

WHY STUDY IN URUGUAY?

A stable, safe and quality life country (#1 in civil liberties, rule of law, low perception of corruption, equity and social mobility in Latin America)	Connections that allow flexibility to build contact networks and job opportunities
At the forefront of sustainability (94% of energy comes from renewable sources and with one of the best performances in ESG)	Hub of business and international organizations
Leader in connectivity and communication (#1 in adoption of ICTs and E-Government development)	Incubators, funds, startups and open laboratories (Newlab, Microsoft Lab, Institute Pasteur, Ingenio, Khem & ANII)
Qualified, competitive and multilingual local talent	600kms of coastline and beautiful beaches, hot springs, wineries and more

Student Exchange Program

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Academic calendar 2026

March – July 2026 (1st. semester)

Orientation (mandatory)	March 4, 5 and 6
Semester begins	March 9
Semester ends	July 10
Examination period	No exams
Easter break	March 30 - April 3
Issue of transcripts	Two months after the end of the semester

August –December 2026 (2nd. Semester)

Orientation (mandatory)	July 28 , 29 and 30
Semester begins	August 3
Semester ends	December 5
Examination period	No exams
Summer break	January
Issue of transcripts	Two months after the end of the semester

Exchange application

Deadlines	November 15, 2025 (1 st semester 2026) April 30, 2026 (2 nd semester 2026)
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Language of Instruction	Spanish	
Requirements	B1 level (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages – CEFR)	
Intensive Spanish course (pre-semester) – For beginners (A2 level)- NO COST		
Dates:	March – July 2026	August - December 2026
	February 23 to March 6	July 20 to July 31
Last deadline to register:	February 10	July 10
Recommended courses for exchange students		
1 st semester		2 nd semester
Historical process of Uruguay		Latin American and Uruguayan thinking
Spanish (B1 level)		Spanish (B1 level)
Spanish (B2 level)		Spanish (B2 level)
Uruguayan culture		Uruguayan culture
Uruguayan literature		Uruguayan literature
Logistics and supply chain – Minor Doing business in LATAM (in English)		Logistics and supply chain – Minor Doing business in LATAM (in English)
Business Strategies – Minor Doing business in LATAM (in English)		Business Strategies – Minor Doing business in LATAM (in English)
Agribusiness in Latin America – Minor Doing business in LATAM (in English)		Agribusiness in Latin America – Minor Doing business in LATAM (in English)
Entrepreneurship & Innovation(in English)		Entrepreneurship & Innovation (In English)
Language of instruction		
Language of instruction	Spanish	
Requirements	B1 level (Common European Framework of Reference for Languages – CEFR)	

Minors

Minors are a trajectory made up of elective training activities under a central theme. Its purpose is for the student to acquire skills or tools from a field other than those that constitute the central core of undergraduate training, using subjects from other curricula.

To obtain a minor, the student must complete 24 credits from a group of minor-related courses.

More information:

carreras.ucu.edu.uy/programas/minors

Minor	About this minor
Doing Business in Latin America	The minor in Doing Business in Latin America will complement the academic training of students with specific courses taught in English, in addition to the current mandatory courses. This proposal will not only allow students to complement their academic training in a language widely used in the international business field but will also contribute to enhancing the Global Vision dimension in their graduation profile.
Latin American studies	The minor in Latin American Studies will allow you to develop your world view in Latin America and the Caribbean and will enable you to perform professionally in the region. Through interdisciplinary learning, with a critical perspective, both academic and methodological, you will delve into key issues for Latin America and the Caribbean such as its history, politics, international relations and culture.
Social intervention and innovation	The minor in Social Intervention and Innovation will provide you with tools to analyze the complexity of social reality, manage community participation mechanisms, form interdisciplinary work teams, and generate creative solutions to social problems

Schools and majors	
School of Law and Liberal Arts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Communication Early Childhood Education Education for Leisure and Recreation Law Political Science Social Work Sociology Visual Arts Architecture Film 	School of Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accounting Business Management Economics Human Resources and Labor Relations International Business and Integration Finance Business Analytics
School of Engineering <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Audiovisual Engineering Computer Science Food Engineering Electronics Engineering Environmental Engineering Industrial Engineering Power Electronic Systems Engineering Telecommunications Engineering Computer Analyst (Associate's) Software Developer (Associate's) Artificial Intelligence and Data Science 	School of Health Sciences <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nursing Nursing Professionalization for Auxiliaries Physical Therapy Speech Therapy Nutrition Dentistry Psychology Psychomotor Skills Psychopedagogy Pharmacist (Associate's) Therapeutic Companion (Associate's)

Living costs
Estimated cost of living in Montevideo