



Swinburne Abroad credit equivalence table

This table is for prospective exchange students and faculty staff to use when completing a Proposed Study Plan. It should be used as a guide only.

Exchange students must ensure they are studying the equivalent of a Swinburne full-time credit load (50 Credit points or 37.5 credit points) when overseas. This table shows the equivalent amount of credits per semester you must study at each of our partner universities.

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North America

USA

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Baylor University	15 credits	12 credits	Baylor course listing
California Polytechnic State University	15 credits	12 credits	California Polytechnic course listing
California State University Monterey Bay	15 credits	12 credits	California State course listing
Drexel University	15 credits	12 credits	Drexel course listing
Loyola Marymount University	15 credits	12 credits	Loyola course listing
Northeastern University	15 credits	12 credits	Northeastern course listing ¹
Rensselaer University	15 credits	12 credits	Rensselaer University course listing
San Francisco State University	15 credits	12 credits	San Francisco State course listing
State University of New York (SUNY) College Brockport	15 credits	12 credits	Brockport College course listing
University of Cincinnati	15 credits	12 credits	Cincinnati course listing
Western Michigan University	15 credits	12 credits	Western Michigan course listing

Canada

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Concordia	12	9 credits	Concordia course listing
Kwantlen Polytechnic University	12	9	Kwantlen course listing
Okanagan College	15	12	Okanagan course listing
Trent University	2.5	2	Trent course listing
University of New Brunswick	12	9	New Brunswick course listing

¹ Most courses are 4 credits each so students wanting to gain equivalence to 50 CP should enrol in 4 courses and students wanting to gain 37.5 CP should enrol in 3 courses.

Mexico

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Instituto Politecnico Nacional (IPN)	18 credits/48 units (6 courses)	15 credit/32 units (4 subjects)	Instituto Politecnico course listing [PDF]
Tecnologico de Monterrey	18 credits/48 units (6 courses)	15 credits/32 units (4 subjects)	Tecnologico Monterrey course listing
Universidad Anahuac Norte	36 credits (6 courses)	27 credits	Anahuac Norte course listing
Universidad de Monterrey (UEM)	24 credits	18 credits	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
Universidad Nacional Autonoma de Mexico (UNAM)	36 credits (6 units)	30 credits (5 units)	Nacional Autonoma course listing

South America

Brazil

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universidade de Sao Paulo	Up to 25 credits	Up to 25 credits	Sao Paulo course listing . Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
Universidade Federal de Santa Catarina (UFSC)	Up to 25 credits	Up to 25 credits	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
Universidade Federal Do Rio De Janeiro (UFRJ)	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	UFRJ course listing

Colombia

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universidad EAFIT	18 credits	13.5 credits	EAFIT course listing
Universidad de los Andes	15 credits (maximum 18 = 6 classes)	12 credits (minimum 9 credits = 3 classes)	De los Andes course listing

Ecuador

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universidad San Francisco de Quito (USFQ)	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	USFQ course listing

Peru

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universidad San Ignacio de Loyola	15 credits	12 credits	San Ignacio course listing

Venezuela

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universidad Simon Bolivar	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor

Europe

Austria

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Fachhochschule Wiener Neustadt (University of Applied Science Wiener Neustadt)	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	FWHN course listing

Denmark

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Aalborg	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	Aalborg course listing
Copenhagen Business School	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Copenhagen Business School course listing
Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts – Schools of Architecture, Design & Conservation (KADK)	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	KADK course listing
VIA University College	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	VIA University course listing
University of Southern Denmark	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Southern Denmark course listing

Finland

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Aalto University	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	Aalto course listing

² European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System (ECTS) is a standard for comparing the study attainment and performance of students of higher education across the European Union and other collaborating European countries.

France

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
ESAG Penninghen	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
INSEEC	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	INSEEC course listing
L'Ecole de Design Nantes Atlantique	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Lecole de Design course listing
Universite de Technologie de Compiegne	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	UTC course listing

Germany

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Bauhaus-Universitat Weimar	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	Uni Weimar course listing
Fachhochschule Mainz	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Mainsz course listing
Fachhochschule Reutlingen	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Reutlingen course listing
Fachhochschule Berlin-Weissensee	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
Hawk Hochschule Hildesheim	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Hildesheim course listing
Hochschule der Median (Stuttgart)	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Hochschule course listing
Technische Universitat (TU) Dortmund	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	TU Dortmund course listing
Technische Universitat (TU) Munich	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	TU Munich course listing
University of Munster	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor

Ireland

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
University of Limerick	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	University of Limerick course listing

