

Student Exchange Program

GENERAL INFORMATION

Chinese website: www.cafa.edu.cn

English website: <http://global.cafa.edu.cn>

PROGRAMS FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

- Architecture

Note: CAFA cannot offer any course information in advance. Courses and class schedule will be given to students when the semester starts.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall Semester (Semester 1) : September to January (18weeks)

Spring Semester (Semester 2) : Late February or March to June (16 weeks)

There will be 2 to 4 weeks (April) of field trip in different studios of all departments. Students may go other cities to study and investigate about arts. Students are responsible for all the costs, such as transportation, hotel, tickets and etc.

INSTRUCTION LANGUAGE: Chinese

NOMINATION and APPLICATION DEADLINE

Autumn Semester: May 1

Spring Semester: October 31

Nomination and Application documents must be sent to wangyunai@cafa.edu.cn and 921524587@qq.com

NOTE: You must be officially nominated by the international coordinator of your home university before sending the application documents. A nomination from your home school does not guarantee success of your application. There is a selection made on the quality of submitted application documents.

APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

All the documents should be in English or Chinese, and in PDF. No web links or any other medium accepted.

1. [Application form](#) (with the signature of your international coordinator)
2. Letter of motivation
3. Portfolio
4. Recommendation letter
5. CV (with photo)
6. Copy of your passport photo page (Jpg)
7. One piece of your digital photo-for Visa form and Student Card (Jpg, less than 200kb)

ACCOMMODATION

As the space is limited, CAFA does not provide on-campus dormitory. We encourage exchange students to find accommodation as early as possible. You should allow approximately 3000 to 5000 RMB per month for Housing.

ADMISSION and VISA

The answer to the exchange application will be given 4-5 weeks after the deadline.

The digital **Admission Letter** and **DQ form** will be sent to the successful applicants via Email which is for them to apply for **X2 VISA** (Short-term Student Visa) to the Embassy/Consulate of China in their countries.

Upon arrival within 24 hours the exchange students must go to the local police station website to register for the ***Accommodation Registration Form*** with passport and lease contract from the landlord.

INSURANCE

Exchange students must get health care and accident Insurance. Students are responsible for taking out adequate insurance coverage before entering the country.

LIVING IN CHINA

Living in China, you will need local mobile phone number which you can get from the company of China Unicom or China Mobile with your passport.

Wechat is the most commonly used Apps for people to communicate every day.

Currently cash is not the popular paying methods. Instead, Wechat pay and Alipay are the most convenient payment methods for online shopping and physical store consumption, and even taking a taxi or riding a bicycle. However, enough cash is necessary before opening the local bank account.

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