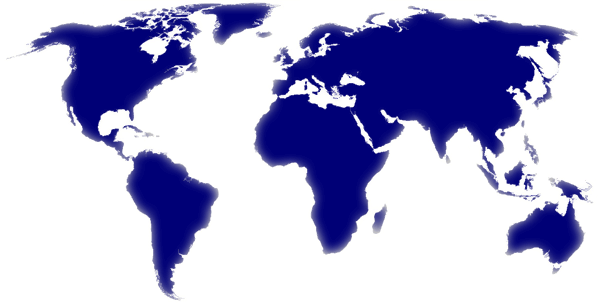
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| **The University of the Highlands and Islands** International Exchange Fact Sheet | |
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| **About Us** | We are the only university based in the Highlands and Islands of Scotland and we offer incoming international exchange applicants the choice of studying at one of our 13 campuses through the University’s International Exchange Agreements. Visit the university’s [Campuses page](https://www.uhi.ac.uk/en/campuses/) for more information on their locations and unique offerings. |
| **Contact Information** | International Exchange Coordinator: Melissa Schouten  Call: +44 (0)1463 279365  Email: international@uhi.ac.uk  Website: <https://www.uhi.ac.uk/en/> |
| **Address** | 12b Ness Walk, Inverness, Scotland IV3 5SQ |
| **Applicant Information** | |
| **Campus Specific Contacts & Information** | Please contact the International Team with any queries related to any of our 13 campuses. We can direct you to additional information or put you in touch with that campus’s International Coordinator. |
| **Courses Taught in English & Course Selection** | Course lists for the 2021-2022 academic year will be published on our website in our course catalogue <https://www.uhi.ac.uk/en/courses/> |
| **Application Information & Deadlines** | We recommend that students are nominated at least two weeks before the application deadlines:   * Academic Year 2019: 26th April 2021 * Autumn Semester 2019: 26th April 2021 * Spring Semester 2020: 15th October 2021 |
| **How to Apply** | Please see page 3 for our incoming student application form and which should be submitted along with the following supporting documentation:   * Academic Transcript * Module descriptions, in English, for all modules the applicant has completed/is currently taking at their home university that are related to the course they intend to study with us * A Statement of Purpose * A copy of a valid English Language Certificate or OLS assessment (if English is not the applicant’s first language) * A copy of the applicant’s passport |
| **Language Requirements** | Please see our Language and Visa Eligibility page. |
| **Semester Dates** | Please see the university’s [Academic Calendar page](https://www.uhi.ac.uk/en/students/academic-calendar/). |
| **Practical Information** | |
| **The North of Scotland** | The North of Scotland has easy access to a wide range of recreational opportunities including cruises on Loch Ness, hikes up the Cairngorm Mountains, and visits to historic castles and sites. The region is renowned for its friendly and welcoming atmosphere and boasts an excellent range of restaurants, cafés, and pubs filled with an eclectic mix of traditional and international food, drink, and music. Applicants will receive a pre-arrival packet full of regional and practical information post-acceptance. |
| **Induction Dates** | Applicants will receive more information on any mandatory academic and/or international induction dates post-acceptance. Applicants should not make any travel plans until they receive this information. |
| **Visa Information** | Please see our Language and Visa Eligibility page. |
| **Estimated Cost of Living** | Please see our Fees and Funding page. |
| **Facilities & Services** | The University has a wide variety of facilities and services to support applicants during their time here. For more information, please see our Student Life page. |
| **Accommodation** | Our students have a variety of accommodation options to choose from, including dedicated on campus student accommodation, homestays and private accommodation. Please see our Student Life page for more information on campus-specific information. |
| **Campus Specific Information** | Please contact the International Team with any queries related to any of our 13 campuses. We can direct you to information or put you in touch with that campus’s International Exchange Coordinator. |



Study Abroad and International Exchange Programme

Application form for Admission

Name of home university: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

UHI College of choice:

Applying for: Full academic year Term only: September start Term only: January start

