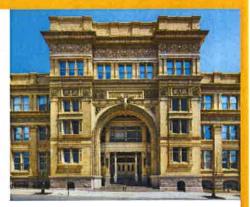
DREXEL UNIVERSITY VISITING STUDENT FACT SHEET 2017-2018







WHY PHILADELPHIA?

Philadelphia is the birthplace of the United States and its fifth most populous city. Situated halfway between New York City and Washington, D.C., Philadelphia is centrally located while possessing a distinctive character of its own. Rich in both history and innovation, Philadelphia is the only world heritage city in the United States, and Pennsylvania's economic center. Navigable by bus, subway, bicycle, or foot, Philadelphia offers endless opportunities to explore inspiring museums, exciting sports, live arts, and world class culture.

WHY DREXEL?

Drexel University is a private research institution ranked among the top 100 universities in the United States. Located in the University City section of Philadelphia, Drexel's campus is part of a thriving student and scholar community. Visiting students have access to wide variety of course options in a number of well-regarded academic programs, while co-curricular activities seek to provide further educational, social, and cultural opportunities.

WHO QUALIFIES?

Students who meet the following qualifications:

- Minimum GPA 3.0
- English Language Proficiency tests*:
 TOEFLiBT 90
- Application materials submitted by deadline

*Drexel does not accept TOEFL ITP

WHAT'S THE PROCESS?

- 1. Apply to Drexel's visting student program via your home school's international office.
- 2. Receive an email from Drexel with login instructions for the online applications.
- 3. Complete the online application before the deadline.
- 4. We welcome you to Drexel!



COLLEGES AND PROGRAMS

College of Arts and Sciences

Anthropology Biodiversity, Earth & Environmental Science Biology Chemistry Communication Criminal Justice English Geoscience History & Politics International Area Studies Mathematics Philosophy **Physics**

College of Nursing and Health Professions*

Sociology

Behavioral Health Counseling Heath Services Administration Health Sciences **Nutrition & Foods** Radiologic Technology Invasive Cardiovascular Technology Nursing

LeBow College of Business

Accounting **Business Analytics Decision Sciences** School of Economics Finance General Business International Business Legal Studies Management Management Information Systems Marketing

College of **Computing and Informatics**

Computer Science Informatics Information Technology Information Systems Computing and Security Technology

School of Education*

Elementary Education Secondary Education

Westphal College of Media Arts & Design**

Animation and Visual **Effects** Architecture* Dance Design & Merchandising **Entertainment & Arts** Management Fashion Design Film & Video Game Art & Production Graphic Design Interior Design Interactive Digital Media Music Industry Photography **Product Design** Screenwriting & Playwrit-TV Production & Media

School of Biomedical Engineering, Science, and Health Systems

Management

Westphal Studies

Biomedical Engineering

School of Public Health*

*Schools or programs may be

College of **Engineering**

Architectural Engineering Chemical Engineering Civil Engineering Computer Engineering Construction Management **Electrical Engineering Engineering Technology** Environmental Engineering Materials Science & Engineering Mechanical Engineering

Center for Hospitality and Sport Management

Culinary Arts Food Science Hospitality Tourism Management Sport Management

Kline School of Law*

School of Medicine*

**Students may have to submit a portfolio to be considered closed to visiting students

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PRACTICAL INFORMATION

COURSES

- Undergraduate visiting students must take
 12-20 course credits per quarter
- Students will be required to take at least 50% of their courses each term from within their assigned Drexel major
- Each student will be assigned to a Drexel academic advisor who will register them for classes
- Class selection is subject to course availability and fulfilment of pre-requisites

MEALS

- Visiting students may participate in university dining plans, but they are not required to do so
- Students living in on-campus residence halls will have shared access to kitchen facilities
- There are a variety of restaurants and grocery stores near the university

VISA

- All incoming visiting students are required to obtain a J1 Student Visa
- Drexel will issue a DS-2019 visa document to students upon acceptance

HOUSING

- On-campus housing is guaranteed for full-year (fall/winter/spring) students, but cannot be guaranteed for 1-2 term students
- Suite style and double-occupancy rooms are available
- Off-campus housing is also available. Students must arrange off-campus accomodations independently

HEALTH INSURANCE & IMMUNIZATIONS

All visiting students must...

- Purchase Drexel's health insurance in order to meet US immigration health insurance requirement
- Pay a \$35 immunization fee
- Complete required immunizations

ESTIMATED BUDGET*

Tuition \$16,220/quarter
Fees \$790/quarter
Housing \$3,400/quarter

Meals \$1,000 - \$1,895/quarter

Books \$500/quarter
Health Insurance \$900/quarter
Immunizations \$35 (one-time f

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Personal Expenses varies
SEVIS & Visa Fees \$450 (one-time fee)

*Prices provided are as of Feb. 2017, and are subject to change

NOMINATION DETAILS

All visiting students must be nominated by their home institution to participate in the exchange program. If you have not yet been nominated, please contact your home school advisor.

Upon nomination, you will be prompted to complete the Drexel visiting student application. Upon your acceptance, you will be assigned a major at Drexel that most closely matches your home school major (see page 2 for a list of all majors). Each term at Drexel, you will be required to take 50% of your courses from within that major.

DEADLINES

	Nomination Deadline (from home school)	Application Deadline (materials recieved from student)
Fall term (Sept-Dec)	April 1	April 15
Winter term (Jan-March	September 15	October 1
Spring term (March-June)	November 1	November 15

REQUIRED MATERIALS

Once you have been nominated, you will receive instructions via email about completing the online application. The following application materials will be required:

- J-1 Student form
- Official Transcript (in English)
- Financial support documentation (in English)
- Passport copy
- Visiting Student Application Form
- Official TOEFL/IELTS scores (if applicable)
- Preliminary course selections (at least 50% in your Drexel major)
- Portfolio (if applicable)

All materials may be submitted online (when applicable), via email to studyabroad@drexel.edu, or by mail by the above deadlines.

CONTACT US



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