

## FACT SHEET ACADEMIC YEAR 2026 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

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| INSTITUTION   | UNIVERSIDAD ALBERTO HURTADO   |
| INSTITUTIONAL WEB SITE  | <a href="http://uahurtado.cl">uahurtado.cl</a>  |
| VIDEOS & RESOURCES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS   | Access <a href="#">here</a>   |
| WEB SITE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS   | <a href="http://internacional.uahurtado.cl">internacional.uahurtado.cl</a>  |
| ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026*<br><small>*OFFICAL DATES TO BE CONFIRMED</small>  | <b>FIRST SEMESTER:</b> MARCH 09 – JULY 10, 2026*<br><b>SECOND SEMESTER:</b> AUGUST 05 – DECEMBER 11, 2026*  |
| PRE-SESSION INTENSIVE SPANISH PROGRAM<br><br><small>*OFFICAL DATES TO BE CONFIRMED<br/>**STRONGLY RECOMMENDED FOR NON-SPANISH SPEAKING STUDENTS</small> | <b>JANUARY 05 – 30, 2026*</b><br><b>JUNE 29 - JULY 17, 2026*</b><br><br><small>A MINIMUM OF STUDENTS IS REQUIRED TO BE DELIVERED.<br/>THIS IS A FEE-PAYING PROGRAM. COST: CLP 750.000.- (CHILEAN PESOS)<br/>FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT <a href="mailto:INTERNATIONAL@UAHURTADO.CL">INTERNATIONAL@UAHURTADO.CL</a></small>  |
| ORIENTATION SESSION FOR INCOMING STUDENTS <b>(MANDATORY)</b><br><br><small>*OFFICAL DATES TO BE CONFIRMED</small>                                       | <b>FIRST SEMESTER:</b> MARCH 09 - 11, 2026*<br><b>SECOND SEMESTER:</b> AUGUST 05-07, 2026*  |
| NOMINATION DEADLINES  | <b>FIRST SEMESTER</b> (JANUARY/MARCH – JULY):<br><b>DECEMBER 15, 2025</b> FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING JANUARY SPANISH PRE-SESSION<br><b>JANUARY 16, 2026</b> FOR FIRST SEMESTER ENTRY (MARCH)<br><br><b>SECOND SEMESTER</b> (JULY/AUGUST – DECEMBER)<br><b>APRIL 30, 2025</b> FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING JULY SPANISH PRE-SESSION<br><b>JUNE 20, 2025</b> FOR SECOND SEMESTER ENTRY (AUGUST)<br><br>NOMINATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED <a href="#">HERE</a> BY THE STUDENT'S HOME INSTITUTION REPRESENTATIVE (STUDENT MOBILITY OR INTERNATIONAL OFFICE)   |
| APPLICATION DEADLINES   | <b>FIRST SEMESTER</b> (MARCH – JULY):<br><b>DECEMBER 15, 2025</b> FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING JANUARY SPANISH PRE-SESSION<br><b>JANUARY 16, 2026</b> FOR FIRST SEMESTER ENTRY (MARCH)<br><br><b>SECOND SEMESTER</b> (AUGUST – DECEMBER)<br><b>APRIL 30, 2026</b> FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING JULY SPANISH PRE-SESSION<br><b>JUNE 15, 2026</b> FOR SECOND SEMESTER ENTRY (AUGUST)  |
| APPLICATION PROCESS   | STUDENTS ALREADY NOMINATED BY THEIR HOME UNIVERSITIES HAVE TO FILL OUT <a href="#">THIS ONLINE APPLICATION FORM</a><br><br>THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS WILL BE REQUIRED FOR THE PROCESS: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TRANSCRIPT OF RECORDS</li> <li>• PASSPORT COPY (BIO PAGE)</li> <li>• RECOMMENDATION LETTER ISSUED BY A PROFESSOR OF THE STUDENT'S HOME UNIVERSITY</li> <li>• MOTIVATION LETTER WRITTEN BY THE STUDENT</li> <li>• PHOTO</li> <li>• FOR NON-SPANISH SPEAKING STUDENTS, AN INTERNATIONAL CERTIFICATE (SIELE, DELE) OR A LETTER ISSUED BY A PROFESSOR OF THE HOME UNIVERSITY STATING THE SPANISH LEVEL OF THE NOMINEE (B2) WILL BE REQUIRED</li> <li>• DISCLAIMER (AVAILABLE BY ACCESSING THE ONLINE FORM)</li> </ul> |

