

EXCHANGE PARTNER INFORMATION



Name of Institution	NIAGARA UNIVERSITY
Address	Niagara University Office of International Relations/ Brennan Center DePaul Hall, Suite 133 Niagara University, NY 14109
History	Niagara University is a liberal arts university in the Vincentian and Catholic traditions. Vincentian tradition gives Niagara University its unique identity. It was founded in 1856 by the Vincentian Fathers and Brothers, who take their name from their founder, Vincent de Paul.

About Vincentian tradition	Vincent de Paul was a French priest who lived from 1581 to 1660. Vincent's special dedication was to the poor and helpless. Because of its Vincentian heritage, Niagara seeks to instill in its students a deep concern for the rights and dignity of the human person, especially for the poor, the suffering, the handicapped, and the outcast. This has been recognized by The Templeton Foundation, which numbered Niagara among 100 colleges and universities nationwide that were recognized for offering programs that inspire students to lead ethical and civic-minded lives.	
Accreditations & Memberships	Niagara University is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. Its program in social work is accredited by the Council on Social Work Education. The College of Business Administration holds the prestigious AACSB accreditation of The International Association for Management Education. The university's bachelor's and master's degree programs in education are accredited by the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education. The department of chemistry has the approval of the American Chemical Society. The Institute of Travel, Hotel and Restaurant Administration is accredited by the Council on Hotel Restaurant and Institutional Education (CHRIE). The university holds membership in the American Council on Education, the Association of University Evening Colleges, the College Entrance Examination Board, the Commission on Independent Colleges and Universities, the Council of Graduate Studies in the United States, the Middle Atlantic Association of Colleges of Business Administration, the American Library Association, and other organizations.	
Contacts for Inbound and Outbound Students	Tel = 716-286-8331	
Web Page	http://www.niagara.edu	

Holzschuh College of Business Administration (AACSB) – Accounting, Commerce, Economics, Finance, Management, Marketing, Food and Consumer Packaged Goods Marketing, Human Resources, Social Media & Digital Analytics, Supply Chain Management. The College of Business offers courses such as International Management, Leadership and Teamwork, Entrepreneurship, Social Media Planning, Digital Marketing Tactics, Integrated Marketing Communication. College of Hospitality, Sport, and Tourism Management- Hotel and Restaurant Management, Hotel Management, Human Resources Management, Sport and Recreation Management, Sport Management, Tourism and Event Management. **Areas of Undergraduate** study College of Arts and Sciences – Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Computational Chemistry, Communication Studies, Computer and Information Sciences, Criminal Justice, English, Environmental Studies, French, General Studies, History, International Studies, Liberal Arts, Life Sciences, Mathematics, Modern & Classical Languages, Nursing, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Religious Studies, Social Sciences, Social Work, Sociology, Spanish, Theatre & Fine Arts. College of Education (NCATE) – Adolescence Education (grades 7-12), Childhood and Middle Level Childhood Education (grades 1-9), Early Childhood and Childhood Education (Birth – Grade 6), Middle Childhood and Adolescence Education (5 - 12), Special Education and Adolescence (Grade 7 – Grade 12), Special Education and Childhood (Grade 1 – Grade 6), Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL). AACSB Accredited MBA, Master of Business Administration, concentrations: Accounting, Strategic Marketing Management, Healthcare Administration, Finance, Human Resources Management, Financial Planning, Strategic Wealth, International Management, Strategic Management. NCATE Accredited degrees in Education, M.S.Ed. Special Education (Grades 1-6 or 7-12), Literacy Instruction (Birth – grade 6 or grades 5-12), Math, Science, and Technology, Educational Leadership (school building and school district), MBA/School District Business Leader, School Counselor, Middle and Adolescence (Grades 5-12), Early Childhood and Childhood Education (Birth – grade 6), Clinical Mental Health Counseling, **Areas of Graduate study** School Psychology. **Master of Science in Finance Master of Science in Criminal Justice Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies Master of Science in Information Security and Digital Forensics**

Master of Science in Sport Management

Ph.D. Leadership and Policy

Application	
Application Procedure	Follow Niagara University International Exchange Student Checklist.
Deadline	Niagara has rolling admissions, but international students should apply at least 2 months before the start of classes to allow time for visa processing. June 1 st is a good target date for fall and October 15 th is a good target date for spring, due to the holiday breaks in November and December.

Academic Information

Language of Instruction	English	
Courses information	http://www.niagara.edu/courses	
Academic Level(s) Offered to Exchange Students	 Undergraduate 	
Academic calendar	Starts: End of August Ends: End of December Exams: Last week of semester	Starts: End of January Ends: Mid May Exams: Last week of semester
Compulsory Language Requirements for Exchange Students	To be accepted for admission to Niagara University you must be able to speak, read, write, and understand English at a level that will allow you to successfully complete your college work at Niagara University. Students participating in a one or two semester exchange program with Niagara University must have test scores for review from TOEFL, IELTS, Cambridge Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE), or Cambridge Certificate in Advanced English (CAE). A score report from any one of the above English Language Proficiency tests may be sent directly to Niagara University. Use our Institutional Code Number 2558. This requirement is waived if your native language is English or if you have two years of college level coursework in English. The language requirements are: TOEFL: 79+, IELTS: 6.0+, CET6: 450+, or CET4: 475+	
When will the transcript be released?	Approximately 2 weeks after completion of exams/semester. Student must request a transcript from the records office to be sent to their home university. This can be done by visiting	

www.niagara.edu/records.

Exchange Students Information

<u>Health Insurance</u> <u>Requirements</u>	 Health insurance coverage is included and mandatory for all international students, which is detailed on our website at https://www.niagara.edu/health-insurance/. You will be automatically enrolled. You must also provide a copy of your immunizations and complete the required health forms which can be found at http://www.niagara.edu/required-student-health-forms. Failure to submit all required documents may impact your visa status. Plan coverage can be found here: https://www.haylor.com/college/niagara-university/ 		
Accommodation	Exchange students must stay on campus in residence halls. More information can be found here: http://www.niagara.edu/residence-life International Relations Office will coordinate housing upon acceptance of application.		
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	EXCHANGE TUITION	\$0.00	\$0.00
	EXCHANGE STUDENT	\$500.00	\$1000.00
	FEES		
Cost of Living	BOOKS/SUPPLIES	\$210.00	\$420.00
	ROOM/BOARD	\$ 6,290.00	\$12,580.00
	MEDICAL INSURANCE	\$ 1,110.00	\$2,629.00
	OTHER LIVING EXPENSES	\$1,200.00	\$ 2,400.00
	TOTAL ESTIMATED	\$ 9,310.00	\$19,029.00
	EXPENSES		
Airport Transfer	International Relations will arrange pick up service for students if the student provides flight information and if the student arrives within the required arrival time frame. Email communication will be sent prior to the start of semester.		

ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Nearest Airport : Buffalo International Airport

Transportation from Airport to Campus : Taxi, Uber or Lyft

Climate :	Niagara Falls experiences cold, sometimes snowy winters and hot, often humid summers. Precipitation is moderate and consistent in all seasons, falling equally or more as snow during the winter. The city has snowier than average winters compared to most cities in the USA, however less than many other cities in Upstate New York including nearby Buffalo and Rochester. Thaw cycles with temperatures above 0°C (32°F) are a common occurrence. The hottest and coldest temperatures recorded in the past decade were 97°F (36°C) in 2005 and -13°F (-25°C) in 2003, respectively. 38% of warm season precipitation falls in the form of a thunderstorm.
Currency	USD
Tourist site about Niagara Falls	http://www.niagara-usa.com/
