



## Georgia State University Fact Sheet for Incoming Exchange Students/Exchange Partners

GENERAL INFORMATION	
<b>Name of University</b>	Georgia State University
<b>University Website</b>	<a href="https://www.gsu.edu">https://www.gsu.edu</a>
<b>Office Information</b>	<p><b>Office of International Initiatives</b> Associate Provost for International Initiatives: Dr. Carrie Manning Senior Director, Office of International Initiatives: Jennifer Evanuiik</p> <p><b>Study Abroad Programs Office</b> Director of Study Abroad Programs: Dr. Laura Boudon <b>Email:</b> <a href="mailto:mystudyabroad@gsu.edu">mystudyabroad@gsu.edu</a> <b>Telephone:</b> +1 404 413 2529 <b>Mailing Address:</b> Dahlberg Hall, Suite 300 30 Courtland St SE Atlanta, GA 30303 United States of America</p>
<b>Website for Incoming Exchange</b>	Please follow the link <a href="#">here</a> to view the GSU Incoming Exchange website.
<b>Outbound Exchange Primary Contact</b>	Mr. Pernell Whitfield Outbound Exchange Program Coordinator Email: <a href="mailto:outgoingexchange@gsu.edu">outgoingexchange@gsu.edu</a> Phone: +1 404 413 2529
<b>Inbound Exchange Primary Contact</b>	Mr. Joshua Hudson, Director of Study Abroad Programs Email: <a href="mailto:incomingexchange@gsu.edu">incomingexchange@gsu.edu</a> Phone: +1 404 413 2529

ACADEMICS		
<b>Academic Calendar</b>	<b>Fall Term:</b>	August – December
	<b>Spring Term:</b>	January – May
	<b>Online Academic Calendars:</b>	<a href="https://registrar.gsu.edu/registration/semester-calendars-exam-schedules/">https://registrar.gsu.edu/registration/semester-calendars-exam-schedules/</a>
<b>Language of Instruction</b>	At Georgia State, the language of instruction is English. Incoming exchange students will be required to submit <a href="#">English language proficiency test scores</a> .	
<b>Course Catalog</b>	More information about course offerings can be found <a href="#">here</a> .	



## STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

<b>Course Load</b>	<p>Undergraduate exchange students are required to register for a minimum of 12 US credit hours (recommended 12-15 US credit hours). This is a requirement of the J-1 exchange visa.</p> <p>Graduate exchange students are required to register for a minimum of 9 US credit hours (recommended 9 – 12 US Credit hours). This is a requirement of the J-1 exchange visa.</p>
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### ADMISSIONS PROCESS

<b>Nomination Deadlines</b>	Fall Term:	March 1 <sup>st</sup>
	Spring Term:	October 1 <sup>st</sup>
	<p>Exchange partner institutions should follow their own internal, institutional procedures for selecting candidates for the incoming student exchange program at Georgia State University. Once candidates are selected, the name and basic contact information should be provided to the corresponding GSU Exchange Program Director.</p> <p>(Please note: If you are not sure who your institution's corresponding Exchange Program Director is, please contact us at <a href="mailto:outgoingexchange@gsu.edu">outgoingexchange@gsu.edu</a> OR <a href="mailto:incomingexchange@gsu.edu">incomingexchange@gsu.edu</a> for assistance.)</p>	
<b>Application Deadlines</b>	Fall Term:	March 1 <sup>st</sup>
	Spring Term:	October 1 <sup>st</sup>
	<p>Once an incoming exchange student has been nominated for participation in the program by their home institution, the student should visit Georgia State University's Incoming Exchange student website for information regarding next steps.</p>	
<b>English Proficiency Requirements</b> <i>Minimum scores</i>	<b>TOEFL IBT:</b> 69 For all English Proficiency accepted visit here.	<b>IELTS:</b> 6

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

<b>Mandatory Health Insurance Requirement</b>	<p>All international students at GSU are required to have health insurance that complies with the US Affordable Care Act during their stay in the USA. For details about the required insurance, please follow the link <a href="#">here</a>.</p>
<b>Accommodations</b>	<p>Georgia State University is happy to offer housing in our campus residence halls for all incoming exchange students on a first-come first-serve basis. Students who choose to stay with University Housing will be required to apply through the University Housing website for their specific housing assignment. Students are also required to pay the relevant rate for their University Housing assignment.</p> <p>For more details about accommodations through University Housing, please follow the link <a href="#">here</a>.</p>



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<b>Student activities and organizations on campus</b>	All student organizations and activities on campus at GSU can be found in the <a href="#">Panther Involvement Network</a> .
<b>Cost of Attendance</b>	For more information on estimated costs for incoming exchange students, please follow the link <a href="#">here</a> and review the section titled "Costs."