AY 2020-2021 Factsheet

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Important Dates & Deadlines

Exchange Application Deadline
Fall Semester: March 1
Spring Semester: September 1

Academic Term Dates
Fall Semester: September 2 - December 21, 2020
Spring Semester: January 25 - May 18, 2021

Expected Arrival/Move-In Date
Fall Semester: Saturday, August 29, 2020
Spring Semester: Sunday, January 24, 2021

Mandatory Orientation Program
Fall Semester: Monday, August 31, 2020
Spring Semester: Tuesday, January 26, 2021

Optional - NYU Housing Application Deadlines
Fall Semester: Mid-May
Spring Semester: Early November

Matriculation & Visa Process

Students will need to complete two application forms – one to be matriculated as students at NYU and another to apply for the DS-2019 (Certificate of Eligibility for J-1 visa status). The DS-2019 will be generated and sent out by NYU’s Office of Global Services (OGS). This important form is one of the documents required to apply for the J-1 student visa at a local US consulate or embassy. The IBEX Exchange office will email an acceptance letter directly to students, which is also required for the visa application.

Please note that the processing fee for the DS-2019 is $90 and the mailing fee is $50. Students are also required to attend the Check-in Workshop given by OGS prior to the start of the semester. IBEX exchange students have full access to the services offered by the Office of Global Services throughout their exchange.

NYU Housing & Accommodations

Students have the option of applying for NYU-on campus housing or seeking off-campus accommodation. As there is limited capacity, the NYU Housing Office cannot guarantee on-campus housing (particularly for Fall). Students are provided with an off campus resource guide. Visit the NYU Housing webpage for more information: www.nyu.edu/housing.

Living Costs

- **Housing**: Varies between $5,440 to $11,065 USD per semester
- **Food**: You have the option to enroll in a NYU meal plan, which can range from approximately $1,375 to $2,870 USD per semester.
- **Books**: Approximately $700 to $800 USD per semester
- **Local Transportation**: Free NYU shuttle buses to NYU buildings and residence halls. New York City subway and bus service is accessible to all parts of the city ($2.75 per one-way trip).
- **Health Insurance**: The estimated 2020-2021 year-long annual fee for students (Comprehensive Plan): $3,912. Fall semester students only: $1,507. Spring semester students only: $2,405 (higher because it also covers summer). Please note that these costs are estimates and are subject to change. Required Immunizations: All students must show proof of immunizations. Go to [https://www.nyu.edu/students/health-and-wellness/next-stop-health-requirements.html](https://www.nyu.edu/students/health-and-wellness/next-stop-health-requirements.html) for more information.
NYU Stern Academics: Course Registration Timeline and Details


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<td>Course Listings Available</td>
<td>Mid-March</td>
<td>End of October</td>
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<td>Submit Course Registration Worksheet</td>
<td>Early April</td>
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- Course descriptions are available in the Stern Undergraduate Bulletin at [http://www.stern.nyu.edu/portal-partners/current-students/undergraduate/resources-policies/academic-bulletin](http://www.stern.nyu.edu/portal-partners/current-students/undergraduate/resources-policies/academic-bulletin).
- Stern course syllabi are available on-line at [http://w4.stern.nyu.edu/uccoursedesc/courses](http://w4.stern.nyu.edu/uccoursedesc/courses).
- Students can take classes from a variety of departments and concentrations. Certain restrictions and caps apply:
  - maximum of two finance courses and/or two economics courses per semester
  - maximum of one non-Stern course (pending approval/availability) per semester
  - no graduate level (MBA) courses

### Learning Expectations

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<th>Class Format</th>
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<td>Grading</td>
<td>A (highest grade), A-, B+, B, B-, C+, C-, D+, D, F (failing)</td>
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<td>Class Size</td>
<td>Varies from 25 to 100 students depending on the subject</td>
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<td>Course Load</td>
<td>12 to 18 credits a semester (average student takes 16 credits). These credits are comprised of 2, 3, and 4 credit courses, so a student could take 4 to 6 classes for a full time schedule. Most courses are 3 or 4 credits.</td>
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<td>Examinations</td>
<td>Grades are determined by a combination of one or more factors, which could include exams, group projects, papers, class participation, and presentations.</td>
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### English Language Ability

All courses are conducted in English and involve discussion, group work and presentations that require strong English speaking and listening skills.

- Students from partner universities in Australia, the United Kingdom, Singapore, or from Hong Kong University of Science & Technology do not need to submit any proof of English language ability.
- Students in a degree program taught entirely in English at their home university must provide a letter stating such – on official letterhead, dated, and signed by their international office. It must describe how this English language ability was determined for entrance into the home university program.
- Students who do not fit into one of the two categories above must provide TOEFL or IELTS test scores with the minimum scores listed below:
  - 7.5 on the IELTS test;
  - 100 on the TOEFL iBT (Internet Based Test);
  - OR 250 on the TOEFL Computer Based Test

### Student Services for Visiting Students:

- Participate in IBEX Buddy Program & events – paired with a full time Stern student who has studied abroad
- Attend the NYU Stern IBEX orientation session and welcome event, two social events, and farewell event
- Join Stern student clubs and all-NYU clubs and organizations
- Access to recreation/fitness facilities, computing, library, health services, and counseling services available
- Purchase discount movie, theater, and concert passes as NYU’s Box Office