OPEN FRONTIERS, BUILD BRIDGES

BECOME AN INTERNATIONAL GRADUATE STUDENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA
TOP 6%
#62 OUT OF 1,000 UNIVERSITIES WORLDWIDE
Center for World University Rankings 2018-2019

#4 in number of PhD degrees awarded to international students in the United States of America
Survey for Earned Doctorates 2017

WHY PUT UF ON YOUR MAP?

The UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA is a major research powerhouse where 3,000-plus international students from more than 120 countries make up over 27% of the graduate student body — enhancing both diversity on campus and UF’s global impact.

UF’s home base of GAINESVILLE is an emerging tech hub that offers an attractive mix of affordable living, cross-cultural diversity, outdoor recreation, a vibrant arts scene, entertaining nightlife, and free student public transportation, all within convenient reach of Florida’s coastal beaches, urban centers, and tourist destinations.

Tallahassee (TLH) 245 km · 2.5 hours by car
Jacksonville (JAX) 115 km · 1.5 hours by car
Gainesville (GNV)
Orlando (ORL) 180 km · 2 hours by car
Tampa (TPA) 210 km · 2 hours by car
Miami (MIA) 545 km · 5 hours by car
THE WORLD COMES TOGETHER IN THE HEART OF NORTH CENTRAL FLORIDA

AT THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA, international students like you in some 290 UF doctoral, specialist, and master’s degree programs turn graduate education and research into a dynamic force that can open frontiers, build bridges, and shape a better world.
Early Childhood Education (M)
Educational Leadership (DMPS)
Elementary Education (M)
English Education (M)
Higher Education Administration (DP)
Marriage and Family Counseling (MS)
Mathematics Education (M)
Mental Health Counseling (MS)
Program Evaluation in Educational Environments (M)
Reading Education (M)
Research and Evaluation Methodology (DMP)
School Counseling and Guidance (MS)
School Psychology (DMPS)
Science Education (M)
Social Studies Education (M)
Special Education (DMPS)
Student Personnel in Higher Education (M)

ENGINEERING
eng.ufl.edu
Aerospace Engineering (MP)
Agricultural and Biological Engineering (MP)
Biomedical Engineering (MP)
Chemical Engineering (MP)
Civil Engineering (MP)
Coastal and Oceanographic Engineering (MP)
Computer Engineering (MP)
Computer Science (MP)
Digital Arts and Sciences (M)
Electrical and Computer Engineering (MP)
Environmental Engineering Sciences (MP)
Human-Centered Computing (P)
Industrial and Systems Engineering (MP)
Materials Science and Engineering (MP)
Mechanical Engineering (MP)
Nuclear Engineering Sciences (MP)

HEALTH & HUMAN PERFORMANCE
hphp.ufl.edu
Applied Physiology and Kinesiology (M)
Health and Human Performance (P)
Health Education and Behavior (M)
Sport Management (M)
Tourism and Recreation Management (M)

JOURNALISM & COMMUNICATIONS
jou.ufl.edu
Advertising (M)
Mass Communication (MP)

LIBERAL ARTS & SCIENCES
clas.ufl.edu
Anthropology (MP)
Astronomy (MP)
Botany (MP)
Chemistry (MP)
Classical Studies (MP)
Computer Science (M)
Counseling Psychology (P)
Creative Writing (M)
Criminology, Law, and Society (MP)
Economics (MP)
English (MP)
French and Francophone Studies (M)
Geography (MP)
Geology (MP)
German (MP)
History (MP)
Latin (M)
Latin American Studies (M)
Linguistics (MP)
Mathematics (MP)
Philosophy (MP)
Physics (MP)
Plant Molecular and Cellular Biology (MP)
Political Science (MP)
Political Science - International

MEDICINE
med.ufl.edu
Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (M)
Epidemiology (MP)
Genetics and Genomics (M)
Medical Sciences (MP)

NURSING
nursing.ufl.edu
Nursing (M)
Nursing Sciences (P)

PHARMACY
cop.ufl.edu
Pharmaceutical Sciences (MP)

PUBLIC HEALTH & HEALTH PROFESSIONS
phhp.ufl.edu
Audiology (D)
Biostatistics (MP)
Communication Sciences and Disorders (MP)
Environmental and Global Health (M)
Epidemiology (MP)
Health Administration (M)
Health Services Research (P)
Occupational Therapy (M)
Psychology (MP)
Public Health (MP)
Rehabilitation Science (P)

VETERINARY MEDICINE
vetmed.ufl.edu
Veterinary Medical Sciences (MP)
COSTS & FUNDING

UF’s comparatively low tuition rates and Gainesville’s reasonable cost of living give you affordable access to quality graduate education backed by $865 MILLION in research funding over the last academic year.

