Non-Degree Student Application Guide



University of Florida International Center Study Abroad Services

NON-UF STUDENT APPLICATION GUIDE

→ This guide is intended for students participating in a University of Florida Study Abroad program as a non-degree seeking student. The instructions below outline the most effective way to complete each application requirement. If you have questions not addressed in this guide, please contact your UF Study Abroad Advisor (listed on page 8).

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HOW TO APPLY AS A NON-UF STUDENT

❖ PART ONE: CREATING AN APPLICATION

*Non-UF students are eligible for most UF Sponsored programs and some UF exchanges.

1) Once you have selected a program, click "Apply Now" on the program page.



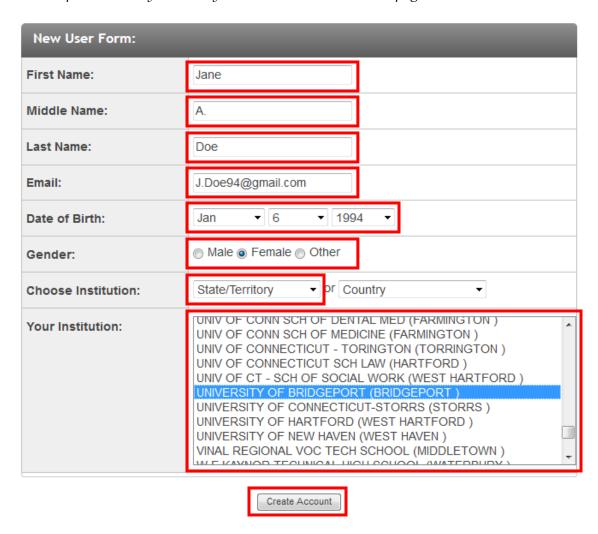
2) Select "I do not have login credentials to this site" and push "submit"



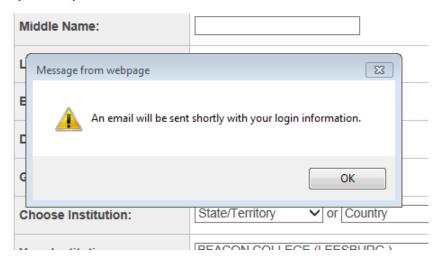
3) Select your user type and push "submit"



4) Input your demographic information and push "Create Account." *If your home institution is not listed, please email your Study Abroad Advisor (listed on page 8).*



5) Once you have completed the above information, an email will be sent to you containing your login and password information. *Please note that the temporary password is only valid for* **24 hours**. *You must* **complete steps 6-8 within 24 hours**.



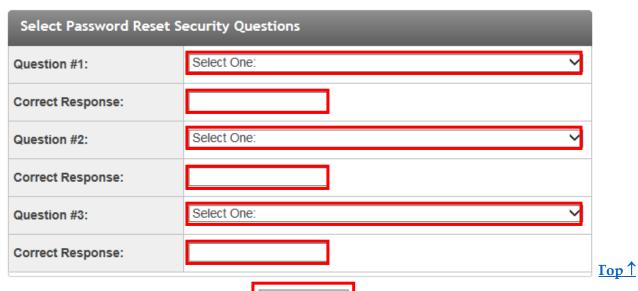
SAMPLE EMAIL

International Center - Account Created			
Welcome to University of Florida's International Center! Following is your temporary login information that will enable you to apply to programs: User ID: J.Doe94@gmail.com Temp Password: This01PSwrd Please keep this information in a safe place.			
GatorLink users, login here: https://www.abroad.ufic.ufl.edu/auth/ General non-GatorLink login: https://www.abroad.ufic.ufl.edu/index.cfm?FuseAction=Security.Login			
Temporary login information is only valid for 1 day(s). If you do not login within 1 day(s) of receiving this message, you will be asked to request a new temporary password.			
Thank you,			
International Center User Support			
This message was generated automatically			

6) Go back to login page and select "I have login credentials to this site that I received by email"



7) Set security questions



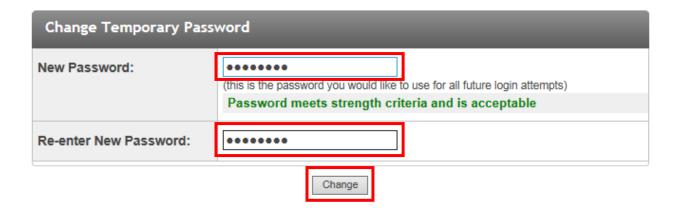
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8) Set permanent password

You have logged in with a temporary password that is intended for use one time. You will now need to create a permanent password that you will use in the future when you login to this site.

