

**BUSINESS UNDERGRADUATE EXCHANGE PROGRAM IN**  
**COVENTRY, UNITED KINGDOM**  
**UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK**  
<http://www.wbs.warwick.ac.uk>

### DESCRIPTION

Founded in 1965, the University of Warwick has developed into one of the UK's most successful universities, with an international reputation for academic excellence in both teaching and research. It is consistently ranked in the top ten institutions in national evaluations of academic standards. Currently Warwick is placed fourth in the country for the standard of its research, just behind Cambridge, Oxford, and the London School of Economics. In terms of teaching quality, the *Times Good University Guide* always rates Warwick as one of the top schools, and its Business School is currently ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in the country. Because the Warwick campus is relatively new by British standards, the architecture and physical surroundings on campus are all modern and updated, and the campus offers excellent facilities in a very attractive environment.

### APPROXIMATE DATES

Note: The University's academic year consists of three ten-week terms:

#### TERM 1 (Autumn Term, Weeks 1-10)

Orientation: TBD

Instruction: September 29 – December 6, 2008

Christmas Vacation (4 weeks)

#### TERM 2 & 3 (Spring & Summer Term, Weeks 11-30)

Instruction: January 5 – June 27, 2009

*Warwick requires students to attend both terms if coming for spring*

Easter Vacation (5 weeks)

### TYPICAL COURSES AVAILABLE (course listings are subject to change)

Following is a sample of the Business school courses offered to exchange students; HOWEVER, some are "full-weight" i.e. a course module which is taught over the entire academic year. Each year, approximately 20 "half-weight" courses are taught only once, in either the autumn (Oct. – Dec.) OR spring (Jan. – but sometimes into the summer terms, thus requiring attendance for both terms).

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| ❑ IB3770: Adv Financial Reporting = free elective                     | ❑ : Managing Organizations = <b>BAdm 311 or 312</b>  |
| ❑ : Business Systems Dvpt & Implementation                            | ❑ IB3620: Managing Human Resources = <b>BAdm 313</b>                                       |
| ❑ IB3370: Business Taxation = free elective                           | ❑ IB3850: Marketing Analysis = <b>BAdm 320</b>   |
| ❑ IB3260: Buyer Behavior = <b>BAdm 325</b>                            | ❑ IB3650: Marketing Communications = <b>BAdm 323</b>                                       |
| ❑ IB3070: Corporate Strategy = free elective                          | ❑ IB3A50: Marketing Management = <b>Major elec for Mktg</b>                                |
| ❑ IB3780: Corporate Tax Planning = free elective                      | ❑ IB3870: Marketing Strategy = <b>Major elec for Mktg</b>                                  |
| ❑ IB3730: Cost Management Systems = free elective                     | ❑ IB3170: Nature & Methods of Oper Res = <b>BAdm 374</b>                                   |
| ❑ IB3590: Derivatives & Intl Risk Mgt = <b>Fin 412</b>                | ❑ IB3490: Opera Research for Stra Planning = <b>BAdm 374</b>                               |
| ❑ IB3890: Decision and Effci Analysis = <b>BAdm 374</b>               | ❑ IB3410: Operations Management  |
| ❑ EC204: Economics 2 = <b>Econ 302</b>                                | ❑ IB2020: Organizational Behavior = <b>BAdm 310</b>  |
| ❑ IB3690: Entrepreneurship & Small Bus = <b>BAdm 446</b>              | ❑ IB3270: Personnel Management = <b>BAdm 313</b>   |
| ❑ IB3610: Equality and Diversity = <b>Maj elec for Mgmt</b>           | ❑ : Practice of Operational Research = <b>BAdm 374</b>                                     |
| ❑ : Finance II = free elective  | ❑ IB2150: Principles of Finance = <b>Fin 221</b>   |
| ❑ IB3950: Finance in New Ventures = <b>Fin 423</b>                    | ❑ IB3820: Project Management = <b>BAdm 377</b>   |
| ❑ IB2140: Financial Reporting I = free elective                       | ❑ IB1020: Quantitative Methods of Analysis   |
| ❑ IB3960: Financial Statement Analysis = <b>Fin 4xx</b>               | ❑ IB2190: Quant Methods for Multivariate Analysis  |
| ❑ IB1090: Foundations for Accy & Fin = free elective                  | ❑ IB2200: Quant Methods for Resource Mgt = <b>Major elective for Mgmt, BPM, IS/IT, SCM</b> |
| ❑ IB1010: Foundations of Org Behavior = <b>BAdm 311</b>               | ❑ : Service Excellence = <b>Major elective for any BAdm major</b>                          |
| ❑ IB2270: Indus Relat Process & Prac = <b>BAdm 313</b>                | ❑ IB3200: Simulation   |
| ❑ IB3500: Indus Relations in Europe = free elective                   | ❑ IB3600: Service Oper Mgt = <b>Org Admin major elective</b>                               |
| ❑ IB3460: Information Systems = <b>BAdm 352</b>                       | ❑ IB2170: Starting a Business = <b>BAdm 446</b>  |
| ❑ IB3680: Intl Business Strategy = <b>BAdm 380</b>                    | ❑ IB3700: Strategic Information Mgt = <b>BAdm 432</b>                                      |
| ❑ IB3940: International Financial Mgt = <b>Fin 451</b>                | ❑ IB1080: Statistics for Business = <b>Econ 202</b>  |
| ❑ IB3570: Investment Management = <b>Fin 311</b>                      | ❑ IB3750: Strategic Mgt Accounting = free elective   |
| ❑ IB388: International Marketing = <b>BAdm 382</b>                    | ❑ IB3840: Supply Chain Management = <b>BAdm 335</b>  |
| ❑ : Managing Customer Service = <b>Major elect for PM, IS/IT, SCM</b> |  |

