



University of Santiago de Compostela – Partner Sheet 2019/20

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GENERAL INFORMATION	
Academic Year Duration	Fall semester: 9 Sept 2019 – 27 Jan 2020 Spring semester: 29 Jan 2020 – 19 Jun 2020 (starts two weeks earlier to last year students of Psychology) Second chance for exams until 24th July http://www.usc.es/en/servizos/oiu/calendarios.html
Areas of Study, Courses and Disciplines (list or website)	http://www.usc.es/en/titulacions/titulaionoficgrao.html (Under <i>Period</i> heading in every Degree, 1SG for Autumn semester and 2SG Spring semester)
Transcript Availability (dates)	Fall semester: February Spring semester: August
Credit and Grading System	Credits ECTS University Grading System

EXCHANGE INFORMATION			
Number of Vacancies Available for USC Exchange Students (please specify for academic year or semester)	Autumn Semester	Spring Semester	

<p>Admission Restrictions (degrees/ years/ subjects not offered for exchange...)</p>	<p>Specific Limits, as well as subject to Faculty's decision:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Medicine (accepted only exceptionally, and the syllabuses have to be similar in both institutions and high level of Spanish is required) - Dentistry (accepted only exceptionally, and the syllabuses have to be similar in both institutions and high level of Spanish is required) - Media Studies (specific selection process at the Faculty and only 2 exchange students in total are accepted) - Journalism (specific selection process at the Faculty and only 4 exchange students in total are accepted) - Psychology (1 exchange student per year each partner University) <p>Studies subject to Faculty's decision:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Degree in Social Work - Psychology - All Masters' degrees
<p>Specific Restrictions for Medical Studies / Health Sciences (if applicable - degrees/ years/ subjects not offered for exchange...)</p>	<p>Only open for exchange if similar syllabus and high level of Spanish language.</p>
<p>Are medical internships available? (if applicable)</p>	<p>Not open for exchange. (http://www.usc.es/en/centros/medodo/titulacions.html?plan=14002&estudio=14003&codEstudio=13601&valor=9)</p>
<p>Application Procedure for Undergraduate Students</p>	<p>ONLINE Nomination by their home university (students' full name, e-mail address, degree and period for exchange) Once they have been nominated, they receive the codes to enter the online application system and the instructions for uploading the supporting documents (below). There is <u>no need to send any document by post</u>. Process explained here: http://www.usc.es/es/perfis/internacional/mobilidade/bilateral.html</p>
<p>Application Deadlines</p>	<p>Autumn semester: 20th May Spring semester: 15th October Media Studies and Journalism: 15th of May Media Studies and Journalism: 15th of October</p>
<p>Supporting Documents Required</p>	<p>To be uploaded by the student:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Learning agreement - Passport - Transcript of records - Motivation letter
<p>Course Registration</p>	<p>September /January (once in Santiago or Lugo)</p>
<p>Language of instruction</p>	<p>Spanish and Galician</p>
<p>Language Requirements, i.e. Toefl Score (if applicable)</p>	<p>B1 Spanish, Intermediate. Faculty of languages B2 Spanish, some degrees may require higher levels.</p>

FEES	
Medical Coverage/Insurance	Compulsory 20€-insurance for all mobility students; to be paid either at registration in Santiago/Lugo or beforehand. Valid for visa purposes.
Other Extra Fees	No other fees for regular courses. Spanish courses at the Modern Languages Centre have special fees for exchange students: 50€ for one course; 100€ for every extra course (fees may change for 2017/18) http://www.usc.es/en/servizos/clm/

OTHER DETAILS	
Airport pick-up service	No.
Cost of living	From 500€/month: http://www.usc.es/export9/sites/webinstitucional/gl/servizos/oiu/descargas/covii.pdf
Scholarships or Financial Support to Exchange Students	No.
Accommodation	Call for applications for University Halls of Residence (limited vacancies): http://www.usc.es/en/servizos/sur/index.html USC Noticeboard: http://xornal.usc.es/xornal/taboleiro.html
VISA Requirements:	Visa is required for stays longer than 90 days. The document needed from the USC is the acceptance letter; the students will have to contact the Spanish Consulate closer to their area and apply for the visa themselves. http://www.exteriores.gob.es/embajadas/washington/en/embajada/pages/consulates.aspx
Estimated costs:	http://www.usc.es/export/sites/default/gl/servizos/oiu/descargas/covii.pdf (The cost is calculated taking the highest prices; it can be cheaper than that)

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