

## **Information for Students**

A.	Unive	rsity	University of Maryland			
			http://www.umd.edu/			
			http://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/education-abroad/incoming- exchanges			
В.	Country		USA			
C.	C. Academics					
	i)	Module Mapping & Credits	Please ensure that your Study Plan is approved by the academics at your home Faculty before the exchange.			
		Transfer	Modules approved in the past might not be offered by the host university or approved by your Faculty when it is time for your exchange. Please check the latest course offerings at the host universities while you are preparing your Study Plan.			
	ii)	Academic Calendar	http://www.provost.umd.edu/calendar/			
	iii)	Exchange Duration	One semester			
	iv)	Examination	Students should check the exam timetable at their host university, and ensure they can stay at their host university until after the end of the official exam period.			
	v)	Curriculum Structure				
	vi)	Entry Requirements	CAP of 3.5 out of 5.0 with no grade below C			
	vii)	Language Proficiency Requirements	English			
	viii)	Modules Compatibility	Suitable for students from the following Faculties (this does not mean there will be places available for each Faculty).			
			Biz			
			FASS			
			FoE			



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		SoC
		Classes: https://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/education-
		abroad/academics
ix)	Module	Restrictions for Exchange Students
	restrictions and pre- requisites	University of Maryland has a number of Limited Enrolment Programmes; it is highly recommended that students apply by the <u>best consideration</u> <u>deadline</u> (if officially nominated for the exchange by their home Faculty at NUS) so the University of Maryland Exchange Team will be able to request an early registration time for those students.
		Undergraduate exchange students must take a minimum of 12 credits per semester, which is typically the equivalent of 4 courses. Generally, University of Maryland students do not take more than 2 or 3 classes within their major discipline of study during the semester. Exchange students should plan to take a few elective classes as well as 2 or 3 classes in their major discipline of study. Exchange students are expected to select their first choice classes and an alternative class list with their application. University of Maryland cannot guarantee that students will be able to register for particular classes at University of Maryland.
		Exchange students can select from thousands of course offerings over 10 colleges. A complete list of current course offerings can be found on the UMD Schedule of Classes (link is external).
		Students should refer to the following pages for information on the Academics at University of Maryland: <a href="https://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/education-abroad/academics">https://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/education-abroad/academics</a>
D. Appl	ication	
i)	Procedures	All NUS students have to be nominated by NUS before they can apply for a fee-waiver exchange at the host university.
		The application procedures and list of supporting documents needed by the host university can be found in the SharePoint.
		Please look for the SEP coordinator at your Dean's Office for the link to the SharePoint.
ii)	Deadlines	All NUS students must abide by the internal application deadline set by their home Faculty for exchange participation in the following academic year. After clearing the internal application and selection process, students have to take note of the application deadline set by the host university.



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Failure to submit a formal application to the host university by the stipulate	d
deadline, may result in your exchange being forfeited even if you have bee	n
selected by NUS for the exchange.	

#### E. Accommodation

# i) University Accommodation

### **Housing Options**

Undergraduate students are guaranteed housing as long as they complete the online housing application on the <u>Department of Resident Life website</u>. Instructions on how to apply for on-campus housing are provided in the post-acceptance documents on MyEA. Students can only apply for housing after they have been accepted and assigned a student and university ID number.

Housing fees depend on the type of housing that is assigned – see the <u>Department of Resident Life</u> website.

Some on-campus accommodations do not have kitchen facilities. In these cases, students are required to purchase a meal plan and do not have the option of waiving out of an on-campus meal plan.

Students who are assigned to on-campus accommodations with a kitchen can opt out of a meal plan.

More information on housing at University of Maryland can be seen at: <a href="mailto:ttps://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/">ttps://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/</a>
<a href="mailto:education-abroad/student-life">education-abroad/student-life</a>

### F. Visa

# Consular/Visa Regulation

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https://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/education-abroad/visa-requirements

### G. Safety, Health & Medical Insurance

# i) Health/Medical Insurance

All registered NUS students are covered under the University health insurance and the blanket travel insurance. For more information on the University health insurance coverage, please refer to <a href="http://www.nus.edu.sg/uhc/healthservice/insurance-schemes/undergraduate-scheme.html">http://www.nus.edu.sg/uhc/healthservice/insurance-scheme.html</a>.

For more information on the blanket travel insurance, please refer to <a href="http://www.nus.edu.sg/finance/InsuranceCoverforOfficialNUSTrips.html">http://www.nus.edu.sg/finance/InsuranceCoverforOfficialNUSTrips.html</a>



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All exchange students going to University of Maryland are required to have health insurance while they are in the US as per J-1 visa requirements. If students do not already have health insurance that covers the minimum requirements (<a href="http://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/international-students-scholar-services/health-insurance-0">http://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/international-students-scholar-services/health-insurance-0</a>), students can purchase health insurance through the UM Health Center. The Student Policy meets the J-1 insurance regulations. Click here for <a href="more information about health-insurance">more information about health-insurance</a>

Please refer to the following link to find out more about University of Maryland's Health Services and Vaccination requirements: https://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/education-abroad/student-life

ii) Emergency Number at host university

### H. Cost of Living

# i) Estimated Monthly Living Expenses

(Tuition is waived for exchange students): Exchange students accepted by University of Maryland are waived from paying University of Maryland tuition fees, most mandatory student services fees, and application fees to University of Maryland. Incoming exchange students will be required to pay a student activity fee to University of Maryland. This fee will be automatically charged to the student's University of Maryland account. Information regarding the student activity fee will be updated every year on the University of Maryland Bursar website: http://bursar.umd.edu/Tuitionfees.php

Students are also responsible for housing & food costs, books for classes, visa application fees, any health center visit costs, health insurance policy costs, and additional exchange student activities that are not free.

Please note the 'Proof of Financial Support' section on the University of Maryland's Exchange webpages:

https://globalmaryland.umd.edu/offices/education-abroad/eligibility