



PUCP

PONTIFICIA UNIVERSIDAD CATÓLICA DEL PERÚ FACT SHEET 2021



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General information

Academic calendar 2021	First semester: March 29 th – July 24 th Second semester: August 23 th - December 18 th
Language of instruction	Spanish. Students need a B2 language level.
Are there any courses available in English?	Few courses at the Engineering School, Social Sciences and General Studies. For more information contact exchange@pucp.edu.pe
Fields of study	Painting, Sculpture, Engraving, Graphic Design, Industrial Design, Administration, Accounting, Architecture, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Civil Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Industrial Engineering, Mining Engineering, Electronic Engineering, Computer Engineering, Telecommunications Engineering, Anthropology, Sociology, Economics, Political Sciences, Audio-Visual applied Communications Arts and Sciences, Journalism, Advertising, Scenic Arts, Communication for Development, Law, Pre-school Education, Elementary Education, Archaeology, Information Science, Philosophy, Geography and Environmental Studies, History, Linguistics and Literature, Psychology
Typical credit load per course	3-4
Required course load for international students	Depends on home institution
Standard number of semesters for completion of BA and MA degrees	10 semesters for BA and 4 semesters for MA
Grading system	From 0(zero) to 20(twenty) being 11 (eleven) the minimum pass mark
Credit system	One PUCP credit is equivalent to one hour of taught classes a week throughout the semester, or at least two hours a week of practical classes. The semester has 17 weeks of classes. Courses could have from 2 to 5 credits depending on the difficulty level, from low to high. The PUCP credit is different from an ECTS credit.

Exchange related information

Number of students per semester	Depends on each agreement.
Fees applicable to exchange students	None
Do PUCP accept graduate students?	Yes
Nomination deadlines	Spring semester (March-July): Oct 15th - Nov 30th Fall semester (August-December): April 15th – May 15th
Application deadlines	Spring semester (March-July): January 15th Fall semester (August-December): June 15th
Application procedure	Partner universities must nominate their students online. Contact: exchange@pucp.edu.pe The international team will process the information and send an invitation to apply online to the <u>student's email address</u> . They can save a draft of the application and access it by logging on again later to complete the application. The students can upload the required supporting documents online; no hard copies are necessary.
Duration of the exchange	One semester or one year

Course registration	Online courses registration available. The direct enrolment will take place one week before beginning of classes.
Courses	International students can enroll in different Schools and levels <u>if places are available</u> . PUCP Academic Schools make every effort to accommodate exchange students in their classes, but due to overcrowding and equipment constraints in some majors, they cannot always give students the courses they choose. Exchange students should be flexible when planning their coursework at PUCP.
Restricted courses	Courses from CENTRUM, thesis and some seminars are not available for international students. The School of Interdisciplinary Studies is not open to international students. In case of School of Law and School of Communications, the enrolment is online, before semester starts. Please contact for more information: exchange@pucp.edu.pe
Internships	Internships are not available for international students.
Transcripts	The Office of the Registrar issues certificates recording the grades obtained for each course. The grades obtained by students do not count towards a degree or title awarded by the Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú
Transcripts sending dates	We will send an electronic copy of the transcript to the partner university and to the student. We do not print transcripts anymore but if you required a hard copy ask to exchange@pucp.edu.pe Transcripts are sent on February and September .
Additional copies	For additional copies of transcripts or for sending transcripts to another institution(s), students are required to contact the Office of International Student Mobility exchange@pucp.edu.pe . Some fees will apply.