



## York University

Institutional Exchange Partner  
Factsheet 2020-21

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# Areas of Study

- Faculty of Education (ED)
- Faculty of Environmental Studies (ES)
- Faculty of Graduate Studies (GS)
- Faculty of Health (HH)
- Faculty of Liberal Arts & Professional Studies (AP)\*
- Faculty of Science (SC)
- Glendon College (GL)
- Lassonde School of Engineering (LE)
- Osgoode Hall Law School (OS)
- School of the Arts, Media, Performance & Design (FA)

\*Excludes ADMS 1000/2000 level courses



## Not available to Exchange Students

- Biology Program at Graduate Level
- Human Resources Management Program at Graduate level
- Nursing Program
- Social Work Program
- Courses offered by Schulich School of Business

# Program Restrictions

## School of the Arts, Media, Performance & Design (AMPD)

Open only to students from the following universities:

- Bauhaus University – Weimar
- Bezalel Academic of Art and Design
- Hochschule Darmstadt
- Minzu University of China
- National Institute of Design (NID)
- Sogang University (Digital Media only)
- Towson University
- University of Chichester
- University of Leeds
- University of Northumbria

## Law (Osgoode Hall Law School)

- Students may **ONLY** apply to the JD Program and must enroll in upper year Osgoode courses.
- Students should have completed at least 6 semesters of study and have successfully completed a substantial number of law courses.
- **Students should have at least a "B" average** and the equivalent of a iBT:83 TOEFL score
- **Spaces are restricted to a maximum of 2 students per partner University**

## Political Science, Graduate level

- Space is limited; exchange students must exceed minimum requirements



## Nomination

Nomination dates for **both terms: Dec 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 - Jan -15<sup>th</sup>, 2020**. Nomination form available through our website. The link to the on-line Incoming Exchange Application will be sent to nominated students.

## Application

### Undergraduate Exchange Application

1) Students complete the online application form.

**Deadline for both terms:**

- **March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020**

2) Required supporting documents:

- Transcript (unofficial English translation)
- English Language Proficiency Letter Issued by the international office at your University confirming your English proficiency **ONLY** required if the language of instruction at your University is **NOT** English

### Graduate Exchange Application

1) Students complete the online application form.

**Deadline for both terms:**

- **February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020**

2) Required supporting documents:

- Transcripts (Undergraduate and Graduate, unofficial English translation)
- Reference Letter from graduate supervisor at home university
- Letter of Invitation from a York Professor (Research students only)
- Curriculum Vitae (two page maximum)
- English Language Proficiency Letter issued by the home university's International Office. This letter is **ONLY** required if the language of instruction at the home university is **NOT** English

Results of the admission process are available by June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Please note that processing for special, restricted and graduate programs may be longer due to the additional review required by relevant York programs.

## Language Requirement

Although York University does not require an official language proficiency score, exchange students must have sufficient skills in the English language to take classes at the University level.

## Undergraduate Credit Load

Students are allowed to take a maximum of 15 credits per term.



# Academic Dates

\*The dates below are applicable to the academic year 2019-20. Updated dates for 2019-20 can be found: <http://registrar.yorku.ca/enrol/dates/>

|                                      | Fall (F)        | Year (Y)                                          | Winter (W)       |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Classes Start</b>                 | September 4     | September 4                                       | January 6        |
| <b>Classes End</b>                   | December 3      | December 3                                        | April 5          |
| <b>Examinations</b>                  | December 5 - 20 | Fall: December 5 - 20<br>Winter: April 7 - 25     | April 7 - 25     |
| <b>Reading Week<br/>(No classes)</b> | October 12 - 18 | Fall: October 12 - 18<br>Winter: February 15 - 21 | February 15 - 21 |

## Health Insurance

Students are **automatically enrolled** in the **University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP)**. UHIP coverage and charges are mandatory for all international and exchange students even if they have purchased a plan from their home country.

**Email:** [uhip@yorku.ca](mailto:uhip@yorku.ca)

## Housing

The Housing Application Form will be provided by York International. View on campus housing options: <http://studenthousing.info.yorku.ca/>  
**Please note housing is not guaranteed.**



## Immigration

It is the student's responsibility to find out the immigration requirements and to obtain the necessary documents for travel to Canada. Students can find this information by contacting a Canadian Consular Office near them. For more information on immigration visit: <http://yorkinternational.yorku.ca/go-global/immigration/>

**Email:** [iadvisor@yorku.ca](mailto:iadvisor@yorku.ca)

## Estimated Expenses

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|------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>On Campus Accommodations</b>                |                                                                                                                           |
| <b>Undergraduate</b>                           | Min \$3,000 CAD per term + meal plan                                                                                      |
| <b>Graduate</b>                                | Bachelor Apartment starting at \$1000 CAD per month                                                                       |
| <b>Textbooks and supplies</b>                  | \$800-1000 CAD *varies by program                                                                                         |
| <b>University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP)</b> | \$212 CAD per term                                                                                                        |
| <b>Food</b>                                    | \$250-400 CAD per month                                                                                                   |
| <b>Local Public Transportation</b>             | TTC Metropass \$130 CAD per month<br>Up to date fares can be found at <a href="http://www.ttc.ca/">http://www.ttc.ca/</a> |
| <b>Entertainment</b>                           | \$75-100 CAD per month                                                                                                    |