



**Universidad
de Valparaíso**
CHILE

Programa de Movilidad estudiantil

Dirección de Relaciones institucionales

FACT SHEET

The University of Valparaíso is a state, public and autonomous institution, which is deployed making the region a large university campus, from its facilities that make up the Central House Campus (with headquarters in Valparaíso and Viña del Mar), the San Felipe Campus and the Santiago Campus

ABOUT US

In international matters, it has more than 100 bilateral agreements with foreign universities that allow exchange of students and faculty, while multilaterally it belongs to the Association of Universities of the Montevideo Group (AUGM) in addition to being a destination for students awarded scholarships by the Universities of the Pacific Alliance.

EXCHANGE IN THE UV

The Program is aimed at foreign students interested in carrying out an international experience with academic recognition at the University of Valparaíso.

They will receive guidance and accompaniment in useful aspects during the period they will remain at our University (subject registration process, accommodation, mobilization, etc.)

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR UV

Month	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
1° SEM	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
2° SEM						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

The initial schedule of the calendar may undergo certain modifications.

During the month of February the UV schedules its summer university recess, so all academic and administrative activities are suspended.

ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST SEMESTER (MARCH - JULY)

NOMINATION PERIOD OCTOBER 1ST-30TH

ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST SEMESTER (AGUST - DECEMBER)

NOMINATION PERIOD APRIL 1ST-30TH

ACADEMIC OFFER

The University of Valparaíso offers 44 undergraduate programs for the reception of exchange students, who will access the different theoretical subjects that each of them offers. For internship or internship programs, specific agreements between institutions are required.

The subjects taught in each semester depend on the current curriculum of every program. During the first semester the subjects located in odd semesters of each curriculum are dictated, while the second semester the even subjects are dictated.

Each career selects the offer of subjects that will be available to exchange students, according to their number of vacancies, contents, and continuity of knowledge; the offer of subjects is updated every semester and is sent in the call process to all the mobility or internationalization units of the universities with a current agreement with the UV.

SPANISH COURSES

The UV offers two Spanish courses for all international student mobility and come from non-Spanish-speaking countries. The course has a duration of 8 weeks, a total of 24 teaching hours, and a total of 2 SCT credits.

Furthermore, to apply to the UV it is recommended to have a knowledge of the Spanish language that, at least, is assimilable to level B2.



GRADES CERTIFICATE

The concentrations of grades of the subjects studied at the UV are sent to each student by email after 30 or 60 days from the end of the corresponding semester.

CREDIT SYSTEM

The UV has a system of transferable credits (SCT) that assign a value to the subjects to be taken by each student, for the calculation of this both the teaching hours of teacher-student contact are considered as well as the additional time that each student must dedicate to the deepening of the contents.

The value of hours of an SCT credit at the UV is equivalent to 27 chronological hours.

THE SCALE OF THE UV GRADES

Each subject will culminate with a final grade or grade that will correspond to the following concepts:

Grade from 1,0 to 3,9	Bad
Grade from 4,0 to 5,0	Fair
Grade from 5,1 to 6,0	Good
Grade from 6,1 to 7,0	Very good

The grade scale will be from 1.0 to 7.0.

The grades shall be expressed in whole numbers and fractions up to tenths, approaching the upper tenth the hundredths equal to or greater than 0,05 and neglecting the hundredths equal to or less than 0,04; To pass a subject it is required that the grade or final grade, calculated with due weighting, is equal to or greater than 4.0.

INDUCTION WEEK

Besides the administrative process, the Student Mobility Unit of the UV prepares a full week of induction for its national and international exchange students, in order to be able to insert them both in the university and in the life of Valparaíso.

The induction week considers from the registration and delivery of the UV exchange student kit, to then continue with tourist tours of the main sites of interest of Valparaíso and Viña del Mar (from the Reina Victoria elevator, the Concepción and Alegre hills, Sotomayor square, Prat pier, Vergara Palace, Wulff Castle, the Presidential Palace of Cerro Castillo, the Quinta Vergara Park, among others).



INTERNATIONAL STAND IN EXPO UV

This activity will give you the opportunity to represent your country in a stand and also to promote your home university. Therefore, we ask you to come prepared with relevant material, either from your country and / or University. Also on this International Day, you can prepare and present tastings, the typical dishes and drinks of your country.



USEFUL INFORMATION

STUDENTS' BENEFITS

If you obtain the long-term visa (former student visa), you will be able to access the Chilean ID number, which will give you possibilities to access:

- 1.Reduction in public transport (through the National Student Card),
- 2.Medical care in the public health network,
- 3.Request a sight bank account in one of the banks in Chile, among others.

In addition, the UV includes some services that are recognized for the entire student community:

- 1.Gym and Sports Center: Access to gym rooms, sports workshops and use spaces in the UV Sports Center located in Playa Ancha, Valparaíso.
- 2.Libraries: Access and request for texts in the network of UV libraries present in all the headquarters of the university.
- 3.Casino (Cantine): Access to the reduced rate of "UV Student" in the UV casino menu, located in the Integral Center of Student Services – CIAE UV.

ACCOMMODATIONS

The UV does not coordinate the accommodation for exchange students, but we do share with each of them a database of rents of rooms, apartments, and residences, so that each student can coordinate their accommodation in advance for the duration of their stay at the UV.

The database is shared with each student in conjunction with the acceptance letter.



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