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|   | AT LEAST ONE MONTH BEFORE THEIR ARRIVAL IN CHILE, STUDENTS MUST SEND BY EMAIL A COPY OF THEIR INTERNATIONAL HEALTH INSURANCE. IT MUST COVER MEDICAL ASSISTANCE (INCLUDING COVID-19), HOSPITAL CARE, AND REPATRIATION. IT MUST BE VALID FOR THE FULL PERIOD OF STAY IN CHILE AS WELL AS OTHER COUNTRIES THAT THE STUDENT IS PLANNING TO VISIT. THE MINIMUM AMOUNT OF COVERAGE MUST BE USD \$ 30,000. - (THIRTY THOUSAND US DOLLARS)  |
| <b>CONTACT FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS</b> | <a href="mailto:INTERNATIONAL@UAHURTADO.CL">INTERNATIONAL@UAHURTADO.CL</a>  |
| <b>LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION</b>            | SPANISH   |
| <b>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT</b>               | B2 (MCER/CEFR) INTERMEDIATE-ADVANCED<br>UPON ARRIVAL AT UAH, INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS MUST TAKE A SPANISH LANGUAGE PLACEMENT TEST   |
| <b>ACADEMIC NOTES</b>                     | AT UNIVERSIDAD ALBERTO HURTADO THE CREDITS ASSIGNED TO CLASSES ARE DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE TIME DEDICATED TO THE COURSE. FOR EXAMPLE, IF A COURSE HAS 10 CREDITS IN GENERAL IT HAS 3 HOURS OF CLASSES PER WEEK, THEREFORE, 7 HOURS OF EXTRA WORK (STUDY, PREPARATION OF EVALUATIONS, READINGS, ETC.). PER SEMESTER STUDENTS CAN TAKE MINIMUM 30 AND MAXIMUM 60 CREDITS, BEING THE AVERAGE AROUND 50-55 CREDITS. SOME COURSES, DEPENDING ON THE DIFFICULTY AND THE YEAR IN WHICH THEY ARE TAUGHT, CAN EARN BETWEEN 5 AND 20 CREDITS.<br>EXCHANGE STUDENTS ARE RECOMMENDED TO TAKE 4-5 COURSES OR 40 CREDITS.<br><br>THE GRADING SCALE RUNS FROM 1,0 (LOWEST) TO 7,0 (HIGHEST), BEING THE PASSING GRADE 4,0<br><br>INFORMATION ON UNDERGRADUATE ACADEMIC PROGRAMS, AVAILABLE <a href="#">HERE</a><br>SOME PROGRAMS MIGHT HAVE SOME RESTRICTIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS. PLEASE CONTACT <a href="mailto:INTERNATIONAL@UAHURTADO.CL">INTERNATIONAL@UAHURTADO.CL</a> FOR FURTHER INFORMATION   |
| <b>TRANSCRIPT ISSUANCE</b>                | FOR FIRST SEMESTER (MARCH-JULY): MID-AUGUST<br>FOR SECOND SEMESTER (AUGUST-DECEMBER): LATE DECEMBER<br><br>IMPORTANT INFORMATION: TRANSCRIPTS WILL BE SENT TO (1) THE STUDENT AND (2) THE STUDENT'S HOME UNIVERSITY (INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS OFFICE) BY EMAIL<br>ONLY ELECTRONIC VERSIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE   |
| <b>STUDENT VISA</b>                       | UP TO 180 DAYS OF STAY: STUDENTS CAN ENTER CHILE WITH "PERMISO DE PERMANENCIA TRANSITORIA" FOR STUDY PURPOSES. PLEASE VISIT <a href="#">THIS WEB SITE</a><br><br>MORE THAN 180 DAYS OF STAY: A STUDENT VISA ("RESIDENCIA TEMPORAL" – ESTUDIOS) WILL BE REQUIRED. PLEASE VISIT <a href="#">THIS WEB SITE</a><br><br>FOR FURTHER INFORMATION <a href="#">ACCESS HERE</a><br><br>IF YOU NEED SUPPORT TO EXPEDITE YOUR STUDENT VISA APPLICATION, CHECK <a href="#">OUR TEMPORARY VISA EXPEDITING PROCEDURE SECTION</a> AT UAH   |
| <b>USEFUL INFORMATION</b>                 | <b>HOUSING OPTIONS</b><br><br><b>HOMESTAY</b><br>LIVING WITH A HOST FAMILY HELPS STUDENTS LEARN BETTER ABOUT THE LOCAL CULTURE AND LANGUAGE.<br>LINKS RELATED: <a href="http://WWW.NEXOCHILE.COM">WWW.NEXOCHILE.COM</a> <a href="http://WWW.HOMESTAYCHILE.CL">WWW.HOMESTAYCHILE.CL</a><br><br><b>OTHER OPTIONS</b><br><a href="https://www.santiagoexchange.com/">https://www.santiagoexchange.com/</a><br><br>THESE COMPANIES DON'T HAVE ANY RELATIONSHIP WITH OUR UNIVERSITY. PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT OUR INSTITUTION IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE SERVICE PROVIDED BY THEM.<br><br><b>WHEATHER:</b><br><a href="http://www.meteochile.cl">http://www.meteochile.cl</a><br><br><b>TRANSPORTATION IN SANTIAGO:</b><br><a href="https://www.red.cl/">https://www.red.cl/</a><br><a href="https://www.metro.cl/">https://www.metro.cl/</a><br><br><b>INFORMATION ABOUT CHILE:</b><br><a href="http://www.sernatur.cl">www.sernatur.cl</a><br><br><b>ABOUT CHILE</b><br><a href="https://marcachile.cl/">https://marcachile.cl/</a><br><a href="https://www.sernatur.cl/">https://www.sernatur.cl/</a><br><a href="https://patagonia-chile.com/">https://patagonia-chile.com/</a><br><a href="https://chileestuyo.cl/">https://chileestuyo.cl/</a><br><br><b>PORT OF ARRIVAL</b><br>INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT, SANTIAGO DE CHILE<br><a href="https://www.nuevopudahuel.cl/">https://www.nuevopudahuel.cl/</a><br><br>BEFORE ENTERING CHILE ACCESS <a href="#">HERE</a> |