

Program Overview •

Being Australia's 9th largest city and only an hour from Sydney, Wollongong is a vibrant city that offers the perfect Australian lifestyle. With 17 patrolled surf beaches, a strong sporting community, a rapidly growing music scene, art and café culture, Wollongong makes being a student easy. Besides being situated in a beautiful location, UOW also offers great academics in a variety of areas and is ranked in the top 2% of universities worldwide.

Academics

The University of Wollongong offers a variety of courses in programs such as arts, business, engineering & communication sciences, humanities, communication & media studies, economics, and psychology.

Student Life

Students have access to a variety of services, including tutoring, health, medical, and counseling services, and international student programs. UOW offers 100 clubs and societies and 180 events on campus each year. The problem isn't what to do, but where to start.

Program Facts

Location	.Wollongong, Australia
City Population	300,000
University Enrollment	36,000+

Type of Program.....Exchange

Program Dates

Full Academic Year...... Late July to late June Fall (Southern Hemisphere) ... Late February to late June Spring (Southern Hemisphere).....Late July to mid-Nov

Application & Eligibility

Application Deadlines

Fall/Academic Year	Mid-February
Spring	Early October

Eligibility

- Must be a degree-seeking student
- Have at least sophomore standing
- Have at least a 2.7 cumulative GPA









Surrounding Area

The city of Wollongong, ninth largest in Australia, has a shuttle that allows students easy and free access to all parts of the city, which offers many different and exciting tourist attractions for all interests as well as opportunities to enjoy and explore the stunning natural environment.

Housing

University of Wollongong offers a diverse range of housing on campus. Utilities, furniture, laundry, car parking and environmentally responsible recycling programs are available at each residence. All housing residences feature student development and peer mentor programs, social, sporting and cultural events, and 24/7 student wellbeing care. For details on rent and the range of housing available, visit Wollongong's university accommodations webpage.



Finances

Program Cost

Since this program is available as an exchange, you pay your regular tuition and fees to UNC Asheville and pay your room and board costs abroad. There will be additional costs, including international airfare, visa (if applicable), and medical insurance (required). Please visit our website for the most up-to-date program cost estimates.

More Websites

UNC Asheville: studyabroad.unca.edu **University of Wollongong:** uow.edu.au/international/future-students/

Financial Aid & Scholarships

Students participating in UNC Asheville's exchange programs may use all types of financial aid for which the student qualifies, including federal, state, and UNC Asheville grants, scholarships, and/or loans. Even if you are normally ineligible for financial aid, you should submit a financial aid application; you may find that you are eligible for additional funding.

- UNC Asheville students may also apply for our grants and awards for study abroad to help cover program
- costs. Visit our website for more information on how to qualify and apply for these awards.