The permanent password must:

- Be at least 8 characters
- Contain both upper and lower case letters
- Contain at least one number



❖ PART TWO: COMPLETING AN APPLICATION

I. ACCESSING YOUR APPLICATION

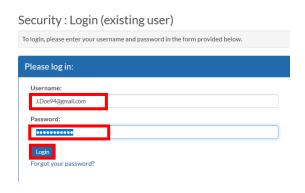
1) Go to https://internationalcenter.ufl.edu/study-abroad and select "SA NON-UF LOGIN"



2) Select "I have login credentials to this site that I received by email"



3) Log in with your email and password



4) Click on your program to access your application



II. APPLICATION BASICS

There are four main sections of the non-degree study abroad application: Signature Verification, Signature Documents, Application Questionnaire(s) and Material Submissions. The instructions below are grouped according to the order and method by which each item is best completed. Some programs may have additional application items not shown in this guide.

♣ Please note your application deadline. <u>All application items</u> must be completed by the deadline in order to be considered for the program.



Table A: Submitting Your Application

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Order of Submission	Material	How to Submit ¹
1	Signature Verification Form	By email ² or by mail to your advisor
2	Online Non-Degree Registration Request	Submitted online as per instructions. Receipt should be sent by email or by mail.
3	Home Institution Approval Form By email or by mail	
4	Academic Report Request Form By email or by mail	
5	Home Institution Unofficial Transcript	By email or mail
6	All Application Questionnaire(s)	Completed online
7	All Signature Documents	Completed online

¹ Please note all emailed documents must be submitted as scanned, full sized, PDF documents.

Documents that are sent as .jpeg, .doc, screenshots, taken with your smart phone, or that are unclear will not be accepted.

² Emails should be sent to your Study Abroad Advisor (listed on page 8).

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8	Deposit	Pay online

Table B: Important Contacts

Name	Responsibilities	Email	Phone
Kayleigh Nemeth	Advisor for Australia, New Zealand, UK, Ireland, Scandinavia and Canada	knemeth@ufic.ufl.edu	352-273-1508
Jill Ranaivoson	Advisor for Italy, Eastern Europe and Greece	jranaivoson@ufic.ufl.edu	352-273-1528
Jess Mercier	Advisor for Germany, Austria, Netherlands and Semester-at-Sea	jmercier@ufic.ufl.edu	352-294-3335
Maria Selezneva	Advisor for Russia, Asia and Law Program	mselezneva@ufic.ufl.edu	352-273-1518
Nicole Fuls	Advisor for Latin America and Caribbean	nfuls@ufic.ufl.edu	352-273-1506
Naomi Harrell	Advisor for Africa, France, Belgium, Middle East, Switzerland and CJC program	nharrell@ufic.ufl.edu	352-273-1522
Mikenna Marin	Advisor for Spain, Portugal and Virtual Internships	mmarin@ufic.ufl.edu	352-273-2161
June Bristol	Financial Aid & Program Fees	jbristol@ufic.ufl.edu	352-273-1504
Linda Gritman	Florida Pre-Paid	<u>lgritma@ufic.ufl.edu</u>	352-273-1507

III. APPLICATION MATERIALS

To access these materials you must be logged in to your application. Please review <u>Step I: Accessing Your Application</u> for assistance logging in.

SIGNATURE VERIFICATION

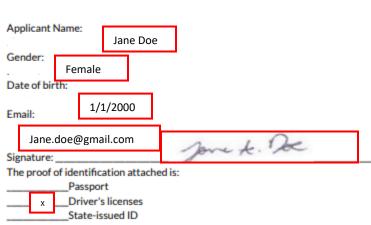
- → The Signature Verification form is required in order to electronically sign your signature documents. You will not be able to complete your online signature documents until this form is received and marked off your application.
- 1) Click on "Signature Verification Form"



2) A pop out window will appear. Print this window, sign the form and submit it along with a copy of your **signed** passport, driver's license or state-issued ID card. *Both the Signature Verification Form and your proof of ID must be signed. The signatures <u>must match.</u>*

