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Course Catalogue

## Academic Calendar 2017

1st semester	Academic Period: Early March – Mid July. Exams: July, 2017 Winter Vacations: Two weeks on July 2017 Nomination by Partner Universities: From September 20th until October 28th, 2016. Application Period for students: From September 26th until November 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2016.		
2nd semester	Academic Period: Late June – Mid December.  Exams: December, 2017  Winter Vacations: From late December 2017 until late February 2018.  Nomination by Partner Universities: From March 6th until April 13th, 2017  Application period for students: From March 13th until April 28th, 2017		
	Application		
Language Requirement	The equivalent of 6 semesters of Spanish courses or DELE B1		
Application Requirements	<ol> <li>Most updated Transcript of Records, including approved courses and grades. The Student Mobility Program requires students to have achieved a grade average equal or superior to 5.0 thus far. (Please refer to the Chilean equivalencies of grades)</li> <li>Support Letter provided by the home institution, including a learning agreement approved by the University. For students not belonging to a Partner University, a recommendation letter by a professor or the University must be attached.</li> <li>Language certificate, proving Spanish language command of at least B1. If provided by the University, it must be stamped and signed by the institution.</li> <li>Copy of Passport (Identification page).</li> <li>Motivation Letter, stating the academic and personal reasons for making an exchange at the University of Chile. (In Spanish)</li> </ol>		
Online Application	Instructions: uchile.cl/u6719		
	Application site: movilidadinternacional.uchile.cl		

http://uchile.cl/u126314

When reviewing the range of courses for foreign students, should select the equivalent semester they will come to the University of Chile





# Orientation week for exchange students

Useful Information

Studies

1st Semester	Early March 2017
2nd Semester	Late July or early August 2017

Housing	The University of Chile does not have accommodation or housing. For further information concerning private lodging, please contact pme@u.uchile.cl	
Arrival dates for exchange students	For the first and second semester 2017, we suggest to be in Chile one week before orientation.	
Living expenses	Average cost for housing and meals per month is approximately US\$600 - \$US\$800	
Spanish course	For those interested in improving their Spanish proficiency, information about courses is available at <a href="http://uchile.cl/u6694">http://uchile.cl/u6694</a> . Please get in contact with Claudia Flores for further assistance <a href="mailto:cflores@u.uchile.cl">cflores@u.uchile.cl</a>	

Academic workload for International Students	Students must complete from 3 to 4 courses per semester (according to exchange agreements). International students will require to be enrolled on no more than 5 courses.  12 to 20 hours per week are considered as full workload in one semester.
Transcript of Records	Records will be sent to the International Office of each Partner University, four weeks after the end of each semester.





#### **Grades System**

Mark	%	Grade	Comment
7	100	A+	SuperiorAchievement
6.5	95	A	
6	90	A-	Very good
5,5	80	B+	
5	70	В	Good
4.5	65	B-	
4	60	С	Fair – passing grade
3 a 1	50 a 10	Da F	Fail

Note: The academic level at the University of Chile requires the acceptance of students with grades average equal or superior to 5.0

### Credit System

The student Mobility Program conducts the entry of International Students to the University of Chile in order to allow them to pursue courses in different faculties and institutes.

All courses enrolled by International Students through the Student Mobility Program are expressed on credits, according to the table below, which considers only the actual attendance or teaching hours and associate them to a number of credits for each class/course.

Teaching Hours	Credits UCHILE	
1 -2,5	8	
3 - 4	10	
4,5 - 6,5	12	
7 - 9	15	
9,5 - 11,5	17	
12 o más	20	
Sport and Cultural	5	

Update

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