borders the UCLA campus and is only a short bus ride away from Beverly Hills, Santa Monica beach, and Hollywood.

Weather

- 229 sunny/partly sunny days in a year
- 75F (24C) average high
- 56F (13C) average low

Culture

Los Angeles is home to more than 105 museums, 225 theaters, and 16 of the world’s most beautiful gardens. Every weekend there is something to do and see.

UCLA Recreation Facilities

- Los Angeles Tennis Center: eight lighted tennis courts
- Sunset Canyon Recreation Center: 25- and 50-meter pools with picnic/barbecue areas
- John Wooden Recreation and Sports Center: fitness center, racquetball, basketball, and rock climbing
- Marina Aquatic Center for sailing, windsurfing, and kayaking, located on the Pacific Ocean

Class Field Trips

In addition to in-class study, students go on field trips with their instructors to various points of interest around Los Angeles. Field trip locations might include museums, courthouses, high schools, and businesses.



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Los Angeles and Campus Experience

Local Tours

Schedule tours to local attractions and events in the Los Angeles area, such as Hollywood, the Getty Museum, Disneyland, and L.A. Lakers and Dodgers games. Excursions can be arranged to other destinations in California and the Southwestern U.S., such as the Grand Canyon, Las Vegas, and San Francisco.

Sports

Los Angeles hosts many professional sports teams, including the Dodgers, Lakers, Kings, and Galaxy. If you prefer to participate rather than watch, you can swim or surf at beautiful beaches, ski or hike in nearby mountains, or explore the rugged beauty of the desert.

Museums

- Los Angeles County Museum of Art (LACMA)
- Getty Center
- Getty Villa
- Hammer Museum
- Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA)
- The Broad
- Skirball Cultural Center



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“My advice to students is to get out and experience life at UCLA — join clubs, use sports facilities, and meet American students; see what Southern California has to offer — Santa Monica, Hollywood, mountains, deserts, and beaches.”

GIANMARCO GENTILE
STUDY ABROAD AT UCLA, COLOMBIA



Attractions

- Hollywood Sign
- Hollywood Walk of Fame
- Disneyland
- Universal Studios
- Beverly Hills/Rodeo Drive
- Malibu Beach

Top Companies

- Google
- Netflix, Inc.
- Hulu
- SpaceX
- Technicolor
- The Walt Disney Co.
- Warner Bros. Studios
- Paramount Pictures
- Sony Pictures
- Fox Entertainment Group



Application and Program Requirements



Application Requirements

Intensive English Programs

How to Apply
uclaextension.edu/applyfees

Deadlines and Program Fees
uclaextension.edu/dates-fees

Study Abroad Programs

How to Apply
uclaextension.edu/applystudyabroad

Certificate Programs

How to Apply
uclaextension.edu/applycert



Program	TOEFL/IELTS/ITEP	University Transcript	Financial Support	F-1 Visa
Intensive English	None	None	Bank Statement	Required
Certificate	Minimum: TOEFL 83; IELTS 6.5; ITEP Academic Plus 4.5	Required (For Some Programs)	Bank Statement	Required
Study Abroad	Minimum: TOEFL 91; IELTS 7.0	Required	Bank Statement	Required

Study Abroad Application Deadlines

Quarter	Application Deadline
Fall September–December	June 1
Winter January–March	October 15
Spring March–June	February 1
Summer June–September	May 1*

*UCLA Extension courses only. Students wanting to enroll in UCLA courses during the summer should apply directly to summer.ucla.edu.

Certificate Programs Application Deadlines

Quarter	Application Deadline
Fall September–December	August 1
Winter January–March	November 1
Spring March–June	February 1
Summer June–September	May 1

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International Student Office

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(310) 825-9351

*F-1 visa advising, certificate and English language
programs application advising and process*

American Language Center

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*Academic Intensive English Language Program (AIEP),
Intensive English Communication Program (IECP),
American Culture and Communication Program (ACC),
Advanced Academic Writing Course (X433C);
High-Intermediate Academic Writing Course (X433B),
UCLA Extension Writing Center*

Certificate Programs for International Students

Contact certificate program representative at
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(310) 206-0455