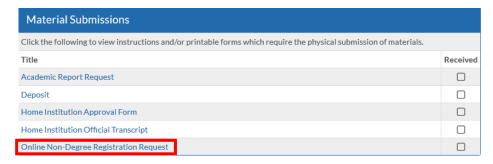
The online application process involves electronic signatures. By completing this form, you will be able to use an electronic signature for the remainder of the application process. In order to verify your identity, we require that you send in a photocopy of either your passport, driver's license, or state-issued ID card. Please print the following signature card, sign it, and mail it to the attention of SAS Non-Degree Processing or send scanned, full-sized PDF copy to sas@ufic.ufl.edu (mailto:sas@ufic.ufl.edu):

International Center University of Florida Study Abroad Services 1765 Stadium Road, Suite 170 HUB PO Box 113225 Gainesville, Florida 32611





- The Online Non-Degree Registration Request is an application that allows you to be registered at the University of Florida as a non-degree seeking student for a semester. This is one of the most important application steps and can also be one of the lengthiest. It is important that you follow the directions closely as mistakes can cause significant delays in processing your application and registering you for your study abroad courses.
- 1) Click on "Online Non-Degree Registration Request"



2) A pop-out window will appear. Read through the instructions, then click on the link provided in the pop-out.

Online Non-Degree Registration Request

In order to get registered for classes and receive a transcript from the University of Florida (UF), you are required to apply to UF as a non-degree seeking student. Please read and follow the instructions below:

- Click on the following link to go to the UF Online Non-Degree Application and Click "Non-Degree Application": https://registrar.ufl.edu/registration/transientsnondegreeredux.html
- 2. Select the term and year that matches the term and year of your study abroad application.
- 3. For your College, please select:
 - "The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences UF International Center Study Abroad." There are two, similar options, so please make sure your choice matches what we have indicated exactly.
- 4. In the section for Course Information, you can list the classes that you would like to take as a part of the program. If you do not know this information yet or you believe that it may change, please list your courses as IDS 4956.
- 5. Please complete the remainder of the form and hit Apply.
- 6. After you have submitted your application, please print the completed non-degree application and send the receipt via one of the methods below:

Email:	Attach a scanned, full-sized PDF copy to your study abroad
	advisor.
Fax:	Number: 352-392-5575@
rax:	Attn: SAS Non-Degree Processing
	University of Florida International Center
or	Attn: SAS Non-Degree Processing
Mail:	1765 Stadium Rd. Suite 170 HUB
	Gainesville, FL 32611-3225

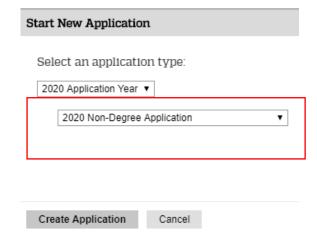
3) Push the "Non-Degree Application" button at the bottom of the page to begin. Please create an account by selecting "first-time users". Enter in all information accurately and please use your legal name (as one would find it on your passport). When you are done, click "continue".



A temporary PIN will be sent to your email address. After you receive this PIN, click log in to access your account and reset your

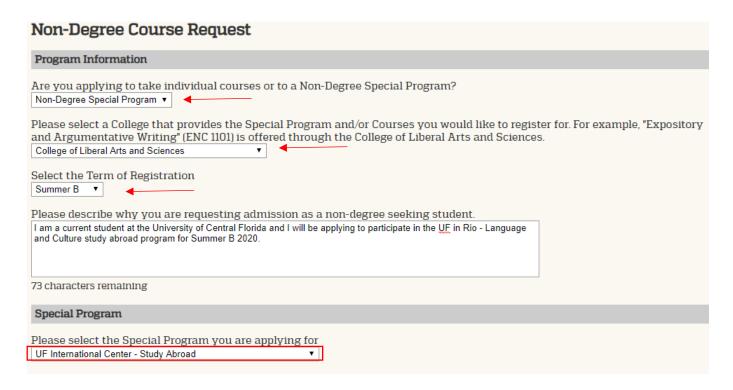
password. ***Note: These credentials are ONLY for the application portal! This is NOT a GatorLink Login.

- 4) Next, you may start an application. Select the year that matches the term and of your study abroad application. Make sure you select that you are completing a Non-
 - Degree Application. Then you must hit "create application" and then "open application".
- 5) Enter in your Personal Background Information. Be sure to enter ALL requested information accurately using your legal name.