Tuition (24 credits) $30,130
Books/Supplies 1,300
Room/Utilities (Off Campus) 8,390
Food (Off Campus) 4,470
Personal 1,160
Computer 1,360
Health Insurance (Mandatory) 2,238
Between Term Expenses 1,000

TOTAL $50,008

These costs are estimates that can change at any time. For the latest information on estimated expenses, start-up costs, and transferring money to cover initial expenses, please go online to internationalcenter.ufl.edu/start-up.

At UF, many forms of funding pave the way to your graduate degree. Departments offer tuition savings and financial support through assistantships, fellowships, Graduate School Preeminence Awards, and Graduate School Funding Awards to qualified students. For more information, contact your department of interest: graduateschool.ufl.edu/contacts.

Many other scholarships, grants, loans, and other forms of funding are available through the UF Graduate School, UF International Center, the UF Office of Research, the UF Graduate Student Council and other UF agencies. To find out more, please go online to graduateschool.ufl.edu/funding.

LANGUAGE PROGRAMS

English Language Institute (ELI)

The English Language Institute (ELI) hosts immersion programs and intensive classes to improve reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills among those for whom English is a second language.

ELI instruction offers many benefits, such as small classes, terms ranging from six to 14 weeks, interaction with conversation partners, and evening and weekend activities to enhance linguistic agility and cultural acclimation.

Also, earning a UF ELI exit certificate can exempt you, at your degree program’s discretion, from submitting IELTS, MELAB, or TOEFL scores when you apply for admission.

ELI is accredited by the Commission on English Language Program Accreditation (CEA) and is a founding member of University and College Intensive English Programs (UCIEP) and the Florida Intensive English Consortium (FIEC).

For the latest information on program options, class calendars, costs, and other details, go online to eli.ufl.edu.

Academic Spoken English (ASE)

Academic Spoken English (ASE) holds classes and testing to hone the spoken English fluency needed for success as a graduate student, teaching assistant, or researcher.

ASE’s small class size and one-on-one attention enable you to better public speaking and interpersonal communication techniques.

ASE also offers SPEAK Tests to qualify international students for teaching assistantships in line with Florida law.

For more information on ASE class and test offerings, go online to ase.ufl.edu.
STUDENT LIFE:
RESOURCES & SERVICES

UF offers many services and resources to make you feel welcome as an international graduate student and help you take your educational experience to the next level.

The International Center is “a home away from home” for international students, helping them to smooth their arrival and adjust to life in an unfamiliar country, while also hosting study abroad and scholarly exchange initiatives like the UF Fulbright Program: internationalcenter.ufl.edu.

Housing and Residence Education connects students with housing options on and off campus: www.housing.ufl.edu.

The Student Health Care Center offers medical services to keep our student body healthy: shcc.ufl.edu.

The Counseling and Wellness Center provides one-on-one counseling, group workshops, and special programs on handling change and growth in graduate school — with unique outreach to international students through its UF Gator International Focus Team (UFGIFT): counseling.ufl.edu.

The Disability Resource Center accommodates physical, learning, sensory, or psychological needs to promote equal access to education: drc.dso.ufl.edu.

The Campus Multi-Faith Cooperative taps international students into inspiration, insight, and involvement through spirituality and fellowship drawn from many faith traditions around the world: www.facebook.com/UFCMC.

The Career Connections Center supplies information, advising, and workshops on developing job-hunting skills and finding employment opportunities for international students planning on working in America or abroad: www.crc.ufl.edu.

Multicultural and Diversity Affairs fosters inclusiveness to highlight the diversity of ethnic, gender, and cultural identity that makes up the mosaic of our campus community: multicultural.ufl.edu.