Italy

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universita Carlo Cattaneo (LIUC)	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	LIUC course listing
Politecnico di Milano	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Politecnico de Milano course listing
Universita per Stranieri di Perugia	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Stranieri di Perugia course listing
University of Udine	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
Universita Cattolica del Sacro Cuore	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	USCS course listing

Netherlands

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Erasmus University School of History, Culture and Communication (Rotterdam)	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	Erasmus School of History course listing
Erasmus University School of Economics (Rotterdam)	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Erasmus School of Economics course listing
Erasmus University School of Social Science (Rotterdam)	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Erasmus School of Social Science course listing
Hanze University Groningen	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Hanze course listing
Universiteit Twente	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Universiteit Twente course listing

Spain

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universidad Autonoma de Barcelona (UAB)	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	UAB course listing
Elisava Barcelona School of Design	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Elisava course listing

Sweden

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
University of Gothenburg (Goteborg) School of Design & Craft HDK	30 ECTS ²	22.5 ECTS	University of Gothenburg course listing
Jonkoping University – Education and Communication School	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Jankoping Education and Communication course listing [PDF]
Jonkoping University – International Business School	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Jankoping Business School course listing [PDF]
Konstfack University College of Arts, Crafts and Design	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	Konstfack course listing

Switzerland

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
School of Management Fribourg	30 ECTS	22.5 ECTS	School of Management course listing

United Kingdom

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Coventry University	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Coventry University course listing
Leeds Beckett University	60 credit points	45 credit points	Leeds Beckett course listing
Middlesex University	60 credit points	45 credit points	Middlesex course listing
Northumbria University	60 credit points	45 credit points	Northumbria course listing
University of Surrey	60 credit points	45 credit points	University of Surrey course listing
University of Leicester	60 credit points	45 credit points	University of Leicester course listing
University of Strathclyde	60 credit points	45 credit points	University of Strathclyde course listing
University of the Arts London (UAL): London College of Communication	60 credit points	45 credit points	BA Graphic Branding and Identity

Asia

China

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Beijing Language and Culture University	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Beijing Language & Culture course listing
Beijing Foreign Studies University	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
Beijing Institute of Technology (BIT)	15 credits (5 units)	12 credits	BIT course listing . Please confirm credit with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
China University of Mining & Technology (CUMT)	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	CUMT course listing
Chongqing University (CQU)	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	CQU course listing
Shanghai University	Check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Shanghai University course listing
Tongji University	15 to 20 credits (6 to 8 subjects)	12.5 credits	Tongji University course listing

Hong Kong

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Hong Kong Baptist University (HKBU)	18 credits	12 credits	HKBU course listing
Hong Kong Polytechnic University	15 credits (maximum 18/semester)	9 credits (3 classes)	Hong Kong Polytechnic course listing

India

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Indian Institute of Technology, Madras (IITM)	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	IITM course listing [PDF]
National Institute of Design (NID), design school in Ahmedabad	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Master of Design (M.Des.) Bachelor of Design (B.Des.)

Indonesia

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Universitas Indonesia	12 credits	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Universitas Indonesia course listing

Japan

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Akita International University	18 credits	12 credits	Akita International course listing
Aoyama Gakuin University	19 credits	14 credits	Ayoma Gakuin course listing
Chuo University	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Chuo University course listing
Kansai Gaidai University	17 credits (5 subjects)	14 credits (4 subjects)	Kansai Gaidai course listing

Korea

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Hongik University	15 credits	12 credits	Hongik University course listing
Korea Advanced Institute of Science & Technology (KAIST)	15 credits (maximum 24 credits = 8 courses)	12 credits (minimum 12 credits = 4 courses)	KAIST course listing
Sungkyunkwan University (SKKU)	18 credits	15 credits	SKKU course listing
Yonsei University	12 credits	9 credits	Yonsei University course listing . Students can take up to 18 credits in undergraduate and up to 15 if postgraduate.

Malaysia

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Swinburne Sarawak Campus	50 credit points = 4 units	37.5 credit points = 3 units	Swinburne Sarawak course listing
Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM)	15 credits	12 credit hours (minimum)	UTM course listing [PDF]

Singapore

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
Nanyang Technological University (NTU)	18 academic units (maximum 20 unit = 6 courses)	15 academic units	NTU course listing

Taiwan

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
National Cheng Kung University (NCKU)	15 credits	12 credits	NCKU courses taught in English

Thailand

University	Credits per semester (equivalent to 50CP)	Credits per semester (equivalent to 37.5CP)	Course listing
King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi	21-22 credits	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor
Suranaree University of Technology	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor	Please check with a Swinburne Study Abroad Advisor