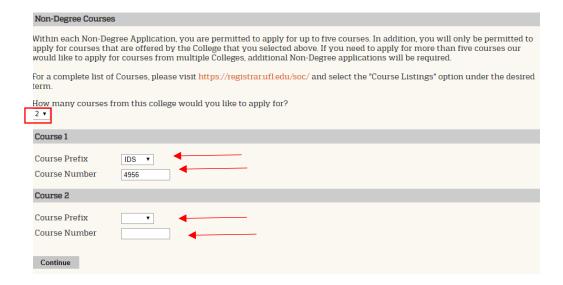


- 6) Enter in your Conduct Information and hit "continue".
- 7) Enter in your Application Information and hit "continue".
- 8) Complete the Non-Degree Course Request
 - a. Please select that you are applying to a "Non-Degree Special Program" and then when selecting a College, please select "The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences". *There are two similar options, so please ensure that your choice matches the instructions exactly.*
 - b. Select the term of your Study Abroad, then in the description box, please indicate where you are currently a student (if applicable), the full title of your study abroad program and the term of the program.

c. Then for Special Program please select "UF International Center – Study Abroad".



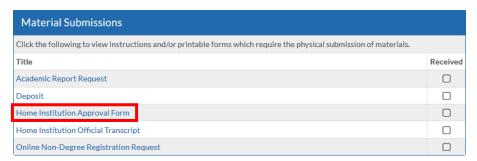
9) Under "Course Information," select the amount of course you will be taking as part of the program and then enter in the course codes. This information can be found on your study abroad program's brochure page. *If you do not know this information or believe it may change, list your course as IDS 4956.*



- 10) Please enter in your Academic History as indicated.
- 11) Please complete the Florida Residency Declaration.
- 12) Complete your electronic signature and if there is nothing missing, please hit the 'submit application' button.
- 13) Once you have submitted the application, make a copy of the receipt and send it to your UF Study Abroad Advisor (*listed on page 8*). It is best sent via email as a PDF document. This step allows the advisor to know your application has been submitted and to review it to ensure it has been filled out correctly.
- 14) The Online Non-Degree Registration Request material will not appear completed on your application until it is processed by the University of Florida Registrar. This can take several weeks. Florida Residents please be advised that you may receive an email from the UF Registrar requesting additional documentation of your residency. Please respond promptly if sent this email.

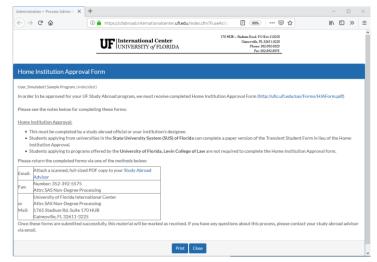
HOME INSTITUTION APPROVAL

- **The Home Institution Approval form allows us to verify that your program is accepted by your home university and that you are approved to participate.**
- 1) Click on "Home Institution Approval Form"

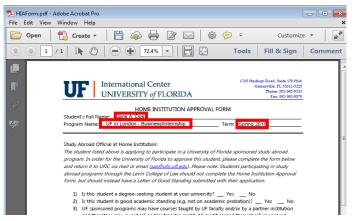


2) A pop-out window will appear. Read through the instructions, then click on the link

provided in the pop-out.



3) A PDF form will appear. Print this form and fill in your name, official program title and term.

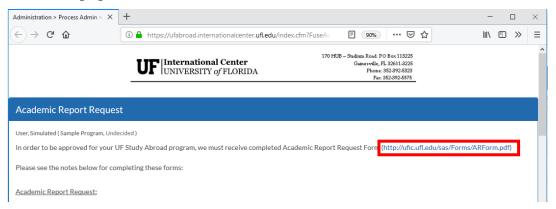


- 4) Give the Home Institution Approval Form to your Home University's Study Abroad Office*. They will complete the rest of the form. Once it is complete, it should be submitted to your UF Study Abroad Advisor (*listed on page 8*).
 - *Note: If your university does not have a study abroad office, please give this form to whomever can attest to your status as a student and has the authority to verify your credits will be accepted at your Home Institution. This may be your academic advisor, registrar's office or dean of student's office.

ACADEMIC REPORT REQUEST

- ♣ The Academic Report Request form lets us know where your transcript should be sent at the conclusion of your program.
- 1) Click on "Academic Report Request Form"

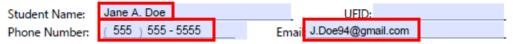
2) A pop-out window will appear. Read through the instructions, then click on the link provided in the pop-out.



3) Fill in your contact information. Leave the UFID section blank.

