# UC International Programs

# **Online Student Grant Application**

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## Apply now... it's easy and it's all online!

UC International Grants are awarded to qualified undergraduate and graduate students to participate in approved academic programs abroad.

## **Eligibility**

- Full-time or part-time UC students matriculated in a degree program
- In good standing at the University (overall GPA greater than 2.0)
- Zero balance (no delinquent obligations) in student account
- Participating in a credit-bearing program: either a pre-approved UC program or an external program for which you have approval from your Academic Advisor
- Long or short-term program
- Independent study, research, performances, and conference participation not eligible
- Maximum one grant per 12 month period

Your application will be judged first on **merit**. **Financial need** and the **duration of the experience** will be considered in determining award amounts. Preference will be given to first-time grant recipients.

Students with greater levels of financial need, as determined by the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) will be eligible for higher awards. If you do not have a FAFSA on file, do not qualify for need-based aid, or are not a U.S. citizen, you may receive the minimum grant award as determined by UC International. For information about the FAFSA and application procedures, see the UC Student Financial Aid page (www.financialaid.uc.edu/fafsa\_web.html).

Online Proposal due	For international activities beginning after
☐ March 15 <sup>th</sup>	☐ April 1 <sup>st</sup>
□ June 15 <sup>th</sup>	□ July 1 <sup>st</sup>
□ November 15 <sup>th</sup>	□ December 1 <sup>st</sup>

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# **Essential Elements of the Online Grant Application**

All grant applicants will be asked to provide the following online:

- Your student ID
- Your date of birth
- Country destination
- Departure and return dates
- Name, phone and email of your Academic Advisor at UC
- Name, phone and email of an Outreach Supervisor
- Name, phone and email of your Faculty Program Director (if this applies to your situation)

Note: you will not need to complete the background, description or budget sections if you indicate that you are participating on a UC faculty led program

Make sure you contact your Academic Advisor and Outreach Supervisor **before** you submit your grant to discuss the details of your academic coursework and outreach project. Failure to do so may result in rejection of your proposal.

### **Background**

How did you learn about this experience? Provide the reviewing committee a brief introduction of yourself and the proposed experience.

### **Description**

Describe the program and related activities. Please state the overseas city, university and program provider (where applicable) you have selected.

#### **Academic Coursework**

This is where you will list the academic coursework related to this overseas experience.

#### Rationale

What are your goals for participating in this particular program in this particular location? How specifically does it fit into your academic plan or future goals?

### **Outreach Project**

What will you do to share your experience with others or increase the internationalization of UC when you return from your international experience? This will be in the form of a specific project that you have planned to occur within 6 months of your return to the U.S. Be sure to describe, in depth, the type of project you intend to complete and the impact it will have on UC and the community.

#### Budget

Breakdown the total cost of the program for items such as:						
\$ Transportation		Lodging/Rent	\$	Tuition		
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\$ Textbooks	·		\$	Airiare		
\$ Other		Supplies				

#### **Notification of Award**

You will receive notification via email within 3 weeks of the application deadline, which will include details on processing the grant. Upon return to campus, you must submit a program evaluation, grant report, and evidence of a completed outreach project as described in your proposal.

We are available to answer any questions you may have regarding the UC International Grant or application procedures. Please call (513-556-4278) or email (global@uc.edu) or visit us in Edwards Center One, Suite 3134.