The University of Warwick is divided into three Faculties (Colleges) – Arts, Science and Social Studies, so it is possible to fulfill most general education requirements. The Business School is within the Faculty of Social Studies and offers a full range of business courses.

## HOUSING/FOOD

All exchange students are guaranteed accommodations, which are just minutes from the classrooms. Linens are provided, and the rooms are regularly cleaned. Ninety percent of the dorm rooms are single rooms with private sinks. There is one kitchen/TV room, and there are also a shower, bath and several toilets for every 12 students. However, there are some rooms with en-suite facilities, although these are limited. All campus rooms have unmetered internet access. Phones are not a regular amenity in rooms but pay phones are available in the hallways. Although dorms are self-catering, the student union houses a nice variety of food service at different price ranges. Several restaurants are also available within campus buildings, and grocery stores are within walking distance.

## ADDITIONAL

- Coventry/Warwick is home to the “finest mediaeval castle in England” while the famous Stratford-Upon-Avon is only a half-hour away. London is slightly over an hour by train.
- The International Office of Warwick offers subsidized trips and social events.
- Warwick offers a “campus” and the services associated with campus life, including a well-equipped Student Union.
- Although campus is on the edge of Coventry City, buses are available on a regular basis into Coventry, Birmingham and Lemsington Spa and London.
- There is an excellent fall orientation program to integrate students into the way of life at Warwick.
- The Warwick Arts Centre, at the heart of the campus is the largest center for the Performing Arts outside of London.

## SAMPLE BUDGET

UIUC range IV tuition	\$1,020 (at most)
UIUC General fee	\$237
Application fee	\$25
*Business study abroad fee	\$1,450
CISI mandatory study abroad insurance	\$115 <i>(rates are subject to change)</i>
SAO fee	\$50
Airfare	\$500 – 800 (round trip)
Room	\$3,000 approx.
Food, books, extra travel, incidentals	???????????

\* \$2,000 for 2 semesters at the same institution. All but \$500 is non-refundable.

## REQUIREMENTS

- \* Must be a UIUC Business student (enrolled in the College of Business at the time of participation)
- \* Recommended minimum GPA 3.0/4.0
- \* Completed at least one year of course work on the UIUC campus (or one semester for transfer students)

## APPLICATION PROCESS

Apply online at [www.studyabroad.uiuc.edu](http://www.studyabroad.uiuc.edu) by February 15<sup>th</sup> for programs offered in the fall and September 15<sup>th</sup> for programs offered in the spring.

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