



# STUDENT EXCHANGE LANCASTER UNIVERSITY

## > UNITED KINGDOM

Awarded the Sunday Times, Good University Guide, "University of the Year" in 2018 and ranked in the Top 10 in all three major UK university league tables and ranked in the Top 1% of universities globally, Lancaster University is frequently singled out for its high levels of graduate employment. Located amongst 560-acres of parkland, with it's own theatre, contemporary art gallery and concert series. Lancaster University places emphasis on strong student experience and employability.

### About Lancaster

Located in northwest England, Lancaster is a small city about a 1 and a half hour train journey north of Manchester and 2 and a half hours by train to London. Lancaster hosts almost 3000 international students a year and is a beautiful city with access to city, coast and countryside. Home to the medieval Lancaster Castle, the Queens only castle in the North of England. Its courtrooms have witnessed famous trials over the centuries, including those of the Lancashire Witches, convicted and sentenced to death in 1612. Explore the stories of the thousands of convicts deported to the Colonies during the 17th and 18th centuries. Stroll along the city's historic canal or take a canal boat cruise to the magnificent Lune Aqueduct, a striking architectural gem. Discover Lancaster's Roman, maritime, Georgian and Victorian history at the four city museums and make time to explore the city's traditional pubs, famous for live music and great ales, many brewed locally.

### Why should I go on exchange?

By undertaking study overseas you gain a global perspective, increase your knowledge and develop new networks, enriching your life experience.

### What can I study?

A variety of semester long courses are available in both the Autumn and Spring Semesters. Discipline areas for both undergraduate and postgraduate courses include:

- Accounting

- Arts Management - postgraduate
- Business
- Economics
- Entrepreneurship
- Finance
- Human Resource Management - postgraduate
- International Business
- Law
- Management
- Marketing

### What does it cost?

As an exchange partner with the University of South Australia, you do not have to pay fees at Lancaster University as these are included as part of your fees at UniSA.

Travel and living expenses are at your own cost. The table below gives an indication of costs you will incur:

| ITEM   | COST                    |
|--|-------------------------|
| Return flights - Adelaide to Manchester                              | \$1900                  |
| Return train and bus from Manchester Airport to Lancaster University | \$75 - \$105            |
| Accommodation - on-campus, single bedroom, private ensuite           | \$800 per month         |
| Health insurance   | \$120 per semester      |
| Meals  | \$300 - \$500 per month |
| Entertainment and incidentals including phone, laundry etc.          | \$550 - \$600 per month |

## Key dates

The following term dates apply to undergraduate courses:

- Michaelmas Term: October - December which corresponds with UniSA Study Period 5. The closing date for applications is January 11.
- Lent Term: January - March which corresponds with UniSA Study Period 2. The closing date for applications is August 1.
- Summer Term: April - June which corresponds with UniSA Study Period 2. The closing date for applications is August 1.

## How to apply

For questions or advice about which course can fit within your UniSA program please contact the Student Mobility team at the UniSA Business School. To apply for an exchange program, visit the Study Overseas website at [unisa.edu.au/Student-Life/Global-opportunities/study-overseas/How-to-apply/Full-semester-exchange-application](http://unisa.edu.au/Student-Life/Global-opportunities/study-overseas/How-to-apply/Full-semester-exchange-application)

All exchanges are managed by the study overseas team at UniSA International who will help you apply for your exchange and will contact the partner institution on your behalf.

## Entry requirements

Undergraduate students should have completed at least 36 units of their Business degree. Postgraduate students should have completed at least 9 units of their Masters degree. For Non-English speakers, supporting documents demonstrating English language proficiency are required.

## Accommodation

On-campus accommodation is available and there are a variety of



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room types on campus, some with en suite facilities and some with a shared bathroom. The accommodation has been rated in the UK's best residence halls. Lancaster University also offers catered accommodation. Further information can be found on at: <http://www.lancaster.ac.uk/facilities/accommodation/>

## Credit information

Lancaster University uses the ECTS (European Credit Transfer System). A standard workload is 30 ECTS per semester. Credit for one UniSA 4.5 unit subject requires a minimum of 7.5 ECTS study. Applicants may undertake a 75% study load on exchange. Students can only study 24 ECTS if exchanging in Lancaster's shorter Michaelmas term (usually UniSA SP5). This will equate to 13.5 UniSA units.

## Travel information

Visas are not required for Australian Citizens if their stay is less than 6 months. All other nationalities should check with their travel agent and provide sufficient time to obtain their visa prior to travel as it can be a lengthy process.

## Travel grant & scholarship information

Minimise your out of pocket travel expenses by applying for one of the University's international travel grants. If you are approved for one of our exchange programs you are eligible to apply. Each eligible student can receive up to \$2500 total in travel grants over their student life at UniSA.

The UniSA Business School also provides Student Mobility Grants. For more information, visit our website at [i.unisa.edu.au/students/business/exchange/grants/](http://i.unisa.edu.au/students/business/exchange/grants/)

Undergraduate students may apply for Australian Government OS-Help loans to assist with their expenses.

## Insurances

UniSA provides exchange students with Travel Insurance for study related travel. Additionally, it is mandatory for all students on exchange to have private health insurance with full coverage for sickness, emergencies, repatriation sufficient to cover all medical expenses in the United Kingdom.

### Student Mobility

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