Student Activities and Involvement opens opportunities for social interaction and cultural enrichment through organizations and special events among students with shared interests: www.studentinvolvement.ufl.edu.
GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA: A PLACE FOR LEARNING AND LIVING

GAINESVILLE is a crossroads where nature and culture, down-home roots and international diversity, affordable living and personal enrichment all intersect in the heart of north central Florida.

It’s a habitat where you can explore the great outdoors at a bevy of hiking trails, parks, lakes, rivers, and springs. It’s an incubator where you can stimulate your mind and imagination at local museums, theaters, art galleries, and music venues.

It’s a smorgasbord where you can sate your appetite at a wide variety of restaurants featuring worldwide and world-class cuisines.

And it’s an arena where you can cheer on the hometown team or get in on the action at any number of athletic and recreational facilities.

To discover just what Gainesville has to offer outside the classroom or laboratory, check out these online links:

City of Gainesville  cityofgainesville.org
Visit Gainesville www.visitgainesville.com

Getting around town is easy, thanks to a bicyclist-friendly environment and a city-wide bus system that is free for UF students — and the local airport makes for convenient travel:

Regional Transit System  go-rts.com
Gainesville Regional Airport  flygainesville.com

For families with children, Gainesville offers a range of school options, both public and private:

Alachua County Public Schools  www.sbac.edu
Private School Review  www.privateschoolreview.com

As an added bonus, Gainesville is but an hour-plus drive from Florida’s Atlantic and Gulf Coast beaches, as well as within convenient reach of major urban hubs, airline destinations, and tourist attractions in Orlando, Tampa, Miami, Jacksonville, and Tallahassee.
WE’RE PULLING FOR YOU
Team Grad School: At Work Behind the Scenes

The UF Graduate School is a service-driven team here to help our coworkers across campus — colleges, departments, and graduate degree programs — to usher you from admission to graduation with administrative, funding, and mentoring support.

**Administration** coordinates policies and procedures to ensure the integrity, thoroughness, and value of your graduate education at UF.

**Data Management** harnesses information, statistics, and technology to track your progress through your degree program and take stock of our institution’s effectiveness.

**Editorial** sees you through the process of finishing, formatting, and submitting your thesis or dissertation — and also maintains UF’s graduate catalog.

**Graduate Student Affairs** hosts a variety of services and programs to enhance your personal growth and academic success as part of UF’s graduate student body:

- **Graduate Diversity Initiatives** fosters inclusiveness by recruiting, mentoring, and advocating for underrepresented students within the campus community.
- **Graduate International Outreach** spearheads global recruitment efforts and builds worldwide links with higher education across borders.
- **Graduate Professional Development** offers opportunities to hone academic, personal care, and career-building skills.

**Student Records** monitors your academic performance and certifies your fulfillment of all graduation requirements at the conclusion of your graduate degree program.

APPLY TODAY!
Applying for graduate admission to UF is easy.

1. Contact the degree program you are interested in to find out specific application requirements and deadlines: graduateschool.ufl.edu/contacts
2. Read the graduate admission requirements and instructions on the UF Office of Admissions website: admissions.ufl.edu/apply/graduate
3. Submit your admission application, application fee, personal statement, complete and up-to-date résumé or curriculum vitae (including all post-high school education and employment, plus information about ongoing international affiliations and research funding), and recommendation letters online: www.applyweb.com/uflgrad/index.ftl
4. Have your testing agency send your GRE or GMAT scores to UF (Institution Code 5812). Non-US applicants must also submit IELTS, Internet-Based TOEFL, or Paper-Based TOEFL scores. (TOEFL ITP scores are not acceptable.)
5. Have your transcripts and academic credentials from all prior institutions listed on your application (along with certified translations for documents not in English) sent to:
   
   UF Office of Admissions
   POB 114000
   Gainesville FL 32611-4000
   USA

6. Send any other materials required by your desired degree program directly to that unit: graduateschool.ufl.edu/contacts

The academic unit of your desired degree program will then review your application packet, make a decision, and notify you of it by letter or email. Neither the UF Graduate School nor the UF Office of Admissions are involved in that decision, so inquiries need to be addressed to the degree program’s academic unit.
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