Certificate program, agency inquiries

Study Abroad at UCLA

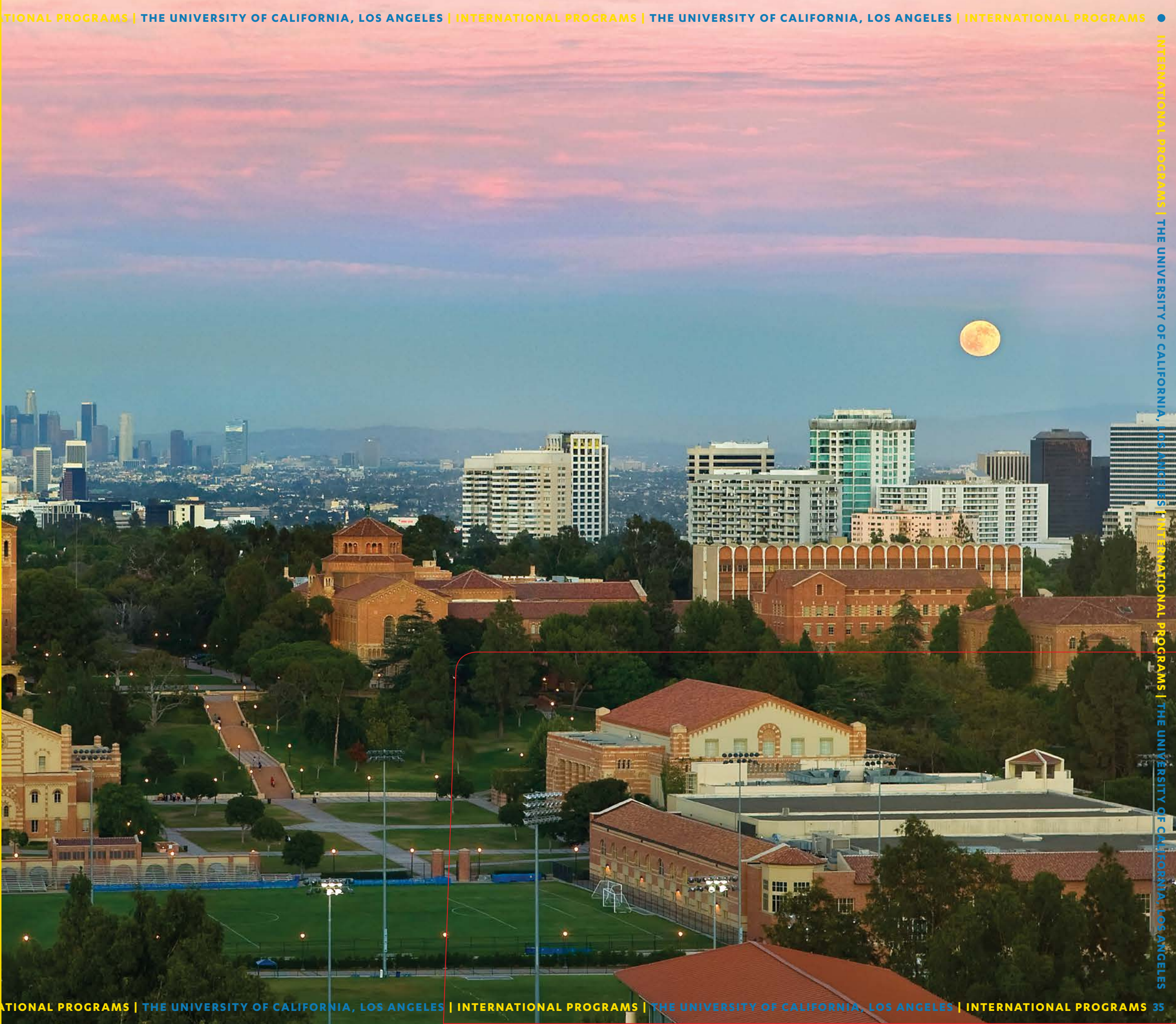
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*Study Abroad application processing, academic advising,
listing with university and agency partners for the Study
Abroad program, and orientation*

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