Study abroad programme (fees apply) International Exchange Programme (fees waived)

Personal Details

**01 Family name**

**03 Gender**

**02 First name**

**04 Date of birth**

**Country of birth**:

**Nationality**

**05 Mailing address**

**City: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**06 Email address(es)**

(Please mark preferred address with \*)

**Telephone** number (include country code)

**Passport number: Country of issue: expiry date:**

**07 Emergency contact information:**

**Name \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to you**

**Address**

**Telephone number (include area code)**

**Mobile number (include country code)**

**E mail address:**

**08** **Please state whether you have any disability or special needs**

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| Code | Description |
| A | No disability |
| B | You have a social/communication impairment such as Asperger’s syndrome/other autistic spectrum disorder |
| C | You are blind or have a serious visual impairment uncorrected by glasses |
| D | You are deaf or have a serious hearing problem |
| E | You have a long standing illness or health condition such as cancer, HIV, diabetes, chronic heart disease, or epilepsy |
| F | You have a mental health condition, such as depression, schizophrenia or anxiety disorder |
| G | You have a specific learning difficulty such as dyslexia, dyspraxia or AD(H)D |
| H | You have physical impairment or mobility issues, such as difficulty using your arms or using a wheelchair or crutches |
| I | You have a disability, impairment or medical condition that is not listed above |
| J | You have two or more impairments and/or disabling medical conditions |
| N | Information refused |

**09** **Please state your ethnic origin** (*please* *tick the box to the left*)

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|  | **White** |  | **Asian** |  | **Black** |  | **Mixed** |  |  |
|  | Scottish |  | Indian |  | Caribbean |  | White and Black Caribbean |  | Other background |
|  | English |  | Pakistani |  | African |  | White and Black African |  | Information refused |
|  | Welsh |  | Bangladeshi |  | Other |  | White and Asian |  |  |
|  | Irish |  | Chinese |  |  |  | Other |  |  |
|  | Other |  | Other |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Academic information

**10 What year of study are you currently in?**

**What is your field of study?**

**Name of your academic advisor at home institution:**

**Academic advisor’s e-mail:**

**11 English Language Proficiency:**

**What is your native language? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Have you studied at an English medium institution for a minimum of 3 years? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**If yes, please indicate at which institution: secondary school university college**

**If no, home university must provide a proficiency support statement**

**12 Please indicate the course and level of course you would like to study at UHI or list the modules you would like to study at UHI** *(if you are applying for an academic year, please indicated courses per semester)*

**Level of study** (for example: year 2) **:**

**Course at UHI** (for example: Social Science)

**Attach the following documents:**

* 200 word Statement of Purpose (reason for wanting to study at UHI)
* Academic Transcript and a brief description for each course completed at home university
* English Proficiency Statement (if applicable)
* Cover letter from your home university

Under the Data Protection Act UHI can not release your results (academic transcript) to a third party unless you give us permission to. If you want us to send your academic transcript to your home university after you have completed your period of study at UHI, please tick the box below. Please note, that this is optional. If you will not give us permission to release your results to the third party you will still receive your results however you will need to request them personally from the UHI Academic Registry.

Yes, I hereby give UHI permission to send my academic transcript to my home institution. My results are to be sent to the following e-mail address:

I declare that the information I have submitted in this application is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.

I agree that the University of the Highlands and Islands (UHI) may process personal data contained in this form, or other data which UHI may obtain from me or other people whilst I am an applicant and student, for any purposes connected with my application or for any other legitimate reason.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**All applications for student exchange to UHI must be submitted through**

**the Student Exchange Office at your home university**

**Applications (filled in full, signed and scanned) should be e-mailed to: International@uhi.ac.uk**

**Or sent to:**

**Attn: Melissa Schouten**

**University of the Highlands and Islands**

**International Office**

**Executive Office**

**Ness Walk**

**Inverness**

**IV3 5SQ**

**Scotland / United Kingdom**