ACADEMIC REPORT REQUEST FORM

Please provide an address at your home institution to which we can send an official transcript with grades from your study abroad program. Please double-check with your home institution that this is matches the address listed on your Home Institution Approval form.



4) Fill in the address your transcript should be sent to at the end of your program. Please verify this address with the study abroad official at your home institution.



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Za	ne A. Dec		8/20/15
Signature of Stude	nt		Date
UFIC Approval:			
	(Third Party Billing Reque	st)	

6) Once the form is complete, submit it to UF Study Abroad Advisor (listed on page 8).

HOME INSTITUTION OFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT

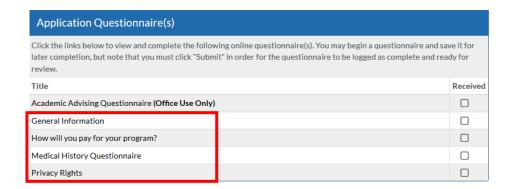
- ♣ The Home Institution Official Transcript allows us to verify your GPA and ensure it is high enough to participate in your chosen program.
- 1) Submit an official transcript to your UF Study Abroad Advisor (*listed on page 8*). To be considered official, it must be in a **sealed envelope**. Printed online copies, screen shots of grades and opened transcripts will not be accepted. Certified electronic transcripts will be accepted if sent directly from your Home Institution to your UF Study Abroad Advisor.

Send your transcript to:

University of Florida International Center Study Abroad Services Attn. Non-Degree Processing PO Box 113225 Gainesville, FL 32611-3225

APPLICATION QUESTIONNAIRE(S)

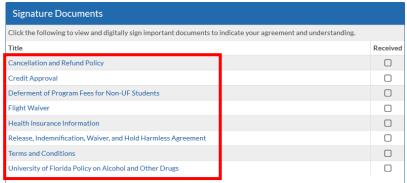
1) Click on each questionnaire and fill out the information requested. Do not fill out the "Academic Advising Questionnaire (Office Use Only)." This will be filled out by your UF study abroad advisor. Some programs may have more questionnaires than shown below.

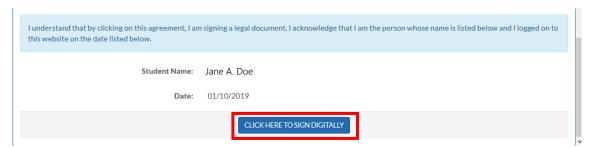


2) Once your questionnaire is completely filled out, click "Submit". Once you have submitted the questionnaire, you will not be able to edit it. If you have filled it out incorrectly and need to change any information, please contact your UF Study Abroad Advisor (*listed on page 8*).

SIGNATURE DOCUMENTS

- Signature documents cannot be signed until your <u>signature verification form</u> is received and marked off your application.
- 1) Click on each signature document, read it thoroughly and push "CLICK HERE TO SIGN DIGITALLY" to indicate your agreement and understanding. *Some programs may have more or less questionnaires than shown below.*





COMPLETED APPLICATION

◆ Once all items on your application are checked off, your application is complete. There is no button to "submit" the application. If you have any questions about the status of your application, please contact your UF Study Abroad Advisor (listed on page 8).

Material Submissions	
Click the following to view instructions and/or printable forms which require the physical submission of materials.	
Title	Received
Academic Report Request	√
Deposit / Service Charge	\checkmark
Home Institution Approval Form	\checkmark
Home Institution Official Transcript	\checkmark
Online Non-Degree Registration Request	\checkmark

Signature Documents	
Click the following to view and digitally sign important documents to indicate your agreement and understanding.	
Title	Received
Cancelation and Refund Policy	\checkmark
Credit Approval	\checkmark
Deferment of Program Fees for Non-UF Students	\checkmark
Health Insurance Information	\checkmark
Release, Indemnification, Waiver, and Hold Harmless Agreement	\checkmark
Terms and Conditions	\checkmark
University of Florida Policy on Alcohol and Other Drugs	\checkmark

Application Questionnaire(s)	
Click the links below to view and complete the following online questionnaire(s). You may begin a questionnaire and save it for later completion, but note that you mu order for the questionnaire to be logged as complete and ready for review.	
Title	Received
Academic Advising Questionnaire (Office Use Only)	√
General Information	lacktriangledown
How will you pay for your program?	$ \checkmark$
Medical History Questionnaire	lacksquare
Privacy Rights	$ \mathbf{V} $