

# 2023-2024 CANISIUS COLLEGE EXCHANGE PARTNER INFORMATION

**INFORMATION** Center for International Education

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## **UNDERGRADUATE MAJORS AND MINORS**

Please visit https://www.canisius.edu/academics/programs for a complete listing of our academic programs

## **APPLICATION PROCEDURES**

Please complete the application included with this information.

The following documents are required:

- Completed Canisius College Application for International Exchange Admission
- Completed Certificate of Financial Support form with bank certification letters
- Completed Physical Examination and Immunization Form for International Students
- Official transcript with certified English translation
- Copy of Passport



- Certificate of English language proficiency if available, but not required (a TOEFL score of 79 is recommended)
- Email completed application and all documents to <a href="mail@canisius.edu">ispmail@canisius.edu</a> prior to mailing originals to the Office of International Student Programs (address listed at the top of this document)

APPLICATION DEADLINE Fall Semester: May 1

Spring Semester: November 1

#### **ACADEMIC INFORMATION**

Language of Instruction

All courses are taught in English.

#### **Course Information**

It is very important that students follow the instructions in the "Helping International Exchange Students Choose Courses" that will be available in the students' Canisius email account through the student portal, once they are accepted. Use the username and password supplied in your acceptance letter. Use this document to look up courses that will be available for their exchange semester. Should you have any questions on this, please email <a href="mail@canisius.edu">ispmail@canisius.edu</a>. \*\*Students should not use the course catalog for course selection, prior to receiving access to the student portal, as all of the courses listed will not be available every semester.

## ACADEMIC LEVEL(S) OFFERED TO EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Undergraduate

Graduate (specific partner schools)

\*\*students are required to select the major at Canisius that closely aligns with their program back Home

## **ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

The academic calendar is available at https://catalog.canisius.edu/undergraduate/academic-calendar/

## WHEN WILL THE TRANSCRIPT BE RELEASED?

Students will be reminded to request a copy of their academic transcript to be sent to their home institution, prior to their departure from campus, at the Office of Student Records and Registration. Should a student forget to do so, they may request one at <a href="https://www.canisius.edu/tuition-aid/student-records-and-financial-services/request-transcript">https://www.canisius.edu/tuition-aid/student-records-and-financial-services/request-transcript</a>

**Please note:** The Office of International Student Programs is unable to request a transcript on a student's behalf.



#### HEALTH INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

All international students must be enrolled in the Canisius College health insurance plan, purchased through Allen J. Flood. Students will be enrolled in the plan by the office of International Student Programs. **Exceptions for alternative insurance will not be made.** 

Current rates of insurance (subject to change for 2023-2024): Fall semester - - \$850 Spring semester - - \$826

#### PAYING REQUIRED DEPOSIT

Students must pay \$2000 USD deposit with a credit card through the student portal (use the username & password received in your acceptance letter) at <a href="https://my.canisius.edu/web/mycampus/home">https://my.canisius.edu/web/mycampus/home</a> or by using Flywire or NorthStar Currency. Instructions found on our website at <a href="https://www.canisius.edu/scholarships-tuition-aid/registration-and-transcripts/student-records-international-payments">https://www.canisius.edu/scholarships-tuition-aid/registration-and-transcripts/student-records-international-payments</a>

## HOUSING APPLICATION

All international exchange students are required to live on-campus in college owned residence. Currently all exchange students are assigned to the Delavan Townhouses. Assignments are completed based on availability and date of deposit. To view the different housing options for upperclassmen and graduate students, visit <a href="https://www.canisius.edu/student-experience/student-life-and-housing/student-housing

#### ROOM AND BOARD

Costs of housing vary by room. Students will be assigned to their housing placement based on availability and date of deposit. To view the most up-to-date costs of room and board, visit <a href="https://www.canisius.edu/student-experience/student-life-and-housing/student-housing/housing-rates">https://www.canisius.edu/student-experience/student-life-and-housing/student-housing/housing-rates</a>

## HOW TO APPLY FOR HOUSING ACCOMMODATION

Complete the housing application in this packet and return it with your exchange application

#### **VISA TIPS**

https://www.nafsa.org/professional-resources/browse-by-interest/10-points-remember-whenapplying-student-visa



## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

#### FALL 2023 INTERNATIONAL NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION \*\*

- All students must arrive to campus by Sunday, August 20, 2023
- Mandatory International New Student Orientation - August 21 23, 2023
- Mandatory Orientation for ALL new students - August 24 27, 2022
- Classes begin on Monday, August 28, 2023
- Last day of final exams - December 15, 2023

#### SPRING 2024 INTERNATIONAL NEW STUDENT ORIENTATION \*\*

- All students must arrive to campus by Thursday, January 11, 2024
- Mandatory International New Student Orientation - January 12, 2024
- Mandatory Orientation for ALL new students - January 13, 2024
- Classes begin on Tuesday, January 16, 2024
- Last day of final exams - May 10, 2024

# \*\* These dates are subject to change.

If you have any exams that you need to take for your home university that conflict with your required arrival date and orientation at Canisius College, it is critical that you contact your faculty members and make arrangements to take those exams before you arrive at Canisius. If that is not possible, we can make arrangements to proctor your exams at Canisius after you have arrived. Please let us know of these required arrangements ahead of time, so that we may properly plan to have the exams proctored.

Review course selections for your desired semester and make a list of preferred courses prior to arrival. Student will meet with their academic advisor during orientation for class registration. "Helping International Exchange Students Choosing Courses" will be sent to their Canisius email. Use the student portal at <a href="https://my.canisius.edu/web/mycampus/home">https://my.canisius.edu/web/mycampus/home</a> to login to Canisius email. Use the username & password given in your acceptance letter.